

Please note the following changes to the Handbook

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4	<p>Eligibility to sit the Part I exam: This is a clarification, not a new requirement.</p> <p>If it is found that after the submission of an examination application form, a trainee has not met the eligibility criteria for sitting an examination/s, eg, insufficient accredited training time, the trainee will be withdrawn from the examination/s. The trainee will be eligible for a full refund of the examination fee.</p>
4 and appendix 1 (p23)	<p>From 2020 onwards, joint trainees will no longer be automatically exempt from the BPS examination</p>
24	<p>Success at the Phase 1 written examination is a pre-requisite for sitting the Phase 2 practical and test interpretation examinations. Candidates who fail one of the Phase 2 examinations but pass the other will not be required to re-sit the passed Phase 1 examination and/or the passed Phase 2 examination if these exams were passed at a sufficiently high standard and if the failed examination is undertaken in the following year.</p>