## AHC Agriculture and Production Horticulture Industry Reference Committee

## Communique

Meeting No: 2018.4 Date: 4 December 2018

The Agriculture and Production Horticulture Industry Reference Committee (APH IRC) met via teleconference on 4 December 2018. Present at the meeting were APH IRC members representatives from Skills Impact.

## **AHC Industry Sector Approach**

The report outlining the proposal for the strategic approach to reviewing and developing Training Package components was discussed by IRC members. This strategic approach is a systematic approach, making better use of time and stakeholder resources, and easier to identify duplications. Unit sectors and grouping of units which naturally overlap, allow for better coverage of training packages, better alignment of units to qualifications framework and ultimately produce a quality product.

The proposal was approved by the APH IRC to proceed and to be included in the AHC Skills Forecast and Proposed Schedule of Work 2019-22. This AHLCLM IRC will also be notified of this decision as they share the AHC Training package and will require approval of the IRC members to progress this approach.

## **Next meeting**

The next face to face APH IRC meeting was proposed to be held in February 2019.