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CILA Certificate - Frequently Asked Questions

Can any passes for any Cert CII papers be used for dispensation purposes against any CILA Cert papers. If so, how many and which ones?

Yes, this is possible, if you have passed Cert CII you may claim an exemption from CH1.

Has the Institute gained accreditation for the Cert from any body such as the Financial Services Skills Council?

Yes the qualification is on the National Qualification Framework and is recognised on the Apprenticeship Framework.

Are there any CPD requirements which need meeting in order to maintain the CILA Cert qualification?

No this will not be a requirement. However, it should be borne in mind that the CILA Code of Conduct does require individuals to keep their knowledge up to date.

In achieving the CILA Cert, are there any designatory letters which I can use after my name?

The CILA Cert will be recognised by CILA's Charter, and completion will provide the designation Cert CILA for members of the CILA.

How often will the exams be held?

The aim is for exams to be available on demand through use of a web application.

Where CII's Diploma or ACII is held, will any dispensations be given against the CILA Cert?

Should this situation arise, it is probably more beneficial for the individual to consider accessing the CILA route with a view to qualifying at CILA Diploma level. The exam(s) to then be taken to complete the qualification at that level is still to be agreed.

Will the designation Cert CILA be maintained if my CILA membership lapses?

Maintaining the Cert CILA designation is dependent on the individual maintaining their CILA membership.

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CILA Cert appears to be mainly property focussed - is it likely to be extended to other areas? If so, which ones and when?

The plan is for it to be extended with real possibilities already including Commercial, Motor and Liability. Availability of such new material will be driven by demand and the research undertaken by the CILA itself. Indeed there is an element of liability which will also assist with recoveries.

When will the CILA Diploma be available to take?

It is anticipated that access to CILA Diploma is likely to be available later in 2012.

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