

# Additional feedback – December 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup>, 2016

## **Please see attached for information on results from CPA Canada. Detailed Exam Feedback**

In addition to the results posted in D2L, students have access to the Candidate portal which contains additional feedback on examination results. To access the Candidate Portal please use the link below.

<https://www.CertificationEnterprise.net/CPAcp/cpLogin.aspx>

When logging in to the Candidate Portal for the first time, your user ID and password will be the email address you have on file with CPAO. You will be requested to change your password when entering the site.

If you are having difficulties accessing your results, please email IT support at [cpSupport@CertificationEnterprise.com](mailto:cpSupport@CertificationEnterprise.com) using an external email address (do not use your D2L email).

### **Interpreting the feedback**

Results are presented based on competency area and each competency area will have a different weighting based on the blueprint for the examination. The blueprints for the Core modules are available on this page: <https://www.cpacanada.ca/en/become-a-cpa/cpa-professional-education-program-becoming-a-cpa/cpa-professional-education-program-core-modules/cpa-PEP-core-modules-evaluation> and for the electives <https://www.cpacanada.ca/en/become-a-cpa/cpa-professional-education-program-becoming-a-cpa/cpa-professional-education-program-elective-modules/cpa-PEP-elective-cases>

For example, in Core 1, 75% of the exam is objective-format with the following weightings:

- Financial reporting            50-70%
- Audit and assurance        10-30%
- Finance                         5-10%
- Taxation                        10-20%

Therefore, a result of Competent in Finance, will not equate to a Competent in Financial Reporting.

For the case, Core 1 focuses mainly on Financial Reporting, but will integrate one or two other competency areas. The weight assigned to each competency may not be equal, and the weighting may change from exam to exam.