Via Email 4/10/2011

Having read the draft proposal of Mandatory Registration Standards August 2011 I would like to submit a question with reference to Schedule 1. Qualifications considered adequate by the Medical Radiation Practice Board of Australia.

I attended The Newcastle College of Advanced Education in 1979-1981 where I was awarded an Associate Diploma in Diagnostic Radiography. If working in the Newcastle area this was the specific course for radiography. I noticed in Schedule 1 of the draft proposal that this course is not on the list as adequate qualifications. There would be many radiographers still working full or part-time with this qualification who have not completed further education or upgrade. Will this affect our ability to obtain registration?

Regards

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