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WHEREAS, Section 7 of RA 7796 provides for the revision in the membership of the TESDA Board by the President of the Philippines whenever deemed necessary;

WHEREAS, the health-care sector is among the high-priority sectors for the development of training regulations (TRs) and competency assessment;

WHEREAS, the health-care sector currently has promulgated training regulations in 14 qualifications where a total of 1,142 programs have been registered and 17,460 workers have been assessed and certified for the first semester of 2017;

WHEREAS, a number of qualifications in the health-care sector are included in the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangements (MRAs), the Philippines-Japan Economic Partnership Agreements (PJEPA) and similar international agreements;

WHEREAS, there have been continuing cooperative arrangements between TESDA and the DOH in the development of TRs and implementation of assessment and certification for middle-level health workers over the years;

WHEREAS, the criticality and quality of health-care provision and services is a high priority in the country's economic development and the quality of life of the Filipinos and peoples worldwide;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the TESDA Board recommends to the President of the Republic the inclusion of the Department of Health (DOH) in the government sector representatives of the TESDA Board:



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BE IT RESOLVED, FINALLY, that this Resolution shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation and disseminated to all concerned offices and stakeholders for their information and guidance, and the same shall be effective (15) days upon publication;

Adopted this 6th day June 2017.

ANNA LIZA A. DE GUZMAN Acting Board Secretary

Attested by:

USEC. DINA S. OCAMPO

Presiding Chairperson, TESDA Board Undersecretary, Department of Education