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Announcement of Intention to Extend the Accreditation of the Manufacturing, Engineering and Related Services Sector Education and Training Authority (MERSETA)

The South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA) hereby notifies the public that it intends to extend the accreditation of the **Manufacturing, Engineering and Related Services Sector Education and Training Authority (MERSETA)** to include the Qualifications listed below and the associated Unit Standards, which are registered on the National Qualifications Framework.

No	Qualification Title	NQF Level	NLRD Number
1	National Certificate : Inspection and Assessment (Non-Metallics)	Level 5	60070
2	National Diploma : Inspection and Assessment (Non-Metallics)	Level 5	60072

The accreditation will be effective for the duration of the Accreditation of the **Manufacturing, Engineering and Related Services Sector Education and Training Authority (MERSETA)** in terms of Section 2 (1) of the Education and Training Quality Assurance Regulations (SAQA Act No. 58 of 1995).

For qualifications and unit standards on level 5 and higher on the National Qualifications Framework, a signed Memorandum of Understanding between the applying ETQA and the Council on Higher Education will be required. This is required within 6 months from the date of the extension being granted.

Objections to the extension of accreditation must be lodged with the Executive Officer of SAQA by the 20 June 2008.

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