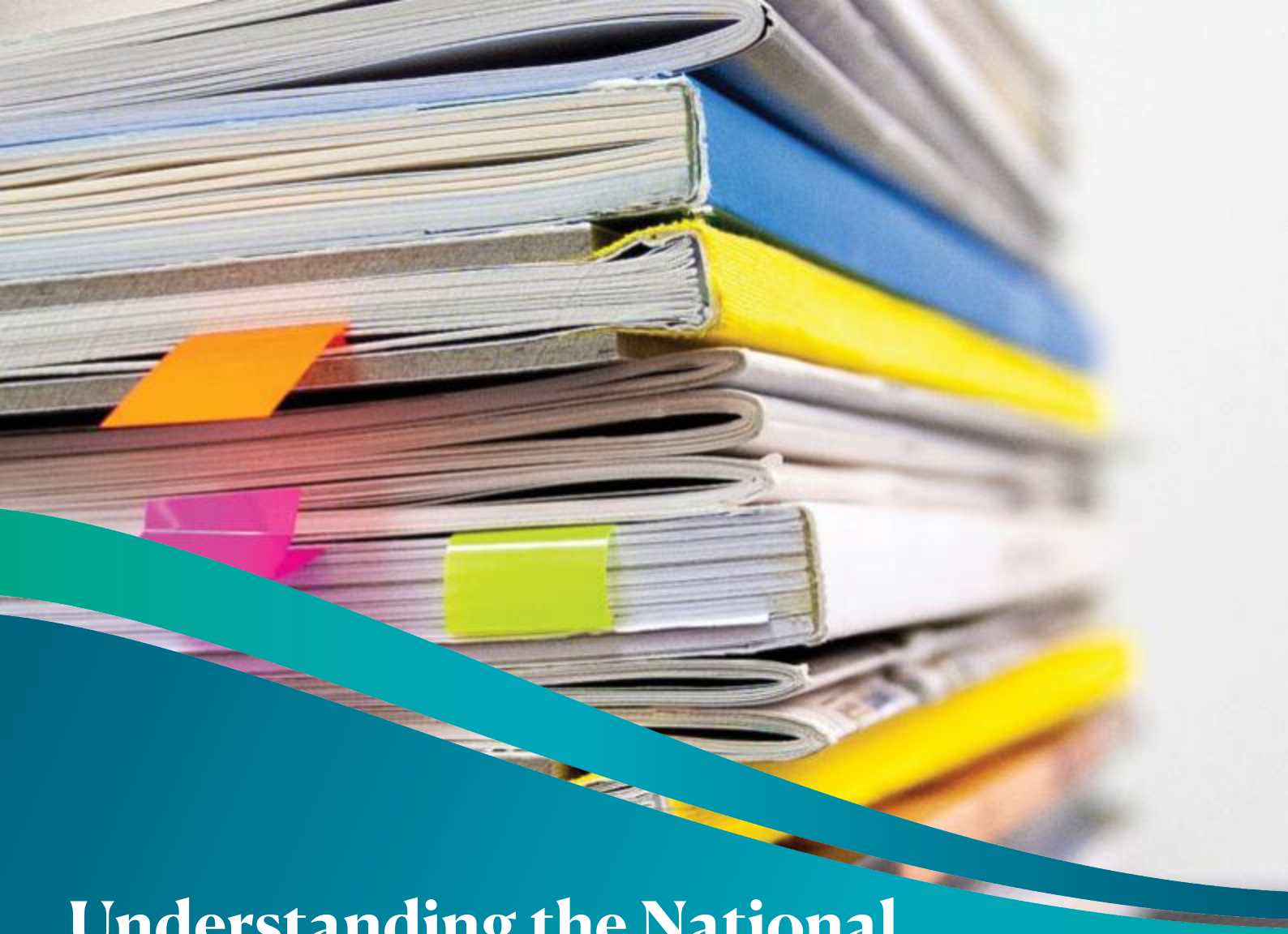


Understanding the National Utilities Code

Intakes
08/12/2026 (Christchurch)
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03/03/2027 (Auckland)

Duration
2 days

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Are you complying with the National Utilities Code?

THIS COURSE COVERS THE RECENTLY APPROVED 2024 VERSION OF THE CODE.

Its use is compulsory for all road and rail controlling authorities and utility network operators and their contractors for access to the road and rail corridors to install and maintain utility assets.

This essential course gives an intensive look at the Code from principles to specifics, and includes discussion on the roles and needs of the different parties. It is very interactive, including case studies and group discussions.

It is designed for corridor managers, utility operators, consultants and contractor staff who supervise work in the road and rail corridors. It covers interpreting the Code from start to finish and how to comply with the requirements of the Utilities Access Act 2010.

Topics include

- The context in which The Code operates
- Roles and responsibilities of all the parties
- Understanding the terms used in the Code
- General requirements of the Code
- Planning for new assets in the transport corridors
- Obtaining access to the corridors
- Reasonable conditions
- Procedures for working in the corridors
- Cost sharing
- Implementation issues from the NZ Utilities Advisory Group

On completion of this course participants will

- Understand the National Code of Practice for Utility Operators' Access to the Transport Corridors from cover to cover
- Understand the issues facing the different parties
- Use their course notes to assist them when seeking access to or working in a transport corridor
- Be familiar with their own specific responsibilities under the Code
- Comply with the Code as required by the Utilities Access Act 2010

Who should attend

Any-one who has responsibilities for administering or complying with the Code: corridor managers, administrators, road and railway asset managers, utility network operators, consultants, managers of people working in the road corridor.

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