

BENCHMARKS FOR ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TESTS

The following benchmarks will be used to assess submissions on English Language tests for Australian visa applications.

Test owners should address their capacity to meet each of the benchmarks in respect of their English Language test/s and provide evidence to support all claims made.

1. Integrity

- a. Regular updating of test content to minimise potential for prior knowledge of test material. Frequency of updating would depend on rate of test usage. (Mandatory)
- b. Measures in place, and practices observed, to minimise risk of identity substitution
Example: At time of application candidates must present their passport or national identity card with a number, photograph, date of birth and signature and on test day they must present the same ID document. (Mandatory)
- c. Document fraud prevention measures, including:
 - i. embedded photographic image of candidate and online results verification. (Strongly Desired)
 - ii. Test reports must incorporate security features to prevent tampering and forgery. **Example:** Security enhanced paper. (Mandatory)
- d. Standardised testing conditions including invigilators trained in detection of inappropriate use of electronic devices, maximum invigilator:candidate ratio of 1:25, and secure and independent test centre locations. (Mandatory)
- e. If computer-based testing is used, in addition to the requirements at (d) above, measures to prevent candidates accessing other tools such as the internet must be in place. (Mandatory)
- f. Standardised training and ongoing certification of test markers. (Mandatory)
- g. Security of storage and control of test material to prevent unauthorised access. (Mandatory)
- h. Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers and invigilators have a competent level of English to enable them to fully understand the test marking policy and/or are able to understand and comply with directions concerning relevant security practices. (Mandatory)
- i. Character checks conducted on clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators. (Desired)
- j. Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators avoid any potential or perceived conflict of interest (that is, by not marking, assessing or invigilating candidates they have taught or with whom they have any personal connections). (Mandatory)
- k. Maintain records of previously conducted tests for a minimum of two (2) years for audit purposes and integrity checks. (Mandatory)

2. Content of tests

- a. Testing instrument must measure all four (4) English language skills, which are reading, writing, speaking and listening. (Mandatory)
- b. Systems in place to ensure test validity and reliability **Example:** Test content provides a realistic measure of English language ability with no gender or ethnic bias, and tests are developed by appropriately qualified persons. (Strongly Desired)
- c. Stimulus materials should reflect type of materials candidates are likely to encounter in an Australian study context, and are drawn from a variety of cultural sources. (Desired)
- d. Oral materials should reflect the variety of world Englishes. (Desired)

3. Administration

- a. Online verification of test scores facility, and preferably capacity for electronic transmission of test scores directly into DIAC systems. (Strongly Desired)
- b. Sufficient availability of testing centres to preclude the need for applicants to travel long distances to sit a test, particularly in Australia's key market/s. (Strongly Desired)
- c. Testing available in all centres with sufficient frequency to ensure that applicants do not experience unreasonable delay in being able to access the test (while minimising exposure of test questions). (Strongly Desired)
- d. Reasonable cost to applicant to sit the test. (Mandatory)

4. Results

- a. Able to benchmark test scores against scores in other accepted DIAC tests (embedded in DIAC legislation) to ensure comparability of test results. (Mandatory)
- b. Descriptors for each score in each test. (Mandatory)
- c. Test provider undertakes ongoing monitoring of short and long term performance trends and investigates unusual patterns and changes. (Mandatory)
- d. Use of test by other institutions/authorities as an indicator of experience and international recognition. (Mandatory)
- e. Results to be available to candidates within four (4) weeks of sitting a test. (Strongly Desired)
- f. Test results to be valid and available for verification for a period of at least two (2) years. (Mandatory)

*The Benchmarks set out in this document are only intended to provide a guide to some of the matters that the Minister may have regard to when considering specifying an English language proficiency test pursuant to clause 5A102 of the Migration Regulations 1994. In making his decision under clause 5A102, the Minister may also have regard to other matters which he considers are relevant to the exercise of his discretion and which are not set out in this document.

**The Minister has the power to revoke the specification of a test for any reason that he considers relevant.

ASSESSMENT OF SUBMISSIONS

ENGLISH TEST	COMMENTS
TOEFL Meets all Mandatory benchmarks s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	1. Integrity: TOEFL test assessed as meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	2. Content of tests: TOEFL test assessed as meeting all of the requirements of the Mandatory benchmarks. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3. Administration: TOEFL test assessed as meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 47G(1)(a) Does not meet several Mandatory benchmarks	4. Results: TOEFL test assessed as meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1. Integrity: s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as <u>not</u> meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

2. Content of tests: No comments

3. Administration s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

4. Results s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

s. 47G(1)(a)

Does not meet
several
Mandatory
benchmarks

1. Integrity s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as not meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks.

s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

2. Content of tests s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as not meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks.

s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

3. Administration s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as not meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks.

s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

4. Results s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as not meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks.

s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

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<p>s. 47G(1)(a)</p> <p>Does not meet several Mandatory benchmarks</p>	<p>1. Integrity: s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks.</p> <p>2. Content of tests: s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks.</p> <p>3. Administration: s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks.</p> <p>The Assessment Committee had queries/concerns on: s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</p> <p>4. Results: s. 47G(1)(a) assessed as not meeting all of the requirements of the benchmarks. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</p>
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NOMINATED OFFICER	COMMENTS ON SUBS s. 47G(1)(a)	COMMENTS ON SUBS - TOEFL (ETS) (Testing of English as a Foreign Language)	COMMENTS ON SUBS s. 47G(1)(a)	COMMENTS ON SUBS - PEARSON	COMMENTS ON SUBS s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47G(1)(a)	COMMENTS ON SUBS s. 47G(1)(a)	COMMENTS ON SUBS s. 47G(1)(a)	COMMENTS ON SUBS - s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 22(1)(a)(ii)
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director AMEP										
Temp Skilled and GSM	NOT RECOMMENDED s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	RECOMMENDED s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	NOT RECOMMENDED Can not meet required benchmarks	RECOMMENDED	s. 47G(1)(a)	NOT RECOMMENDED	NOT RECOMMENDED	NOT RECOMMENDED	NOT RECOMMENDED	
s. 22(1)(a) Assistant Director Migration Prog Support	NOT RECOMMENDED. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	RECOMMENDED s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	NOT RECOMMENDED			NOT RECOMMENDED	NOT RECOMMENDED	NOT RECOMMENDED	NOT RECOMMENDED	
s. 22(1)(a) Students Section	NOT RECOMMENDED s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	RECOMMENDED s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) *Finding: Consider that the test be accepted under the Migration Regulations	NOT RECOMMENDED Negatives: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) *Finding: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	RECOMMENDED s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) *Finding: Consider that the test be accepted under the Migration Regulations	s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	NOT RECOMMENDED. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	NOT RECOMMENDED. The s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	NOT RECOMMENDED s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	NOT RECOMMENDED. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	

s. 47G(1)(a)					
BENCHMARK s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, AMEP	Overall comments s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	1. Integrity 1a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1c - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1d - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1e - n/a 1f - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1g - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1i - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) ? 1j - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2. Content of Tests 2b - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	3. Administration 3a s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3b s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3c - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4. Results 4a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4c - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
Temp Skilled and GSM	NOT RECOMMENDED. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, Migration Program Support Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. Agree with Committee's findings.	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, Students Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. The test has not met all required benchmarks	1a Not Met Mandatory: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1b Met 1c Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1d Mets 1e N/A: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1f Meets 1g Not Met (s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1h Met 1i Met 1j Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1k Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2a Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2b Met: 2c Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2d Met	3a Not Met (S.Desired): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3b Not Met (S.Desired): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3c Not Met (S.Desired): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3d Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4a Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4b Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4c Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4d Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4e Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4f Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)

s. 47G(1)(a)					
BENCHMARK	Overall Comments	1. Integrity	2. Content of Tests	3. Administration	4. Results
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)					
Assistant Director AMEP					
Temp Skilled and GSM Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. Agree with Committee's findings has not met all required benchmarks	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)					
Assistant Director, Migration Program Support Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. Agree with Committee's findings	s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
		1a Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			
		1b Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			
		1c Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			
		d. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			
		e. Not Met: No s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			a. Not Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
		f. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			b. Not Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
		g. Not Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			d. Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
		h. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			e. Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
		i. Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) checks conducted on test markers, examiners & invigilators.	a. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s.	A.. Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	f. Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
		j. Met: Conflict of interest checked.	b. Not sure. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	B. Not Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	
		k. Met: Records maintained for 2 years.	? s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) ?	C. Not Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	NOT RECOMMENDED		d. Not Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	D. Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	
Assistant Director, Students Section					

		TOEFL (ETS) - For GSM			
BENCHMARK s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, AMEP	Overall Comments s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	1. Integrity s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	2. Content of Tests s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	3. Administration s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	4. Results s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
Temp Skilled and GSM Section	RECOMMENDED Agree with Committee's findings	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Migration Program Support Section	RECOMMENDED Agree with Committee's findings	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, Students Section	RECOMMENDED for consideration for acceptance under Mig. Regulations. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

s. 22(1)(a)(ii)		s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)			
Director AMEP	Assistant	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	1a. Planned only - has new material been commissioned as yet? 1b. Appears to meet although, proposed new process will improve on integrity 1c. Appears to meet 1d. Met (to high standard) Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
Temp Skilled and GSM			Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	Assistant Director		Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii)	Assistant Director, Students Section	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

		s. 47G(1)(a)			
BENCHMARK s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director AMEP Section	Overall comments NOT RECOMMENDED. There are integrity issues of concern.	1. Integrity 1b - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1i - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1j - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2. Content of Tests Appears to meet all benchmarks	3. Administration 3a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3d - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4. Results 4a - does not meet
Temp Skilled and GSM	NOT RECOMMENDED. Agree with Committee's findings. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Migration Program Support Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. This submission does not demonstrate that it could meet all the benchmarks across the four benchmark areas. Based on this I agree with the Committee's findings.	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, Students Section	NOT RECOMMENDED: s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	1.a Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) d. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) e & f Met g Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) h Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) i. Not sure s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) j. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) k. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	Meets all benchmarks	3a Not Met?(SD) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) b. Not met (SD) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) c. Not met (SD) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) d. Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4.a Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) b. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) c. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) d. Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) e. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) f. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)

		s. 47G(1)(a)			
BENCHMARK	Overall comments	1. Integrity	2. Content of Tests	3. Administration	4. Results
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director AMEP Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s	1a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1b - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1i - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2a, b, c - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	3a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3b - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4d - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
Temp Skilled and GSM	NOT RECOMMENDED. Agree with Committee findings does not meet required benchmarks eg verbal skills	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Migration Program Support Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. This submission does not demonstrate that it could meet all the benchmarks across the four benchmark areas. Based on this I agree with the Committee's findings	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, Students Section	NOT RECOMMENDED - Several Mandatory requirements not met, s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	1a Not sure? s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) b. Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) c. Not Met (Mandatory) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) d. Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) e. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) f. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) g. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) h. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) i. Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) j. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) k. Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2a Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) e. 2b Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2c Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2d Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	3a. Not Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3b Not Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3c Not Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3d Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4a: Not Met (Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4b Meets: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4d. Not Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4e Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) t. 4f Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)

s. 47G(1)(a)					
BENCHMARK	Overall Comments	1. Integrity	2. Content of Tests	3. Administration	4. Results
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director AMEP Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. I have some concerns re integrity	1a s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			
		1b s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			
		1c s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)			
Temp Skilled and GSM	NOT RECOMMENDED. Agree with committee's findings. No-online verification of results. Does not meet all benchmarks	1h - not met - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)		3a - not meet - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)n	
		1i s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2b s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	3b - not meet - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	
		1k s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2c - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	3c - not meet - rs. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director Migration Program Support Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. This submission does not demonstrate that it could meet all the benchmarks across the four benchmark areas. Based on this I agree with the Committee's findings	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Appears to meet
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, Students Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	1a Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) ce. 1b Not Met?(Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1c Not met?(Mandatory): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1d Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1e Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d). 1f Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1g Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) nts. 1h Not Met?: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1i Not Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1j Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1k Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2a Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2b&c Not Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2d Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	3a Not Met (Mandatory) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3b Not Met (Strongly Desired): s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3c Not Met (Strongly Desired): Test s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3d Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4a Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4b Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4c Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4d Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4e Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4f Met: Ts. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)

s. 47G(1)(a)					
BENCHMARK	Overall comments	1. Integrity	2. Content of Tests	3. Administration	4. Results
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director AMEP Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) integrity controls. I have concerns about	1a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1i - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1k - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	2a - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4c - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4d - does not demonstrate international recognition although are s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4f - s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)
Temp Skilled and GSM	NOT RECOMMENDED. Agree with s. 22(1)(a)(ii) No online verification of results. Does not meet all benchmarks	Agree with comments in s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with comments in s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with comments in s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with comments in s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Migration Program Support Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. This submission does not demonstrate that it could meet all the benchmarks across the four benchmark areas.	Agree with comments in s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with comments in s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with comments in s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment	Agree with comments in s. 22(1)(a)(ii) assessment
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Assistant Director, Students Section	NOT RECOMMENDED. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	1a Not Met: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1b Met 1c Not Met s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1d Not Met 1e N/A s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1f Met. 1g Met. 1h Met. 1i. Not Met, s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 1j. Met. 1.k. Met.	2a Met. 2b Met, s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2c Met, s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 2d Met, s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	3a Not meet, s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) y. 3b Not s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3c Meets, s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 3d Meets, s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	4a Not met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4b Met. 4c Not Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4d. Not Met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) 4e Met. 4f Not met. s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)

Comments from Assessment Committee - Second Round of Assessment
Alternative English language tests for Student visa purposes
20-April-2011

Assessment Committee	Comments on Submission - Australian Education Assessment Services s. 47G(1)(a)	Comments on Submission - Cambridge ESOL	Comments on Submission s. 47G(1)(a)	Comments on Submission - s. 47G(1)(a)	Comments on Submission - s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 22(1)(a) Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch	Not recommended A number of mandatory benchmarks were not met. I have concerns for a number of integrity issues: s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	Recommended s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d) s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	Not recommended s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Not recommended s. 47G(1)(a), s. 47E(d)	Not recommended While most benchmarks were assessed as met, concerns were raised on the following issues: s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 22(1) Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section					

s. 22(1) Director Family Section	Not recommended s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Recommended s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Not recommended In my assessment s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Not recommended Overall, I considered this an impressive submission and that s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Not recommended s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
			s. For the sake of completeness, there were also a number of strongly desirable and desirable benchmarks which I did not consider met. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	The mandatory benchmarks which I specifically considered to not be met were those related to international recognition and the provision of descriptors for each score of each test. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	The were also some desirable benchmarks and integrity questions which I considered not met. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 22(1)(a)(ii) Director Migration Project Support Section		I note that this test is already widely available and the results are recognised by other institutions, including the UK Border Authority. Substantial supporting material was provided to verify the claims s. 47G(1)(a)			
s. 22(1)(a) Acting Director Document Examination Section	Not recommended Ranked fourth and clearly unsuitable. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Recommended. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Not recommended Ranked fifth and clearly unsuitable, s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Not recommended Third ranking for a fair submission, but rated unsuitable overall. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)		s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 22(1)(a) Director					

Assessment of Submission for Alternative English Language Tests for Student visa Purposes

Name of Test	S. 47G(1)(a)
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<div>s. 22(1)(a)<div>Director Migration Project Support Section</div></div>		<div>1a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) satisfy this benchmark. 1b. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c (i) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) (ii) Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Not applicable. 1f. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1g. Met benchmark. 1h. Met benchmark. 1i. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Met benchmark. 1k. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2b. Met benchmark. 2c. Met benchmark. 2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark. 3b. Met benchmark. 3c. Met benchmark. 3d s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Met benchmark. 4c. Met benchmark. 4d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark. 4f. Did not meet benchmark.</div>
<div>s. 22(1)<div>Acting Director Document Examination Section</div></div>	<div>s. 47G(1) - didn't sufficiently address DIAC requirements so their submission failed to fully engage. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>1a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Not applicable -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1f. Met benchmark. 1g. Met benchmark. 1h. Met benchmark. 1i. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2b. Met benchmark. 2c. Met benchmark. 2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3c. Met benchmark. 3d. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Met benchmark. 4c. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4d. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark. 4f. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>s. 22(1)<div>Director</div></div>		<div>1a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Not applicable -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1h. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2c. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2d. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3c. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. 4b. 4c. 4d. 4e. 4f.</div>

Assessment Committee	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions			
	Test content:	Test – Administration:	Test - Staffing:	Test - Results:
	Satisfactorily addressed one of two queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed most queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed some queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed some queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
<div>s. 22(1)<div>Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch</div></div>				

<div>S. Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>S. Director Family Section</div>	<div>Not rated.</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>A number of questions were rated as not applicable.</div>
<div>s. 22(1)(a) Director Migration Project Support Section</div>				
<div>s. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed most queries.</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed some queries. Other queries rated as not applicable.</div>
<div>s. 22(1) Director</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed one of two queries.</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed some queries.</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Some queries not satisfactorily addressed. A number of queries were rated as not applicable.</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>A majority of queries were rated as not applicable.</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>

<div>s. 22(1)(a) Director Migration Project Support Section</div>		<div>1a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c (i) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) (ii) Did not meet benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1e. Not applicable.</div> <div>1f. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1g. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1h. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1i. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1j. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1k. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark.</div> <div>3b. Met benchmark.</div> <div>3c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>3d. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4b. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47G(1)(a) s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4f. Did not meet benchmark.</div>
<div>s. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section</div>	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	<div>1a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Met benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1e. Not applicable s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1f. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1g. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1h. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1i. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1j. Met benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1k. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark -s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4b. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4c. Met benchmark - Seems now covered.</div> <div>4d. Met benchmark -s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4f. Met benchmark -s. 47G(1)(a) . Doubt it meets benchmark.</div>
<div>s. 22(1) Director</div>		<div>1a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2c. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a.</div> <div>4b.</div> <div>4c.</div> <div>4d.</div> <div>4e.</div> <div>4f.</div>

Assessment Committee	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions			
	Test content:	Test – Administration:	Test - Staffing:	Test - Results:
	Satisfactorily addressed one of two queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed most queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed some queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed some queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
<div>s. 22(1) Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch</div>				

<div>s. 22(1) Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>S. Director Family Section</div>	<div>Not rated. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>s. 22(1)(a) Director Migration Project Support Section</div>				
<div>s. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed most queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed some queries. Other queries rated as not applicable. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed some queries. Other queries rated as not applicable.</div>
<div>s. 22(1) Director</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed one of two queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Satisfactorily addressed some queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>Some queries not satisfactorily addressed. A number of queries were rated as not applicable. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>A majority of queries were rated as not applicable. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>

Assessment of Submission for Alternative English Language Tests for Student visa Purposes
Name of Test: Cambridge English for Speakers of Other Languages (Cambridge ESOL)

Assessment Committee	BENCHMARKS			
	Overall comments	1. Integrity	2. Content of Tests	3. Administration
<div>s. 22(1) Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch</div>	<div>Recommendeds. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)		
<div>s. 22(1) Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section</div>				
<div>S. Director Family Section</div>	<div>Cambridge - Recommended s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>			
<div>s. 22(1)(a) Director Migration Project Support Section</div>				

<div>s. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>s. 22(1) Director</div>		

Assessment Committee	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions			
	Test content:	Test – Administration:	Test - Staffing:	Test - Results:
<div>s. 22(1) Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch</div>	<div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>			
<div>s. 22(1) Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section</div>				
<div>s. Director Family Section</div>				
<div>s. 22(1)(a) Director Migration Project Support Section</div>				

<div>s. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section</div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>s. 22(1) Director</div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div></div> <div></div>

	BENCHMARKS				
Assessment Committee		1. Integrity	2. Content of Tests	3. Administration	4. Results
<div><div>s. 22(1)</div><div>Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch</div></div>	<div>Not recommended</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>1a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c (i). Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>(ii). Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>st.</div> <div>1d. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1e. Not applicable -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1f. Met benchmark - Live s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1g. Met benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1h. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1i. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) undertaken.</div> <div>1j. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1k. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Did not meet benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4c. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4d. Met benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4f. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div><div>s. 22(1)</div><div>Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section</div></div>		<div>1a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Met benchmark - Practices s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c. (i) Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>il.</div> <div>(ii) Did not meet benchmark - None mentioned.</div> <div>1d. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1e. Not applicable - None mentioned.</div> <div>1f. Exceeded benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1g. Exceeded benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1h. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1i. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1j. Did not meet benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1k. Did not meet benchmark - Not mentioned. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Exceeded benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2b. Exceeded benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2c. Did not meet benchmark - Not specified</div> <div>2d. Did not meet benchmark - Not specified</div>	<div>3a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Did not meet benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G</div>	<div>4a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4b. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4c. Exceeded benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4d. Met benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4f. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div><div>S.</div><div>Director Family Section</div></div>	<div>s. 47G(1)(a). Not recommended</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>1a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c. Met benchmarks. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1d. Did not meet benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1e. Not applicable.</div> <div>1f. Exceeds benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1g. Met benchmark - Stored securely at STEP HQ until just before test s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1k. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2c. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4c. Met benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Did not meet benchmark -s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4f. Met benchmark.</div>

<div>s. 22(1)(a) Director Migration Project Support Section</div>		<div>1a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c(i). Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) (ii) s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1d. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Not applicable. 1f. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) ts 1g. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1h. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Exceeded benchmark. 1k. Exceeded benchmark.</div>	<div>2a. Exceeded benchmark. 2b. Exceeded benchmark. 2c. Exceeded benchmark. 2d. Exceeded benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>4a. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Met benchmark. 4c. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4d. Met benchmark. 4e. Met benchmark. 4f. Met benchmark.</div>
<div>s. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section</div>		<div>1a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) (ii). Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1d. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Not applicable - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a). 1f. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1g. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a). 1h. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Met benchmark - P's. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark. 2b. Met benchmark. 2c. Met benchmark. 2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) Japanese privacy laws. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) s. 3b. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3c. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4c. Met benchmark. 4d. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4f. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>s. 22(1) Director</div>		<div>1a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) ? s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) t? 1d. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Not applicable - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) d. 1g. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1h. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark. 2b. Met benchmark s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2c. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2d. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d. Met benchmark. ?</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Met benchmark. 4c. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) performance database in world. Used to set cut scores and change in test design. 4d. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4f. Met benchmark.</div>

Assessment Committee	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions			
	Test content:	Test - Administration:	Test - Staffing:	Test - Results:

<div>s. 22(1) Chair</div> <div>Assistant Secretary</div> <div>Education and Tourism Branch</div>	Satisfactorily addressed one of two queries.	Did not address most queries due to insufficient information provided.	Did not address most queries due to insufficient information provided.	Addressed some queries however other queries rated as not applicable due s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
<div>s. 22(1) Member</div> <div>Director</div> <div>Strategic Migration Framework Section</div>	Satisfactorily addressed one of two queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Did not address most queries due to insufficient information provided.	Did not address most queries due to insufficient information provided.
<div>S. Director</div> <div>Family Section</div>	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Administrators/Invigilators identity checking training s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Most queries rated as not applicable. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
<div>s. 22(1)(a) Director</div> <div>Migration Project Support Section</div>				
<div>s. 22(1) Acting Director</div> <div>Document Examination Section</div>	Addressed all queries.	Did not satisfactorily address most queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Addressed some queries. Some queries rated as not applicable.	Some queries addressed. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
<div>s. 22(1) Director</div>	One of two queries not specifically addressed.	A number of queries were not addressed.	Queries were not addressed.	Queries were not addressed.

Assessment of Submission for Alternative English Language Tests for Student visa Purposes

Name of Test S. 47G(1)(a)

Assessment Committee	BENCHMARKS				
	Overall comments	1. Integrity	2. Content of Tests	3. Administration	4. Results
<div>S. Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch</div>	<div>Not recommended</div> <div>The submission was quite comprehensive and provided strong security and integrity features. However some of the benchmarks were not met. Most of the benchmarks which were not met related to: S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>1a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c(i). Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1d. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1e. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1f. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1g. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1h. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1i. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1j. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1k. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2c. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>3a. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4b. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4c. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4d. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4f. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>S. Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section</div>		<div>1a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Exceeded benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c(i). Exceeded benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c(ii). Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1d. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1e. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1f. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1g. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1h. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1i. Exceeded benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1j. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1k. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2c. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2d. Did not meet benchmark - Insufficient -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>3a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4b. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4c. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4d. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4f. Exceeded benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>
<div>S. Director Family Section</div>	<div>S. 47G(1) - Not recommended</div> <div>Overall, I considered this an impressive submission and that</div> <div>S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>1a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Exceeded benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1d. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1e. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1f. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1g. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1h. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1i. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1j. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1k. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2c. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4b. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4c. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4d. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4f. Met benchmark.</div>
<div>S. 22(1) Director Migration Project Support Section</div>		<div>1a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1d. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1e. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1f. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1g. Hard to establish from limited response</div> <div>1h. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1i. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1j. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1k. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4b. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4d. Did not meet benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4e. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4f. Met benchmark.</div>
<div>S. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section</div>	<div>S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>1a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1b. Exceeded benchmark (Maybe) -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1c. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1d. Met benchmark - Seems comprehensive.</div> <div>1e. Met benchmark - Seems comprehensive.</div> <div>1f. Met benchmark - Seems comprehensive.</div> <div>1g. Met benchmark - Encrypted storage</div> <div>1h. Met benchmark (Maybe) -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1i. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>1j. Met benchmark.</div> <div>1k. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2b. Met benchmark (Maybe) -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>2c. Met benchmark.</div> <div>2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3b. Met benchmark (Maybe) -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3c. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>3d. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark.</div> <div>4b. Met benchmark (Maybe) -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4c. Met benchmark (Maybe) - Inconclusive information</div> <div>4d. Met benchmark (Maybe) - Insufficient detail</div> <div>4e. Met benchmark -S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div> <div>4f. Met benchmark.</div>

<div>S Director</div>		<div>1a. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c(i). S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c(ii). Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1d S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Met benchmark. 1f. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1g. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1h. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>2a. Met benchmark. 2b. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2c. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2d. Met benchmark.</div>	<div>3a. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. Did not meet benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3c. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</div>	<div>4a. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) rk. 4b. Met benchmark. 4c. Met benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4d. Did not meet benchmark .S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark. 4f. Met benchmark.</div>

Assessment Committee	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions			
	Test content:	Test – Administration:	Test - Staffing:	Test - Results:
S. Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch	Satisfactorily addressed all queries.	Satisfactorily addressed all queries however the submission did not provide sufficient details.	Satisfactorily addressed all queries.	Satisfactorily addressed all queries however had some concerns. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
S. Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section	Satisfactorily addressed all queries. Based on assessment of submission.	Satisfactorily addressed all queries except for one s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) .	Satisfactorily addressed all queries s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed all queries except for one query s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
S. Director Family Section				
s. 22(1) Director Migration Project Support Section				
s. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section	Satisfactorily addressed one of two queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed all queries however had some concerns: s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed all queries however had some concerns: s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed all queries however had some concerns: s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
S. Director	Satisfactorily addressed all queries.	Satisfactorily addressed all queries.	Satisfactorily addressed most queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed most queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

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Name of Test S. 47G(1)(a)

Assessment Commit	Overall comments	BENCHMARKS			
		1. Integrity	2. Content of Tests	3. Administration	4. Results
S. 22(1) Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch	Not recommended S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	1a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1d. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Did not meet benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1f. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1g. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1h. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	2a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2b. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2c. Did not meet benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2d. Met benchmark.	3a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. Did not meet benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3c. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	4a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Met benchmark 4c. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4d. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4f. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
		1a. Did not meet benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark - Sufficient integrity measures in place 1c(i). Met benchmark - Sufficient fraud prevention measures in place (ii). Exceeded benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1d. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Did not meet benchmark - Testers - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1f. Exceeded benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1g. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1h. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. Exceeded benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Exceeded benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark - Met requirement	2a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2b. Did not meet benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2c. Did not meet benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2d. Did not meet benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	3a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3c. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	4a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Exceeded benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4c. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4d. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4f. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
S. Director Family Section	Not recommended S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	1a. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	2a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2b. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2c. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 2d. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	3a. Exceeded benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. Did not meet benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	4a. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4c. Met benchmark. 4d. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark - S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4f. Met benchmark.

<p>S. 22(1) Director Migration Project Support Section</p>	<p>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</p>	<p>1a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark. 1c(i). Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) (ii). Met benchmark. 1d. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1e. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1f. Did not meet benchmark. 1g. Met benchmark. 1h. Met benchmark. 1i. Met benchmark. 1j. Met benchmark. 1k. Met benchmark.</p>	<p>2a. Met benchmark. 2b. Met benchmark. 2c. Met benchmark. 2d. Met benchmark.</p>	<p>3a. Did not meet benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. 3c. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) e 3d. Met benchmark.</p>	<p>4a. Met benchmark. 4b. Met benchmark. 4c. Met benchmark. 4d. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark. 4f. Met benchmark.</p>
<p>S. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section</p>	<p>s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)</p>	<p>1a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark (Maybe) - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) ar. 1c(i). S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) (ii). Met benchmark. 1d. Met benchmark. 1e. Met benchmark (Maybe) - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1f. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1g. Met benchmark. 1h. Met benchmark. 1i. Met benchmark. 1j. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) OK.</p>	<p>2a. Met benchmark. 2b. Met benchmark. 2c. Met benchmark. 2d. Met benchmark.</p>	<p>3a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3c. Exceeded benchmark (Maybe) - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3d. Exceeded benchmark (Maybe) - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) .</p>	<p>4a. Met benchmark (Maybe) - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4b. Met benchmark. 4c. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4d. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4e. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 4f. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) .</p>
<p>S. Director</p>		<p>1a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1b. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1c. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1f. Met benchmark - Examiners recruited, trained and monitored to high standards. 1a. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1h. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1i. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1j. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 1k. Met benchmark.</p>	<p>2a. Met benchmark. 2b. Met benchmark. 2c. Met benchmark. 2d. Met benchmark.</p>	<p>3a. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) 3b. Met benchmark - s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) . 3c. Met benchmark. 3d. Met benchmark.</p>	<p>4a. Met benchmark. 4b. Met benchmark. 4c. Met benchmark. 4d. S. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) n? 4e. Met benchmark. 4f. Met benchmark.</p>

Assessment Committee	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions			
	Test content:	Test – Administration:	Test - Staffing:	Test - Results:
s. 22(1) Chair Assistant Secretary Education and Tourism Branch	Satisfactorily addressed all queries.	Satisfactorily addressed most queries except for one query. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) .	Did not satisfactorily addressed all queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed some queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a) part of BES policy of self assessment but does not provide details.
S. Member Director Strategic Migration Framework Section	Satisfactorily addressed one of two queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Did not satisfactorily addressed all queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed all queries except for two queries: s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
S. Director Family Section	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
s. 22(1) Director Migration Project Support Section				
s. 22(1) Acting Director Document Examination Section	Satisfactorily addressed all queries.	Satisfactorily addressed most queries except one query. Some concerns for other queries although have been rated as met. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Satisfactorily addressed all queries.	Satisfactorily addressed all queries.
S. Director		Satisfactorily addressed most queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Some concerns to responses to integrity queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)	Some concerns to responses to integrity queries. s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

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		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
1	Integrity						s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
a	Regular updating of test content to minimise potential for prior knowledge of test material. Frequency of updating would depend on rate of test usage.	Mandatory	X				
b	Measures in place, and practices observed, to minimise risk of identity substitution	Mandatory		X			
c	Document fraud prevention measures, including: * embedded photographic image of candidate and online results verification. * test reports must incorporate security features to prevent tampering and forgery.	Strongly Desirable	X				
		Mandatory	X				
d	Testing conditions	Mandatory	X				
e	If computer-based testing is used, in addition to the requirements at (d) above, measures to prevent candidates accessing other tools such as the internet must be in place.	Mandatory				X	
f	Standardised training and ongoing certification of test markers.	Mandatory		X			
g	Security of storage and control of test material to prevent unauthorised access.	Mandatory	X				
h	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers and invigilators have a competent level of English to enable them to fully understand the test marking policy and/or are able to understand and comply with directions concerning relevant security practices.	Mandatory		X			

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		Name of Test: S. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
1	Integrity						
a	Regular updating of test content to minimise potential for prior knowledge of test material. Frequency of updating would depend on rate of test usage.	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Measures in place, and practices observed, to minimise risk of identity substitution	Mandatory		X			
c	Document fraud prevention measures, including: * embedded photographic image of candidate and online results verification. * test reports must incorporate security features to prevent tampering and forgery,	Strongly Desirable	X				
		Mandatory	X				
d	d. Standardised testing conditions including invigilators trained in detection of inappropriate use of electronic devices, maximum invigilator:candidate ratio of 1:25, and secure and independent test centre locations.	Mandatory		X			
e	If computer-based testing is used, in addition to the requirements at (d) above, measures to prevent candidates accessing other tools such as the internet must be in place.	Mandatory		X			
f	Standardised training and ongoing certification of test markers.	Mandatory		X			
g	Security of storage and control of test material to prevent unauthorised access.	Mandatory		X			

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		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
h	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers and invigilators have a competent level of English to enable them to fully understand the test marking policy and/or are able to understand and comply with directions concerning relevant security pract	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
i	Markers, examiners i. Character checks conducted on clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators.	Desirable	X				
j	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators avoid any potential or perceived conflict of interest	Mandatory		X			
k	Maintain records of previously conducted tests for a minimum of two years for audit purposes and integrity checks.	Mandatory		X			
2	Content of Tests						s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
a	Testing instrument must measure all four English language skills, which are reading, writing, speaking and listening.	Mandatory		X			
b	Systems in place to ensure test validity and reliability	Strongly Desirable		X			
c	Stimulus materials should reflect type of materials candidates are likely to encounter in an Australian study context, and are drawn from a variety of cultural sources.	Desirable		X			
d	Oral materials should reflect the variety of world Englishes.	Desirable		X			

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	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					Comments
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
3	Administration						
a	Online verification of test scores facility, and preferably capacity for electronic transmission of test scores directly into DIAC systems..	Strongly Desirable		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Sufficient availability of testing centres to preclude the need for applicants to travel long distances to sit a test, particularly in Australia's key market/s.	Strongly Desirable		X			
c	Testing available in all centres with sufficient frequency to ensure that applicants do not experience unreasonable delay in being able to access the test	Strongly Desirable		X			
d	Reasonable cost to applicant to sit the test.	Mandatory		X			
4	Results						
a	Able to benchmark test scores against scores in other accepted DIAC tests (embedded in DIAC legislation) to ensure comparability of test results.	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Descriptors for each score in each test	Mandatory		X			
c	Test provider undertakes ongoing monitoring of short and long term performance trends and investigates unusual patterns and changes.	Mandatory		X			
d	d. Use of test by other institutions/authorities as an indicator of experience and international recognition.	Mandatory		X			
e	e. Results to be available to candidates within four weeks of sitting a test.	Strongly Desirable		X			

	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					
		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
f	Test results to be valid and available for verification for a period of at least two years.	Mandatory		X			

	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					Comments
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
1	Integrity						
a	Regular updating of test content to minimise potential for prior knowledge of test material. Frequency of updating would depend on rate of test usage.	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Measures in place, and practices observed, to minimise risk of identity substitution	Mandatory		X			
c	Document fraud prevention measures, including: * embedded photographic image of candidate and online results verification. * test reports must incorporate security features to prevent tampering and forgery,	Strongly Desirable		X			
		Mandatory	X				
d	d. Standardised testing conditions including invigilators trained in detection of inappropriate use of electronic devices, maximum invigilator:candidate ratio of 1:25, and secure and independent test centre locations.	Mandatory	X				
e	If computer-based testing is used, in addition to the requirements at (d) above, measures to prevent candidates accessing other tools such as the internet must be in place.	Mandatory				X	
f	Standardised training and ongoing certification of test markers.	Mandatory			X		
g	Security of storage and control of test material to prevent unauthorised access.	Mandatory			X		

	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					Comments
		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
h	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers and invigilators have a competent level of English to enable them to fully understand the test marking policy and/or are able to understand and comply with directions concerning relevant security pract	Mandatory	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
i	Markers, examiners i. Character checks conducted on clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators.	Desirable	X				
j	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators avoid any potential or perceived conflict of interest	Mandatory	X				
k	Maintain records of previously conducted tests for a minimum of two years for audit purposes and integrity checks.	Mandatory	X				
2	Content of Tests						
a	Testing instrument must measure all four English language skills, which are reading, writing, speaking and listening.	Mandatory			X		s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Systems in place to ensure test validity and reliability	Strongly Desirable			X		
c	Stimulus materials should reflect type of materials candidates are likely to encounter in an Australian study context, and are drawn from a variety of cultural sources.	Desirable	X				
d	Oral materials should reflect the variety of world Englishes.	Desirable	X				
3	Administration						

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	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					
		Name of Test: <div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
a	Online verification of test scores facility, and preferably capacity for electronic transmission of test scores directly into DIAC systems..	Strongly Desirable		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Sufficient availability of testing centres to preclude the need for applicants to travel long distances to sit a test, particularly in Australia's key market/s.	Strongly Desirable		X			
c	Testing available in all centres with sufficient frequency to ensure that applicants do not experience unreasonable delay in being able to access the test	Strongly Desirable	X				
d	Reasonable cost to applicant to sit the test.	Mandatory		X			
4	Results						
a	Able to benchmark test scores against scores in other accepted DIAC tests (embedded in DIAC legislation) to ensure comparability of test results.	Mandatory	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Descriptors for each score in each test	Mandatory	X				
c	Test provider undertakes ongoing monitoring of short and long term performance trends and investigates unusual patterns and changes.	Mandatory			X		
d	d. Use of test by other institutions/authorities as an indicator of experience and international recognition.	Mandatory		X			
e	e. Results to be available to candidates within four weeks of sitting a test.	Strongly Desirable	X				

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		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
f	Test results to be valid and available for verification for a period of at least two years.	Mandatory	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					
		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
1	Integrity						
a	Regular updating of test content to minimise potential for prior knowledge of test material. Frequency of updating would depend on rate of test usage.	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Measures in place, and practices observed, to minimise risk of identity substitution	Mandatory			X		
c	Document fraud prevention measures, including: * embedded photographic image of candidate and online results verification.	Strongly Desirable			X		
	* test reports must incorporate security features to prevent tampering and forgery,	Mandatory		X			
d	d. Standardised testing conditions including invigilators trained in detection of inappropriate use of electronic devices, maximum invigilator:candidate ratio of 1:25, and secure and independent test centre locations.	Mandatory		X			
e	If computer-based testing is used, in addition to the requirements at (d) above, measures to prevent candidates accessing other tools such as the internet must be in place.	Mandatory		X			
f	Standardised training and ongoing certification of test markers.	Mandatory	X				
g	Security of storage and control of test material to prevent unauthorised access.	Mandatory		X			

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		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
							s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
h	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers and invigilators have a competent level of English to enable them to fully understand the test marking policy and/or are able to understand and comply with directions concerning relevant security pract	Mandatory		X			
i	Markers, examiners i. Character checks conducted on clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators.	Desirable			X		
j	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators avoid any potential or perceived conflict of interest	Mandatory		X			
k	Maintain records of previously conducted tests for a minimum of two years for audit purposes and integrity checks.	Mandatory		X			
2	Content of Tests						
a	Testing instrument must measure all four English language skills, which are reading, writing, speaking and listening.	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Systems in place to ensure test validity and reliability	Strongly Desirable		X			
c	Stimulus materials should reflect type of materials candidates are likely to encounter in an Australian study context, and are drawn from a variety of cultural sources.	Desirable	X				
d	Oral materials should reflect the variety of world Englishes.	Desirable	X				
3	Administration						

	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					Comments
		Name of Test: <div>s. 47G(1)(a)</div>					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
a	Online verification of test scores facility, and preferably capacity for electronic transmission of test scores directly into DIAC systems..	Strongly Desirable		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Sufficient availability of testing centres to preclude the need for applicants to travel long distances to sit a test, particularly in Australia's key market/s.	Strongly Desirable	X				
c	Testing available in all centres with sufficient frequency to ensure that applicants do not experience unreasonable delay in being able to access the test	Strongly Desirable		X			
d	Reasonable cost to applicant to sit the test.	Mandatory		X			
4	Results						s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
a	Able to benchmark test scores against scores in other accepted DIAC tests (embedded in DIAC legislation) to ensure comparability of test results.	Mandatory		X			
b	Descriptors for each score in each test	Mandatory	X				
c	Test provider undertakes ongoing monitoring of short and long term performance trends and investigates unusual patterns and changes.	Mandatory	X				
d	d. Use of test by other institutions/authorities as an indicator of experience and international recognition.	Mandatory	X				
e	e. Results to be available to candidates within four weeks of sitting a test.	Strongly Desirable		X			

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		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
f	Test results to be valid and available for verification for a period of at least two years.	Mandatory			X		s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					Comments
		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
1	Integrity						s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
a	Regular updating of test content to minimise potential for prior knowledge of test material. Frequency of updating would depend on rate of test usage.	Mandatory	X				
b	Measures in place, and practices observed, to minimise risk of identity substitution	Mandatory		X			
c	Document fraud prevention measures, including: * embedded photographic image of candidate and online results verification. * test reports must incorporate security features to prevent tampering and forgery,	Strongly Desirable		X			
		Mandatory			X		
d	d. Standardised testing conditions including invigilators trained in detection of inappropriate use of electronic devices, maximum invigilator:candidate ratio of 1:25, and secure and independent test centre locations.	Mandatory		X			
e	If computer-based testing is used, in addition to the requirements at (d) above, measures to prevent candidates accessing other tools such as the internet must be in place.	Mandatory	X				
f	Standardised training and ongoing certification of test markers.	Mandatory			X		
g	Security of storage and control of test material to prevent unauthorised access.	Mandatory		X			

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		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
							s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
h	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers and invigilators have a competent level of English to enable them to fully understand the test marking policy and/or are able to understand and comply with directions concerning relevant security practice	Mandatory		X			
i	Markers, examiners i. Character checks conducted on clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators.	Desirable			X		
j	Systems in place to ensure that clerical test markers, examiners and invigilators avoid any potential or perceived conflict of interest	Mandatory			X		
k	Maintain records of previously conducted tests for a minimum of two years for audit purposes and integrity checks.	Mandatory		X			
2	Content of Tests						
a	Testing instrument must measure all four English language skills, which are reading, writing, speaking and listening.	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Systems in place to ensure test validity and reliability	Strongly Desirable	X				
c	Stimulus materials should reflect type of materials candidates are likely to encounter in an Australian study context, and are drawn from a variety of cultural sources.	Desirable	X				
d	Oral materials should reflect the variety of world Englishes.	Desirable	X				
3	Administration						

	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					Comments
		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
a	Online verification of test scores facility, and preferably capacity for electronic transmission of test scores directly into DIAC systems..	Strongly Desirable		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Sufficient availability of testing centres to preclude the need for applicants to travel long distances to sit a test, particularly in Australia's key market/s.	Strongly Desirable		X			
c	Testing available in all centres with sufficient frequency to ensure that applicants do not experience unreasonable delay in being able to access the test	Strongly Desirable		X			
d	Reasonable cost to applicant to sit the test.	Mandatory		X			
4	Results						
a	Able to benchmark test scores against scores in other accepted DIAC tests (embedded in DIAC legislation) to ensure comparability of test results.	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
b	Descriptors for each score in each test	Mandatory			X		
c	Test provider undertakes ongoing monitoring of short and long term performance trends and investigates unusual patterns and changes.	Mandatory		X			
d	d. Use of test by other institutions/authorities as an indicator of experience and international recognition.	Mandatory		X			
e	e. Results to be available to candidates within four weeks of sitting a test.	Strongly Desirable		X			

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	BENCHMARKS	Scoring Summary for Alternative English Language Test Submissions for Student Visa Purposes					
		Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)					
		Benchmark Requirement	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
f	Test results to be valid and available for verification for a period of at least two years.	Mandatory		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

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Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)

Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions					Comments
	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable		
Test content:						
Are test takers penalised in grading if their spelling is American English?		X				
How often is test content updated? Are the tests updated periodically or once a threshold number of tests is reached?	X					s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
Test – Administration:						
What is the process for test centre accreditation?	X					s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
What conditions need to be met to demonstrate facilities can ensure secure test administration?	X					
How often are the facilities accredited/audited?	X					

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				Comments
		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
	Is there a best practice model used by test centres?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	Are test day photos taken?	X				
	If so, are there any guidelines on acceptable test day photos? (eg: no glasses, ears showing)				X	
	Are periodic identity checks conducted on the test takers?		X			
	What security measures are required to monitor people entering test centres?	X				
	Are instructions on test day provided in English?		X			

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				
		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
	What is the process for test takers lodging a complaint about the test?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	Test - Staffing:					
	Does the organisation have a Code of Conduct for test administrators/invigilators and markers to adhere to?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	What pre-employment screening is performed during recruitment of test Administrators/Invigilators?	X				
	Are Administrators/Invigilators trained in identity checking?		X			
	If test day photos are taken, are Administrators trained in taking accurate same day test photos?				X	
	If test day photos are taken, who provides quality control over the same day test photos?				X	
	Test - Results:					

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				Comments
		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
	What are the quality controls for test results? Are results analysed to assess unusual trends eg: high proportion of high scores attained in one test?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	How are repeat test takers identified if they do not self identify?	X				
	If test day photos are taken, is the online score verification system be available with test day photos?					
	If test day photos are taken, what is the resolution/quality of photos on result reports?				X	
	How is access to the online score verification system scrutinised and managed?				X	
	Is access to the online verification system provided for a limited period?				X	

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				
		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
	Are reviews conducted on online verification access once granted?				X	s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)

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Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				
	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
Test content:					
Are test takers penalised in grading if their spelling is American English?		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
How often is test content updated? Are the tests updated periodically or once a threshold number of tests is reached?		X			
Test – Administration:					
What is the process for test centre accreditation?		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
What conditions need to be met to demonstrate facilities can ensure secure test administration?		X			
How often are the facilities accredited/audited?		X			

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				Comments
		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
	Is there a best practice model used by test centres?		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	Are test day photos taken?		X			
	If so, are there any guidelines on acceptable test day photos? (eg: no glasses, ears showing)		X			
	Are periodic identity checks conducted on the test takers?			X		
	What security measures are required to monitor people entering test centres?		X			
	Are instructions on test day provided in English?		X			

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				
		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
	What is the process for test takers lodging a complaint about the test?		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	Test - Staffing:					s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	Does the organisation have a Code of Conduct for test administrators/invigilators and markers to adhere to?		X			
	What pre-employment screening is performed during recruitment of test Administrators/Invigilators?		X			
	Are Administrators/Invigilators trained in identity checking?		X			
	If test day photos are taken, are Administrators trained in taking accurate same day test photos?		X			
	If test day photos are taken, who provides quality control over the same day test photos?		X			
	Test - Results:					

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				Comments
		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
	What are the quality controls for test results? Are results analysed to assess unusual trends eg: high proportion of high scores attained in one test?			X		s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	How are repeat test takers identified if they do not self identify?		X			
	If test day photos are taken, is the online score verification system be available with test day photos?	X				
	If test day photos are taken, what is the resolution/quality of photos on result reports?		X			
	How is access to the online score verification system scrutinised and managed?		X			
	Is access to the online verification system provided for a limited period?	X				

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				
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	Are reviews conducted on online verification access once granted?		X			Reviews conducted but would

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Name of Test: s. 47G(1)(a)

Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				
	Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	Comments
Test content:					s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
Are test takers penalised in grading if their spelling is American English?	X				
How often is test content updated? Are the tests updated periodically or once a threshold number of tests is reached?			X		
Test – Administration:					
What is the process for test centre accreditation?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
What conditions need to be met to demonstrate facilities can ensure secure test administration?	X				
How often are the facilities accredited/audited?	X				

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		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
	Is there a best practice model used by test centres?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	Are test day photos taken?		X			
	If so, are there any guidelines on acceptable test day photos? (eg: no glasses, ears showing)	X				
	Are periodic identity checks conducted on the test takers?	X				
	What security measures are required to monitor people entering test centres?			X		
	Are instructions on test day provided in English?	X				

	Integrity Questions	Assessment Committee Scoring on Integrity Questions				Comments
		Did Not Meet Benchmark	Met Benchmark	Exceeded Benchmark	Not Applicable	
	What is the process for test takers lodging a complaint about the test?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
	Test - Staffing:					
	Does the organisation have a Code of Conduct for test administrators/invigilators and markers to adhere to?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
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Are test takers penalised in grading if their spelling is American English?		X			s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
How often is test content updated? Are the tests updated periodically or once a threshold number of tests is reached?		X			
Test – Administration:					
What is the process for test centre accreditation?	X				s. 47E(d), s. 47G(1)(a)
What conditions need to be met to demonstrate facilities can ensure secure test administration?		X			
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