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APPROVING THE AMENDMENTS OF TOOLS, EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS (TEM), TRAINING FACILITIES(TF) AND TRAINERS' QUALIFICATIONS (TQ) OF THE SEVENTY-FIVE (75) TRAINING REGULATIONS UNDER VARIOUS SECTORS

WHEREAS, Section 14 (b) of Republic Act No. 7796 mandates that TESDA shall develop and establish a national system of skills standardization, testing, and certification and conduct research and development on various occupational areas to recommend policies, rules, and regulations for effective and efficient skills standardization, testing and certification system in the country;

WHEREAS, TESDA Board, as the national policy-making body of TESDA, issues Board Resolutions to approve and promulgate Training Regulations (TR) and Assessment Fees to serve as the minimum standards and requirements in the implementation of training programs;

WHEREAS, it is the policy of TESDA to review the Training Regulations (TR) promulgated by the TESDA Board after three (3) years of promulgation;

WHEREAS, given the recent developments in technology and current trends in the skills training, there is a pressing need to review the existing Training Regulations which provide for obsolete tools and equipment, training facilities and trainers' qualifications;

WHEREAS, during the Stakeholder's Dialogue (Luzon Cluster) on 03 March 2020, one of the concerns/issues raised therein is the obsolete tools, equipment, supplies, and materials prescribed in some Training Regulations;

WHEREAS, the Qualifications and Standards Office (QSO) reviewed the existing Training Regulations on various programs and recommended the omnibus amendments of the said Training Regulations, which prescribe the outdated tools, equipment, and materials, training facilities, and trainers' qualifications;

WHEREAS, before the approval of the Omnibus Amendments of the Tools, Equipment, and Materials (TEM), Training Facilities (TF), and Trainers' Qualifications

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(TQ), the QSO was instructed to review with the industry experts/practitioners, notably the TRs promulgated in 2017 and backward and to prioritize which are for a full review.

of the WHEREAS, on 17 February 2021, the QSO facilitated the Consultation Workshop with Industry Associations representatives/experts/practitioners and other relevant stakeholders. The workshop's output was a proposed/amended updated tools, equipment, materials, training facilities, and trainers' qualifications.

Development Committee (TB – SSSDC) held on 16 March 2021, the QSO presented the List of TRs for Review, including the reviewed obsolete Tools, Equipment, Materials (TEM), Training Facilities (TF), and Trainers' Qualifications (TQ). As noted, out of 306 Promulgated TRs, 217 are targeted/identified for review, of which 75 TRs have reviewed TEM, TF, and TQ and the remaining of which will be scheduled for review within the year; as which appears in Annex A, as herein appended

WHEREAS, in the same meeting, it was agreed by the SSSDC that same list of TRs for Review will be subject for consultation by TVIs before the Resolution of the TESDA Board; pies of this Resolution and the amnibus amendments of the existing Training

WHEREAS, on 19 and 29 of March 2021, the Technical Vocational Schools' Association (TVSA) conducted the review of TRs with updated TEM, TF and TQ endorsed by the QSO and submitted their output with twenty-seven (27) TRs reviewed on 07 April 2021;

WHEREAS, to provide more flexibility in the implementation of training programs, a list of alternative tools, equipment and materials which serve equivalent functions shall be provided as an Annotation to the list of TEM. Subject to availability of such TEM in the local market and in consideration of community practices, the annotation shall apply.

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- (3) All programs registered under the current seventy-five identified qualifications must comply with the requirements of the abovementioned Training Regulations. The one-year period of re-registration under this Training Regulations shall commence on the date of effectivity as indicated in the Implementing Guidelines/TESDA Circular for the deployment of the amended Training Regulations to be issued by the TESDA Secretariat; and
- (4) Graduates of TVET programs covered by the aforementioned Training Regulations shall be required to undergo mandatory assessment under the national assessment and certification program.

Approved this 11th day of May 2021.

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