

# Employers' Satisfaction Survey





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# Chapter 1 Background and Problem

#### **1.1 TESDA's** mandates

Section 2 of Republic Act 7796 or the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA) Act of 1994 stipulates TESDA is mandated to "provide relevant, accessible, high quality and efficient technical education and skills development in support of the development of high-quality Filipino middle-level manpower responsive to and in accordance with Philippine development goals and priorities."<sup>1</sup> Along with this, to promote partnership with public and private institutions in providing technical education and skills development opportunities.

Moreover, TESDA aims to deliver and establish quality technical education and skills development programs that meet global standards and instill moral values that give importance to "work ethic, self-discipline, self-reliance, and nationalism". Also, to address the fluctuating demands of industries for the middle-level workforce<sup>2</sup>.

To achieve the delivery of a quality TVET program, TESDA involves the industry in every step of the process from the prioritization, development and validation of the program. Likewise, TESDA encourages the engagement of the companies in the delivery of the TVET programs under the Enterprise-Based Training Modality.

#### **1.2** Who are the stakeholders in TVET projects

In general, technical and vocational education and training (TVET) stakeholders include the government, academe, sectoral groups, local and international organizations and other industries. Each plays an important role in the development and implementation of the TVET programs.

#### **1.3** Importance of determining the satisfaction of customers

The level of satisfaction of the stakeholders as well as the industry partners will provide an insight on how well a TVET graduate performs. This can serve as a basis on determining which areas in the training program need improvement so that a higher level of satisfaction will be obtained. Furthermore, knowing how satisfied the stakeholders are can be a measure on how effective the TVET and TESDA policies and strategies are as well as their training programs. The feedback from the stakeholders will serve as reference of the agency in the formulation of policies as well as corresponding programs that would support better delivery of services to its clients.

#### **1.4** The Employers Satisfaction Survey

Employers' Satisfaction Survey (ESS) serves as one of the monitoring and feedback mechanisms to evaluate the quality of TVET programs and support accountability and

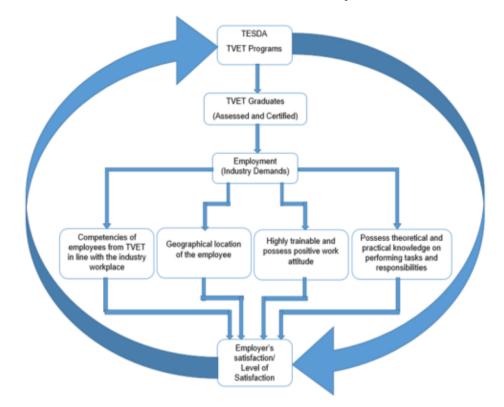
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> An Act Creating the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority, Providing for Its Powers, Structure and for Other Purposes, Rep. Act No. 7796, § 2, (August 25, 1994) (Phil.).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> An Act Creating the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority, Providing for Its Powers, Structure and for Other Purposes, Rep. Act No. 7796, § 3, (August 25, 1994) (Phil.).

performance of the system by determining the employer's satisfaction with the performance of TVET graduates in the workplace. The survey also functions as a key evaluation tool to measure the effectiveness of TESDA's system. It gives importance to the employers' insight on the competency levels and values of TVET graduates, as they are the primary beneficiaries. ESS also provides the employers' appraisal of the TESDA certification program and their concerns regarding TVET provision, certification, demand and supply of TVET workers, and other TVET-related areas. The feedback of the industry is fundamental in developing well-grounded TVET strategies and appropriate programs that meet the industries' requirements, which will benefit the industry, employers, and workers. The responses also aid in the advancement of technical education and skills development opportunities. Furthermore, the continual assessment of TVET programs and TVET graduates provides updated data on the changing demands of national and global industries.

The ESS seeks to determine the level of satisfaction of the employers on the competencies and performance of TVET graduates in the workplace. Specifically, the objectives are:

- 1. To provide general information on the industries' profile;
- 2. To determine the gap between the competencies of employed graduates with the skill requirements of the industry;
- 3. To identify the areas for improvement in TVET training provision; and
- 4. To gauge employers' acceptance of the assessment and certification program of TESDA.



## **Chapter 2** Theoretical Orientation and Conceptual Framework

Disconfirmation paradigm is a customer satisfaction theory that states how satisfaction depends on the previous standard that was already experienced before a new service appears and how it will measure up to that standard<sup>3</sup>. The outcomes and expectations will then be matched up. Disconfirmation happens if there is a difference between the outcomes and the expectations while Confirmation happens if the expectation is the same as the outcome<sup>4</sup>. In line with this study, the employers will be the "customers" who are experiencing the services of the TVET graduates as they work in the industry. The former's expectations will affect the level of satisfaction he/she will experience while working with the latter. Since TVET graduates came from the TESDA TVET program with assessment and certification, they will be employed depending on the demands of the industry and will then be subjected to the predetermined determinants of satisfaction that the employers have. Once the employers have assessed the work ethics and attitudes of the TVET graduates, it will then be reflected in the results of the Satisfaction Survey and will serve as a guide in making TVET programs much more effective for both TVET graduates and employers.

#### 2.1 Limitations of the Study

The study is focused on knowing the level of satisfaction of the respondents to their respective TVET employees regarding different aspects of work. The results will rely on the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Robert Christie Mill, A Comprehensive Model of Customer Satisfaction in Hospitality and Tourism: Strategic Implications for Management (International Business & Economics Research Journal, Volume 1, Number 6

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Atila Yüksel & Fisun Yüksel, Consumer Satisfaction Theories: A Critical Review (New York: Nova Science Publishers, 2008) 99

perception of the employer (respondents) as to their actual experience of interaction with the employed TVET graduates in the performance of their jobs, which will focus on the TVET graduates' competence to perform the tasks consistent with the required standards in the workplace. In line with this, it is outside the scope of the study to observe how TVET graduates work and how competent they are in performing their jobs in an actual setting.

In terms of the responses, the results describe only those employers who have participated in the survey, and cannot be generalized due to limitations and challenges in the data collection.

## Chapter 3 Chapter III: Methodology

#### 3.1 Nature and Design of the Study

The study utilized quantitative as an approach to research and descriptive research as its design, which will focus on the status of the employers regarding their satisfaction on TVET employees.

A quantitative approach is used in "generating inferences about a process or a phenomenon using quantifiable measurements of the characteristics of various stakeholders involved."<sup>5</sup> This type of approach also aims to make use of numerical data in order to explain what is observed with the use of a structured tool guide such as surveys and or questionnaires.<sup>6</sup>

Descriptive research is used to "describe, and interpret the current status of individuals, settings, conditions or events."<sup>7</sup> There are two types of quantitative research design which are often used: observational and survey research. In this particular study, survey research will be utilized. In this type of research, no attempt will be made in trying to manipulate the variables (individuals, conditions, events) since the researchers will simply study the phenomenon as it happens naturally.<sup>8</sup>

#### 3.2 Research Respondents (Population and Sampling)

The study obtained 305 responses from the private and public companies/establishments that were identified by TVET graduates as their employers. These TVET graduates were the randomly selected respondents for the 2018 and 2019 Study on the Employment of TVET graduates. The respondents consist of employers, HR supervisors, and employer's representatives who have direct operational responsibility for employing workers coming from TVET.

In terms of the Sampling Technique, the study applied Probability Sampling to acquire the respondents and responses needed. Probability Sampling is a technique wherein the "samples are selected in a way that all populations are given a nonzero chance of being included in the sample."<sup>9</sup> This technique will give the whole population a chance to be

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Lourdes M. Portus et al., Doing Social Science Research: A Guidebook (Quezon City: Philippine Social Science Council, 2018), 45

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Stuart McDonald and Nicola Headlam, Research Methods Handbook: Introductory guide to research methods for social research (Center for Local Economic Strategies, n.d.), 9

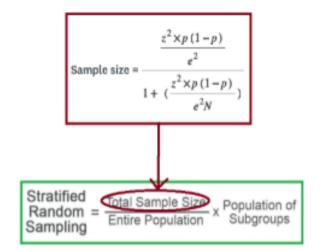
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Mertler, Quantitative Research Methods (Sage Publications, 2016), 111

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Ibid

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Ibid, 50-51

represented in the study. Moreover, two types of Probability Sampling will be used in the study: Stratified Random Sampling to identify the sample size per region, and Systematic Sampling to select the actual respondents who will participate in the study. Stratified random sampling falls under probability sampling technique, which divides a whole population into different subgroups, and a sample is taken from each stratum.<sup>10</sup> This method will allow the researchers to have a representative sample from each region included in the study. After computing for the sample size per stratum, systematic sampling will be used to choose the actual respondents from a target population by selecting a random starting point and select sample members after a fixed 'sampling interval.'"<sup>11</sup> This method is used to identify the skipping pattern in selecting the respondent. For the replacement respondents, Circular Systematic Sampling will be utilized to select the participants from the total population of the subgroup or region. Similarly, a sample is created "by skipping through k units every time until you select members of the entire population."<sup>12</sup> This enables the study to complete the indicated sample size per region and to identify the skipping pattern in selecting the respondent.

A total of 2,567 private and public establishments in 17 regions in the Philippines that are employing TVET graduates were considered as the population of the study. The study follows the formula below to obtain the sample size per region:



The calculated sample size per region is 335, however using the Stratified Random Sampling formula, the sum of all the sample sizes per region is rounded up to 344. Conversely, in Circular Systematic Sampling, the identified skipping pattern is rounded down. The formula K = N/n is followed to get the skipping pattern. Then, using a Random Generator to determine the starting point of the participant per region, the skipping number is added until the participants are selected from the entire population. The evaluation of the validity of the responses shows that the response rate is 89% or equivalent to 305 valid sample members.

<sup>11</sup> Systematic Sampling: Definition, Examples and Types." QuestionPro, 12 May 2020, www.questionpro.com/blog/systematic sampling/.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Hamed Taherdoost, Sampling Methods in Research Methodology; How to Choose a Sampling Technique for Research (Switzerland: Helvetic Editions LTD, 2016) 21

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> "Systematic Sampling: Definition, Examples and Types." QuestionPro, 12 May 2020, www.questionpro.com/blog/systematic sampling/.

The Regional and Provincial Offices were requested to provide contact information of the identified employer-respondents from their respective areas.

Search through the social media platforms and web browsers got "hits" and contributed to building the respondents' contact information.

Three hundred five (305) completed responses were documented. Among the regions, the following obtained the most number of responses: Region 4A(11.1%); Region 12(9.23%); Region 5(8.95) and Region 2(7.5%). On the other hand, the least number of responses (1.6%-4.3%) were from BARMM, Region 8 Region 4B, Caraga, and Region 3.

#### 3.3 Data Gathering Method and Instrument

A structured questionnaire was developed and sent to the target respondents through email and followed up through email and telephone calls.

The respondents were requested to answer an online questionnaire, which was developed using KoboToolbox. KoboToolbox is a free online-source tool that is made for field/mobile data collection. Its primary purpose is for humanitarians to be able to conduct data collection in challenging environments.<sup>13</sup>

The questionnaire is divided into five sections. Each section has a different set of questions depending on the category.

- Section 1: Company Representative
- Section 2: Company Profile
- Section 3: Overall Employers' Satisfaction Level (5 years of less)
- Section 4: Competencies of Workers and Industry Requirements
- Section 5: Satisfaction of Employers' in terms of the Assistance provided by TESDA

#### 3.4 Data Procedure

The research followed a step by step procedure in the data collection.

- 1. Identified the respondents that will be included in the survey (based from the computation and sampling)
- 2. Contacted the identified respondents through email or contact number (if email address is unavailable)
- 3. Send the structured questionnaire to identified respondents wherein they will be asked to rate their satisfaction with identified indicators.
- 4. Provided respondents time for them to answer the questionnaire.
- 5. Followed-up. Three follow-up attempts will be made to unresponsive respondents. First follow-up was made two (2) days after sending the initial email invitation. Second attempt will be made through phone call and the last attempt will also be made through phone call.
- 6. A replacement was facilitated for unresponsive respondents. Gathered data were processed based on the set objectives of the study.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Libya: How to use KoBo for UNHCR - led sectors (2016)

# **Chapter 4 Results of the Survey**

Based on the defined objectives of this survey and responses, the following results were obtained:

#### 4.1 **Profile of the Respondents-Employers**

The data on the profile of the respondent-employers shows that the majority (53.11%) of the respondents are operating for more than 21 years, where a number of them (38.03%) are operating from more than 30 years. A large percentage of the participating employers are from the private sector (64.92%) that are non-stock, non-profit corporations (22.95%) as presented in Table 2. On the other hand, a number of public sector entities, of national level (16%) and LGUs (13%) had participated.

| No. of Years in<br>Operation | Number of<br>Employers | %      |
|------------------------------|------------------------|--------|
| 1 - 10 years                 | 89                     | 29.18  |
| 11 - 20 years                | 54                     | 17.70  |
| 21 - 30 years                | 46                     | 15.08  |
| More than 30 years           | 116                    | 38.03  |
| Total                        | 305                    | 100.00 |

 Table 1. Distribution of Establishments by Number of Years in Operation

#### Table 2. Distribution of Establishments by Type of Organization

| Type of Legal Organization | Number of<br>Establishments | %     |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|
| A. Government              | 107                         | 35.08 |
| 1. National                | 50                          | 16.39 |
| 2. Local Government Unit   | 39                          | 12.79 |
| 3. GOCC                    | 9                           | 2.95  |
| 4. Others                  | 9                           | 2.95  |
| B. Private                 | 198                         | 64.92 |
| 1. Single proprietorship   | 47                          | 15.41 |
| 2. Partnership             | 10                          | 3.28  |
| 3. Stock corporation       | 47                          | 15.41 |

| Type of Legal Organization           | Number of<br>Establishments | %      |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| 4. Non-stock, non-profit corporation | 70                          | 22.95  |
| 5. Cooperative                       | 3                           | 0.98   |
| 6. Others                            | 21                          | 6.89   |
| Total                                | 305                         | 100.00 |

Most of the TVET graduates were observed in public administration, education and manufacturing industries. The data also conveys that there are establishments wherein the number of employed with NC or COC are more than the number of TVET graduates, indicating that the existing workers are getting the TESDA certification. This is evident in the following industries: 1) accommodation and food service; 2) transportation and storage; 3) financial and insurance; 4) mining and quarrying; 5) professional, scientific and technical; 6) wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles; 7) human health and social work; 8) administrative and support service; 9) construction and 10) information and communication.

| Table  | 3.    | Distribution | of | Establishments | by | Philippine | Standard | Industrial |
|--------|-------|--------------|----|----------------|----|------------|----------|------------|
| Classi | ficat | tion (PSIC)  |    |                |    |            |          |            |

| Industrial<br>Classification                              | No.<br>Employers | %     | No. of<br>Employed<br>TVET<br>Graduates | No. of<br>Employed<br>with NC<br>or COC | Total No. of<br>Employees |
|---|------------------|-------|---|---|---------------------------|
| Accommodations<br>and food service<br>activities          | 19               | 6.23  | 216                                     | 1,186                                   | 1,402                     |
| Administrative and<br>support service<br>activities       | 7                | 2.30  | 289                                     | 310                                     | 599                       |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing                         | 3                | 0.98  | 23                                      | 19                                      | 42                        |
| Construction  | 6                | 1.97  | 309                                     | 319                                     | 628                       |
| Education   | 115              | 37.70 | 3,286                                   | 2,072                                   | 5,358                     |
| Electricity, gas,<br>steam and air<br>conditioning supply | 6                | 1.97  | 448                                     | 328                                     | 776                       |
| Financial and insurance activities                        | 2                | 0.66  | 102                                     | 503                                     | 605                       |

| Industrial<br>Classification  | No.<br>Employers | %     | No. of<br>Employed<br>TVET<br>Graduates | No. of<br>Employed<br>with NC<br>or COC | Total No. of<br>Employees |
|---|------------------|-------|---|---|---------------------------|
| Human health and social work activities   | 11               | 3.61  | 182                                     | 206                                     | 388                       |
| Information and communication   | 1                | 0.33  | 3                                       | 5                                       | 8                         |
| Manufacturing   | 25               | 8.20  | 1,112                                   | 717                                     | 1,829                     |
| Mining and quarrying  | 1                | 0.33  | 5                                       | 193                                     | 198                       |
| Other service activities  | 1                | 0.33  | 10                                      | 10                                      | 20                        |
| Printing and<br>reproduction of<br>recorded media                               | 1                | 0.33  | 1                                       | 0                                       | 1                         |
| Professional,<br>scientific and<br>technical activities                         | 3                | 0.98  | 16                                      | 41                                      | 57                        |
| Public<br>administration and<br>defense;<br>compulsory social<br>security       | 67               | 21.97 | 7,292                                   | 1,291                                   | 8,583                     |
| Real estate<br>activities   | 2                | 0.66  | 22                                      | 22                                      | 44                        |
| Transportation and storage  | 3                | 0.98  | 79                                      | 552                                     | 631                       |
| Water supply;<br>sewerage, waste<br>management and<br>remediation<br>activities | 4                | 1.31  | 148                                     | 96                                      | 244                       |
| Wholesale and retail<br>trade, repair of<br>motor vehicles and<br>motorcycles   | 27               | 8.85  | 343                                     | 367                                     | 710                       |

| Industrial<br>Classification                                      | No.<br>Employers | %      | No. of<br>Employed<br>TVET<br>Graduates | No. of<br>Employed<br>with NC<br>or COC | Total No. of<br>Employees |
|---|------------------|--------|---|---|---------------------------|
| Wholesale trade<br>except of motor<br>vehicles and<br>motorcycles | 1                | 0.33   | 247                                     | 247                                     | 494                       |
| Total   | 305              | 100.00 | 14,133                                  | 8,484                                   | 22,617                    |

In terms of declared asset size/gross income, dominant among the participating private enterprises are in the microenterprise category. The respondents were either under the categories of a micro or small-size enterprise in terms of number of persons employed.

| Gross Income                                     | Number of Employers | %      |
|--|---------------------|--------|
| Micro enterprise<br>(less than ₱3,000,000)       | 62                  | 31.31  |
| Small enterprise<br>(₱3,000,001 - 15,000,000)    | 48                  | 24.24  |
| Medium enterprise<br>(₱15,000,001 - 100,000,000) | 34                  | 17.17  |
| Large enterprise<br>(₱100,000,001 and above)     | 54                  | 27.28  |
| Total  | 198                 | 100.00 |

\*107 respondents not included in this distribution are from the government agencies

| Number of Employees                           | Number of Employers | %      |
|---|---------------------|--------|
| Micro enterprise<br>(1 - 9 employees)         | 66                  | 33.33  |
| Small enterprise<br>(10 - 99 employees)       | 67                  | 33.83  |
| Medium enterprise<br>(100 - 199 employees)    | 23                  | 11.62  |
| Large enterprise<br>(200 and above employees) | 42                  | 21.21  |
| Total   | 198                 | 100.00 |

\*107 respondents not included in this distribution are from the government agencies

| Table 6. Distribution of Establishments | by Total | Number | of Workforce, | Number of |
|---|----------|--------|---------------|-----------|
| TESDA-certified workers                 | -        |        |               |           |

| Number of Workforce                              | No. of<br>Employers | Percentage<br>Distribution of<br>Employers | No. of<br>Skilled<br>Workers | No. of<br>TESDA<br>certified<br>workers |
|--|---------------------|--|------------------------------|---|
| Micro enterprise<br>(1 - 9 employees)            | 66                  | 33.33                                      | 1,103                        | 537                                     |
| Small enterprise<br>(10 - 99 employees)          | 67                  | 33.83                                      | 911                          | 811                                     |
| Medium enterprise<br>(100 - 199 employees)       | 23                  | 11.62                                      | 504                          | 566                                     |
| Large enterprise<br>(200 and above<br>employees) | 42                  | 21.21                                      | 2,695                        | 4,196                                   |
| Total  | 198                 | 100.00                                     | 14,133                       | 8,484                                   |

\*107 respondents not included in this distribution are from the government agencies

The data in Table 7A shows that 107 or 35% of the total respondent-employers have indicated that they have registered enterprise-based training. Forty-six percent have learnership programs and 38% are registered under DTS program.

Tables 7B provides the list of programs wherein respondent-employers have registered programs under the Enterprise-Based Training Programs. Majority are in the agriculture, tourism and construction sectors.

| Table 7A. Distribution of Establishment | which are | <b>TESDA-registered</b> | enterprise- |
|---|-----------|-------------------------|-------------|
| based training institutions             |           | _                       | -           |

| EBT Programs                                  | Number of Employers | %      |
|---|---------------------|--------|
| Dual Training System/Dual<br>Training Program | 41                  | 38.32  |
| Apprenticeship                                | 17                  | 15.89  |
| Learnership                                   | 49                  | 45.79  |
| Total   | 107                 | 100.00 |

#### Table 7B. List of TESDA-registered Training Courses under enterprise-based training

| No. | Apprenticeship                      |  |
|-----|-------------------------------------|--|
| 1   | Agricultural Crop Production        |  |
| 2   | Aircon Technician                   |  |
| 3   | Automotive Mechanics                |  |
| 4   | Automotive Servicing                |  |
| 5   | Bread Pastry                        |  |
| 6   | Casting Footwear                    |  |
| 7   | CNC Lathe Machine Operation NC II   |  |
| 8   | CNC Lathe Machine Operation NC III  |  |
| 9   | Cookery NC II                       |  |
| 10  | Customer Service                    |  |
| 11  | Driving                             |  |
| 12  | Driving On-Job-Training Fabrication |  |
| 13  | Electrician                         |  |
| 14  | Food And Beverage                   |  |
| 15  | Food And Beverage Training          |  |

| 16  | Housekeeping NC II                            |
|-----|---|
| 17  | Knitter                                       |
| 18  | Machine Mechanic Linker                       |
| 19  | Making Wiring Harness Assembly                |
| 20  | Milling Foundry                               |
| 21  | Organic Agriculture Production NC II          |
| 22  | Rubber Mobile Training Program                |
| 23  | Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC I        |
| 24  | Welding                                       |
| No. | Dual Training System/Dual Training Program    |
| 1   | Agricultural Crops                            |
| 2   | Agricultural Crops Production NC I            |
| 3   | Agricultural Crops Production NC III          |
| 4   | Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II     |
| 5   | Automotive Servicing                          |
| 6   | Automotive Servicing NC II                    |
| 7   | Automotive Wiring Harness Assembly NC II      |
| 8   | Bartending NC II                              |
| 9   | Beverages                                     |
| 10  | Bookkeeping NC III                            |
| 11  | Bread and Pastry Production NC II             |
| 12  | Caregiving NC II                              |
| 13  | Carpentry NC II                               |
| 14  | Computer Systems Servicing NC II              |
| 15  | Cookery NC II                                 |
| 16  | Dressmaking NC II                             |
| 17  | Driving NC II                                 |
| 18  | Electrical Installation and Maintenance NC II |

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|---|-----|---|
| 21       Events Management         22       Fertilizer         23       Food & Beverage Services NC II         24       Food And Beverage         25       Health Care Services NC II         26       HEO (Forklift) NC II         27       HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II         28       Hilot (Wellness Massage)         29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II | 19  | Electrical Installation Maintenance       |
| 22       Fertilizer         23       Food & Beverage Services NC II         24       Food And Beverage         25       Health Care Services NC II         26       HEO (Forklift) NC II         27       HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II         28       Hilot (Wellness Massage)         29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 20  | Electronic Products Assembly              |
| 23       Food & Beverage Services NC II         24       Food And Beverage         25       Health Care Services NC II         26       HEO (Forklift) NC II         27       HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II         28       Hilot (Wellness Massage)         29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 21  | Events Management                         |
| 24       Food And Beverage         25       Health Care Services NC II         26       HEO (Forklift) NC II         27       HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II         28       Hilot (Wellness Massage)         29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 22  | Fertilizer                                |
| 25       Health Care Services NC II         26       HEO (Forklift) NC II         27       HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II         28       Hilot (Wellness Massage)         29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 23  | Food & Beverage Services NC II            |
| 26       HEO (Forklift) NC II         27       HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II         28       Hilot (Wellness Massage)         29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 24  | Food And Beverage                         |
| 27       HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II         28       Hilot (Wellness Massage)         29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 25  | Health Care Services NC II                |
| 28       Hilot (Wellness Massage)         29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 26  | HEO (Forklift) NC II                      |
| 29       Hilot Wellness         30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 27  | HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II           |
| 30       Housekeeping NC II         31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 28  | Hilot (Wellness Massage)                  |
| 31       Masonry NC II         32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 29  | Hilot Wellness                            |
| 32       Organic Agriculture Production NC II         33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 30  | Housekeeping NC II                        |
| 33       Raise Chicken         34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 31  | Masonry NC II                             |
| 34       Security Health         35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 32  | Organic Agriculture Production NC II      |
| 35       Services Massage Therapy         36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 33  | Raise Chicken                             |
| 36       Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II         37       Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II         38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 34  | Security Health                           |
| <ul> <li>37 Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II</li> <li>38 Tile Setting</li> <li>39 Trainers Methodology Level 1</li> <li>40 Trouble Shooting</li> <li>41 Visual Graphic Design</li> <li>No. Learnership</li> <li>1 Agricultural Crops Production NC I</li> <li>2 Agroentrepreneurship NC II</li> <li>3 Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II</li> </ul>  | 35  | Services Massage Therapy                  |
| 38       Tile Setting         39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 36  | Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II   |
| 39       Trainers Methodology Level 1         40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 37  | Shielded Metal Arc Welding NC II          |
| 40       Trouble Shooting         41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 38  | Tile Setting                              |
| 41       Visual Graphic Design         No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II  | 39  | Trainers Methodology Level 1              |
| No.       Learnership         1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 40  | Trouble Shooting                          |
| 1       Agricultural Crops Production NC I         2       Agroentrepreneurship NC II         3       Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 41  | Visual Graphic Design                     |
| 2 Agroentrepreneurship NC II<br>3 Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | No. | Learnership                               |
| 3 Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II   | 1   | Agricultural Crops Production NC I        |
|   | 2   | Agroentrepreneurship NC II                |
| 4 Automotive  | 3   | Animal Production (Poultry-Chicken) NC II |
|   | 4   | Automotive                                |

| 5  | Baking   |
|----|--|
| 6  | Bartending NC II   |
| 7  | Bookkeeping NC III   |
| 8  | Bread Pastry   |
| 9  | Caregiving   |
| 10 | Computer Systems Servicing NC II                               |
| 11 | Contact Center Services NC II                                  |
| 12 | Cookery NC II  |
| 13 | Dressmaking  |
| 14 | Driving NC III   |
| 15 | Electrical Installation and Maintenance                        |
| 16 | Electrical Installation Maintenance                            |
| 17 | Electronic Products Assembly Servicing                         |
| 18 | Electronics Products Assembly and Servicing NC II              |
| 19 | English Language Proficiency                                   |
| 20 | Events Management  |
| 21 | Events Management Services                                     |
| 22 | Farmers Field School Food Beverage Services li                 |
| 23 | Farmers Field School On Production Of High Quality Inbred Rice |
| 24 | Front Office   |
| 25 | Health Care  |
| 26 | Healthcare   |
| 27 | Heavy Equipment Operation- Motor Grader NC III                 |
| 28 | HEO (Hydraulic Excavator) NC II                                |
| 29 | HEO Backhoe Loader   |
| 30 | Housekeeping NC II   |
| 31 | Housekeeping   |
| 32 | Japanese Language N5   |

| 33 | Masonry                                       |
|----|---|
| 34 | Organic Agriculture Production                |
| 35 | Plumbing                                      |
| 36 | Produce Concoction Extract                    |
| 37 | Produce Vegetables Fertilizer                 |
| 38 | Production Of High-Quality Inbred Rice        |
| 39 | PV Systems                                    |
| 40 | Raise Organic Chicken                         |
| 41 | Security Services NC II                       |
| 42 | Seed Certification And Farm Mechanization     |
| 43 | Services Visual Graphics Design               |
| 44 | Shielded Metal Arc Welding                    |
| 45 | Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC I        |
| 46 | Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) NC II       |
| 47 | Tile Setting                                  |
| 48 | Tour Guiding                                  |
| 49 | Troubleshooting Procedures Submersible Motors |

# 4.2 Employers Level of Satisfaction on the Performance of Employed Graduates vis-a-vis knowledge, skills and attitude

#### 4.2.1 Employers Satisfaction between TESDA Certified and Non-Certified Workers

TESDA-certified workers obtained very satisfactory results with an average of 4.45 while non-Certified workers obtained an average of 4.18 or satisfactory remarks, which indicates a difference of 0.27. Among the performance indicators, a large difference is observed on the effectiveness in delivery targets/goals.

 Table 8. Comparison of Employers' Overall Satisfaction Level to TVET Graduates who are TESDA-certified and Non TESDA-certified Workers

| Performance<br>Indicator                       |      | DA-certified<br>worker | TESDA-certified<br>worker Overall Sat |                | I Satisfaction |                   |
|--|------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| indicator                                      | Mean | Interpretation         | Mean                                  | Interpretation | Mean           | Interpretation    |
| Quality of Work                                | 4.48 | Very<br>Satisfied      | 4.20                                  | Satisfied      | 4.34           | Very<br>Satisfied |
| Efficiency in<br>accomplishing<br>work related | 4.43 | Very<br>Satisfied      | 4.20                                  | Satisfied      | 4.32           | Very<br>Satisfied |
| Effectiveness in delivering targets/goals      | 4.44 | Very<br>Satisfied      | 4.15                                  | Satisfied      | 4.30           | Very<br>Satisfied |
| Overall mean                                   | 4.45 | Very<br>Satisfied      | 4.18                                  | Satisfied      | 4.32           | Very<br>Satisfied |

Table 9 shows a statistically significant test result (P < 0.05), indicating that the null hypothesis must be rejected and the alternative hypothesis must be accepted. There is a significant difference in employers' overall satisfaction favoring the TESDA certified workers' to non-TESDA certified workers'. This could imply that TESDA-certified skilled individuals will be given priority during the hiring process.

| Table 9. Test of Significant Difference on Employers' Satisfaction between TVET |
|---|
| Graduates who are TESDA certified and Non-TESDA-certified Workers, by Industry  |

| Type of Worker             | Mean | T-value | P-Value  | Decisio<br>n | Remarks     |
|----------------------------|------|---------|----------|--------------|-------------|
| TESDA-certified worker     | 4.45 | 7.06    | < 0.0001 | Reject       | Significant |
| Non-TESDA certified worker | 4.18 | 7.00    | < 0.0001 | Ho           | Significant |

By industry classification, half of the employer-respondents indicated that they were more than satisfied (Table 10). Topping among the industries are from: 1) wholesale trade except of motor vehicles and motorcycles; 2) agriculture, forestry and fishing and 3) financial and insurance. Overall mean of least satisfaction points to 1) real estate; 2) administrative and support service and 3) transportation and storage.

Table 11 show the comparison by industry, of employers' satisfaction level to TVET graduates who are certified or non-certified.

Among the jobs, the respondent-employers required National Certificates on the following: 1) driver, 2) heavy equipment operators, 3) welder; 4) electricians, 5) TVET trainers; 6) bookkeeper, 7) computer technician, and 8) plumber.

| Industry Classification  | Mean | Interpretation |
|--|------|----------------|
| Accommodation and food service activities                            | 4.44 | Very Satisfied |
| Administrative and support service activities                        | 3.86 | Satisfied      |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing                                    | 4.89 | Very Satisfied |
| Construction   | 4.06 | Satisfied      |
| Education  | 4.32 | Very Satisfied |
| Electricity, gas, steam and air-conditioning supply                  | 4.28 | Very Satisfied |
| Financial and insurance activities                                   | 4.50 | Very Satisfied |
| Human health and social work activities                              | 4.14 | Satisfied      |
| Information and communication  | 4.00 | Satisfied      |
| Manufacturing  | 4.19 | Satisfied      |
| Mining and quarrying   | 4.00 | Satisfied      |
| Printing and reproduction of recorded media                          | 4.00 | Satisfied      |
| Professional, scientific and technical services                      | 4.22 | Very Satisfied |
| Public administration and defense; compulsory social security        | 4.24 | Very Satisfied |
| Real estate activities   | 3.67 | Satisfied      |
| Transportation and storage   | 3.89 | Satisfied      |
| Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities  | 4.42 | Very Satisfied |
| Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles | 4.03 | Satisfied      |
| Wholesale trade except of motor vehicles and motorcycles             | 5.00 | Very Satisfied |
| Others   | 4.50 | Very Satisfied |
| Overall Mean   | 4.23 | Very Satisfied |

Table 10. Employers' Overall Satisfaction Level, by Industry

Legend: 4.21 - 5.00 - Very Satisfied; 3.41 - 4.20 - Satisfied, 2.61 - 3.40 - Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied; 1.81 - 2.60 - Dissatisfied; 1.00 - 1.80 - Very Dissatisfied.

# Table 11. Comparison of Employers' Overall Satisfaction Level to TVET Graduateswho are TESDA-certified and Non TESDA-certified Workers, by Industry

| Industry Classification                                       | TESDA-ce | ertified worker | Non-TESDA certified<br>workers |  |  |  |
|---|----------|-----------------|--------------------------------|--|--|--|
| -   | Mean     | Interpretation  | Mean                           | Interpretation                           |  |  |
| Accommodation and food service activities                     | 4.61     | Very Satisfied  | 4.26                           | Very Satisfied                           |  |  |
| Administrative and support service activities                 | 3.86     | Satisfied       | 3.86                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing                             | 4.89     | Very Satisfied  | 4.89                           | Very Satisfied                           |  |  |
| Construction  | 4.06     | Satisfied       | 4.06                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Education   | 4.47     | Very Satisfied  | 4.16                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Electricity, gas, steam<br>and air-conditioning<br>supply     | 4.56     | Very Satisfied  | 4.00                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Financial and insurance activities                            | 4.50     | Very Satisfied  | 4.50                           | Very Satisfied                           |  |  |
| Human health and social work activities                       | 4.22     | Very Satisfied  | 4.06                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Information and communication                                 | 4.00     | Satisfied       | 4.00                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Manufacturing   | 4.42     | Very Satisfied  | 3.95                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Mining and quarrying  | 5.00     | Very Satisfied  | 3.00                           | Neither<br>Satisfied nor<br>Dissatisfied |  |  |
| Printing and reproduction of recorded media                   | N/A      | N/A             | 4.00                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Professional, scientific and technical services               | 4.56     | Very Satisfied  | 3.89                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Public administration and defense; compulsory social security | 4.35     | Very Satisfied  | 4.14                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |
| Real estate activities  | 3.67     | Satisfied       | 3.67                           | Satisfied                                |  |  |

| Industry Classification  | TESDA-cer           | tified worker  | Non-TESDA certified<br>workers |                |  |  |
|--|---------------------|----------------|--------------------------------|----------------|--|--|
|  | Mean Interpretation |                | Mean                           | Interpretation |  |  |
| Transportation and storage   | 3.89                | Satisfied      | 3.89                           | Satisfied      |  |  |
| Water supply, sewerage,<br>waste management and<br>remediation activities  | 4.50                | Very Satisfied | 4.33                           | Very Satisfied |  |  |
| Wholesale and retail<br>trade; repair of motor<br>vehicles and motorcycles | 4.12                | Satisfied      | 3.94                           | Satisfied      |  |  |
| Wholesale trade except<br>of motor vehicles and<br>motorcycles             | 5.00                | Very Satisfied | 5.00                           | Very Satisfied |  |  |
| Others   | 5.00                | Very Satisfied | 4.00                           | Satisfied      |  |  |
| Overall mean   | 4.40                | Very Satisfied | 4.08                           | Satisfied      |  |  |

Legend: 4.21 - 5.00 - Very Satisfied; 3.41 - 4.20 - Satisfied, 2.61 - 3.40 - Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied; 1.81 - 2.60 - Dissatisfied; 1.00 - 1.80 - Very Dissatisfied.

#### 4.3 Employers Rating on the Competencies of Workers

TESDA-certified workers were rated to be excellent across the main categories of workers' competencies (knowledge, skills and attitude). Nonetheless, certified workers need improvement (rated above average) specific to communication (either written or verbal) and general information technology skills. (Table 13).

Under knowledge, the possession of the technical skills and knowledge needed for the job obtained the obtained the highest mean rating of 4.37. Though the ability to solve routine and general work-related problems was rated lowest under the knowledge category.

On the skills category, ability to perform the task need for the job was rated highest (4.37). As mentioned earlier, the skills set needed for communication and for general IT skills were rated above average.

On the competencies related to attitude – certified workers do well in practicing occupational safety and health procedures. Though rated excellent, skills on decision making, entrepreneurship and emotional stability were rated lowest under this group.

Conversely employer-respondents rated the non-TESDA certified workers ratings to be above average across the work competencies (Table 12).

|  | Frequency (No. of Employers) |                  |         |                  |                      |     |                  |                |
|--|------------------------------|------------------|---------|------------------|----------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|
| Competencies   | Excellent                    | Above<br>Average | Average | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | Mean<br>(Rating) | Interpretation |
| Knowledge  |                              |                  |         |                  |                      |     | 4.05             | Above Average  |
| Awareness on the<br>organizational<br>policies/guidelines in<br>regard to processing<br>internal/external<br>responsibilities and<br>functions | 85                           | 131              | 64      | 2                | 1                    | 22  | 4.05             | Above Average  |

#### Table 12. Employers Frequency and Mean Rating on the Competencies of Non-TESDA-certified Workers

|   |           | Fre              | equency (No | . of Employe     | rs)                  |     | Maan             |                |
|---|-----------|------------------|-------------|------------------|----------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|
| Competencies  | Excellent | Above<br>Average | Average     | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | Mean<br>(Rating) | Interpretation |
| Understands occupational safety and health principles   | 93        | 119              | 66          | 4                | 1                    | 22  | 4.06             | Above Average  |
| Possesses technical skills<br>and knowledge needed<br>for the job   | 90        | 128              | 59          | 5                | 1                    | 22  | 4.07             | Above Average  |
| Has the ability to solve<br>routine and general<br>work-related problems  | 83        | 127              | 67          | 5                | 1                    | 22  | 4.01             | Above Average  |
| Skills  |           |                  |             |                  |                      |     | 4.04             | Above Average  |
| Has the ability to perform the task   | 109       | 121              | 52          | 1                | 1                    | 21  | 4.19             | Above Average  |
| Produce the required product/services   | 94        | 129              | 55          | 5                | 1                    | 21  | 4.1              | Above Average  |
| Communication skills<br>(written and/or verbal)<br>conciseness in receiving<br>and clarifying<br>messages/ information/<br>instruction; Interpersonal<br>and communication<br>skills; Communication | 81        | 118              | 78          | 6                | 1                    | 21  | 3.97             | Above Average  |

|  |           | Fre              | equency (No | . of Employe     | rs)                  |     | Maan             | Interpretation |
|--|-----------|------------------|-------------|------------------|----------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|
| Competencies   | Excellent | Above<br>Average | Average     | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | Mean<br>(Rating) |                |
| Possesses Computer or<br>General IT skills, as<br>applicable in the work<br>assignment   | 73        | 119              | 76          | 11               | 1                    | 25  | 3.9              | Above Average  |
| Has the ability to learn<br>new skills and knowledge<br>on the job; Learning and<br>Innovation;<br>Environmental Literacy            | 55        | 133              | 52          | 2                | 1                    | 22  | 4.14             | Above Average  |
| Apply critical thinking and<br>problem-solving<br>techniques; Critical<br>Thinking and Problem<br>Solving; information<br>management | 77        | 125              | 70          | 10               | 1                    | 22  | 3.95             | Above Average  |
| Attitude   |           |                  |             |                  |                      |     | 4.08             | Above Average  |
| Practices occupational safety and health procedures  | 99        | 130              | 52          | 2                | 1                    | 21  | 4.15             | Above Average  |
| Demonstrate<br>resourcefulness and<br>initiative in the conduct of<br>the work   | 98        | 123              | 57          | 5                | 1                    | 21  | 4.11             | Above Average  |

|  |           | Fre              | equency (No | . of Employe     | rs)                  |     | Maan             |                |
|--|-----------|------------------|-------------|------------------|----------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|
| Competencies   | Excellent | Above<br>Average | Average     | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | Mean<br>(Rating) | Interpretation |
| Demonstrate<br>perseverance and<br>discipline in accordance<br>with the work ethics and<br>company culture | 99        | 133              | 49          | 2                | 1                    | 21  | 4.16             | Above Average  |
| Demonstrate enthusiasm<br>in learning skills or the<br>latest advancement(s)<br>related to the job         | 91        | 140              | 49          | 3                | 1                    | 21  | 4.13             | Above Average  |
| Extraversion (sociability<br>and willingness to engage<br>with new people)                                 | 94        | 137              | 50          | 3                | 0                    | 21  | 4.14             | Above Average  |
| Openness to experience<br>(appreciation for novelty<br>and comfort with change)                            | 96        | 127              | 56          | 5                | 0                    | 21  | 4.11             | Above Average  |
| Decision-making<br>(confidence when<br>exercising authority and<br>committing to a course of<br>action)    | 79        | 128              | 69          | 6                | 1                    | 22  | 3.99             | Above Average  |

| Competencies   |           | Fre              | equency (No | . of Employe     | rs)                  |     | Mean     | Interpretation |
|--|-----------|------------------|-------------|------------------|----------------------|-----|----------|----------------|
|  | Excellent | Above<br>Average | Average     | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | (Rating) |                |
| Conscientiousness<br>(tendency to be<br>organized, responsible<br>and hardworking)                                       | 92        | 129              | 57          | 4                | 2                    | 21  | 4.1      | Above Average  |
| Grit (perseverance in the pursuit of long-term goals)  | 86        | 126              | 65          | 6                | 1                    | 21  | 4.04     | Above Average  |
| Emotional stability<br>(predictability and<br>consistency unemotional<br>reactions; the absence of<br>rapid mood change) | 73        | 140              | 65          | 4                | 2                    | 21  | 4.0      | Above Average  |
| Entrepreneurship   | 83        | 118              | 70          | 10               | 0                    | 24  | 3.98     | Above Average  |

Note: 4.21 - 5.00 - Excellent; 3.41 - 4.20 - Above Average, 2.61 - 3.40 - Average; 1.81 - 2.60 - Below Average; 1.00 - 1.80 - Needs Improvement

|  |           | Fr               | Maan    |                  |                      |     |                  |                |
|--|-----------|------------------|---------|------------------|----------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|
| Competencies   | Excellent | Above<br>Average | Average | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | Mean<br>(Rating) | Interpretation |
| Knowledge  |           |                  |         |                  |                      |     | 4.34             | Excellent      |
| Awareness on the<br>organizational<br>policies/guidelines in<br>regard to processing<br>internal/external<br>responsibilities and<br>functions | 128       | 121              | 31      | 1                | 0                    | 24  | 4.34             | Excellent      |
| Understands<br>occupational safety and<br>health principles  | 138       | 108              | 34      | 0                | 1                    | 24  | 4.36             | Excellent      |
| Possesses technical skills<br>and knowledge needed<br>for the job  | 133       | 121              | 26      | 1                | 0                    | 24  | 4.37             | Excellent      |
| Has the ability to solve<br>routine and general work-<br>related problems  | 123       | 122              | 34      | 0                | 2                    | 24  | 4.3              | Excellent      |
| Skills   |           |                  |         |                  |                      |     | 4.26             | Excellent      |
| Has the ability to perform the task  | 142       | 109              | 26      | 1                | 3                    | 24  | 4.37             | Excellent      |

|   |           | Fi               | Mean    |                  |                      |     |          |                |
|---|-----------|------------------|---------|------------------|----------------------|-----|----------|----------------|
| Competencies  | Excellent | Above<br>Average | Average | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | (Rating) | Interpretation |
| Produce the required product/services   | 131       | 110              | 37      | 2                | 1                    | 24  | 4.31     | Excellent      |
| Communication skills<br>(written and/or verbal)<br>conciseness in receiving<br>and clarifying messages/<br>information/ instruction;<br>Interpersonal and<br>communication skills;<br>Communication | 110       | 116              | 50      | 4                | 1                    | 24  | 4.17     | Above Average  |
| Possesses Computer or<br>General IT skills, as<br>applicable in the work<br>assignment  | 107       | 116              | 50      | 5                | 0                    | 27  | 4.17     | Above Average  |
| Has the ability to learn<br>new skills and knowledge<br>on the job; Learning and<br>Innovation;<br>Environmental Literacy   | 124       | 118              | 38      | 1                | 0                    | 24  | 4.3      | Excellent      |
| Apply critical thinking and<br>problem-solving<br>techniques; Critical<br>Thinking and Problem-   | 116       | 115              | 44      | 3                | 1                    | 25  | 4.22     | Excellent      |

|  | Frequency (No. of Employers) |                  |         |                  |                      |     |                  |                |
|--|------------------------------|------------------|---------|------------------|----------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|
| Competencies   | Excellent                    | Above<br>Average | Average | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | Mean<br>(Rating) | Interpretation |
| Solving; information management  |                              |                  |         |                  |                      |     |                  |                |
| Attitude   |                              |                  |         |                  |                      |     | 4.29             | Excellent      |
| Practices occupational safety and health procedures  | 140                          | 107              | 30      | 2                | 2                    | 24  | 4.36             | Excellent      |
| Demonstrate<br>resourcefulness and<br>initiative in the conduct of<br>the work                             | 130                          | 117              | 31      | 2                | 1                    | 24  | 4.33             | Excellent      |
| Demonstrate<br>perseverance and<br>discipline in accordance<br>with the work ethics and<br>company culture | 132                          | 113              | 33      | 1                | 2                    | 24  | 4.32             | Excellent      |
| Demonstrate enthusiasm<br>in learning skills or the<br>latest advancement(s)<br>related to the job         | 127                          | 117              | 34      | 2                | 1                    | 24  | 4.31             | Excellent      |
| Extraversion (sociability<br>and willingness to engage<br>with new people)                                 | 125                          | 118              | 34      | 3                | 1                    | 24  | 4.29             | Excellent      |

|  |           | Fr               | equency (No | . of Employe     | rs)                  |     | Mean     |                |
|--|-----------|------------------|-------------|------------------|----------------------|-----|----------|----------------|
| Competencies   | Excellent | Above<br>Average | Average     | Below<br>Average | Needs<br>Improvement | N/A | (Rating) | Interpretation |
| Openness to experience<br>(appreciation for novelty<br>and comfort with change)  | 130       | 116              | 31          | 2                | 1                    | 25  | 4.33     | Excellent      |
| Decision-making<br>(confidence when<br>exercising authority and<br>committing to a course of<br>action)                  | 117       | 120              | 39          | 3                | 1                    | 25  | 4.25     | Excellent      |
| Conscientiousness<br>(tendency to be<br>organized, responsible<br>and hardworking)                                       | 126       | 116              | 34          | 2                | 3                    | 24  | 4.28     | Excellent      |
| Grit (perseverance in the pursuit of long-term goals)  | 123       | 115              | 38          | 2                | 1                    | 26  | 4.28     | Excellent      |
| Emotional stability<br>(predictability and<br>consistency unemotional<br>reactions; the absence of<br>rapid mood change) | 113       | 123              | 41          | 2                | 1                    | 25  | 4.23     | Excellent      |
| Entrepreneurship   | 112       | 117              | 44          | 4                | 0                    | 28  | 4.22     | Excellent      |

Note: 4.21 - 5.00 - Excellent; 3.41 - 4.20 - Above Average, 2.61 - 3.40 - Average; 1.81 - 2.60 - Below Average; 1.00 - 1.80 - Needs Improvement

Cross-tabulation of the correlation on Employers' Satisfaction between a TESDA-certified and Non-TESDA-certified Workers by KSA (Knowledge, Skills, Attitude) implied that all active variables (competencies) reflect a significant remark. Under Knowledge test result, *p-value* is less than the set significance level (P < 0.05), showing that the null hypothesis must be rejected and the alternative hypothesis must be accepted - there is a significant difference in employers' satisfaction with TESDA certified workers' Knowledge as compared to non-TESDA certified workers' Knowledge. Statistics-wise, TESDA certified workers' Knowledge mean ( $\mu = 4.34$ ) is higher than the Non-TESDA certified workers ( $\mu = 4.05$ ). The same goes with the test results of Skills and Attitude variables; the deviation in terms of their mean showed that TESDA-certified workers were highly favorable. It also implied that employers preferred or were more satisfied with TESDA-certified workers compared to non-TESDA certified workers in terms of their Knowledge, Skills and Attitude competencies.

# Table 14. Test of Significant Difference on Employers' Satisfaction between a TESDA-certified and Non-TESDA-certified Workers, by KSA

| Knowledge                  |      |         |            |                  |             |  |
|----------------------------|------|---------|------------|------------------|-------------|--|
| Type of Worker             | Mean | T-value | P-Value    | Decision         | Remarks     |  |
| TESDA-certified worker     | 4.34 | -15.24  | < 0.00001  | Point Ho         | Significant |  |
| Non-TESDA certified worker | 4.05 | 15.24   | < 0.00001  | Reject <i>Ho</i> | Significant |  |
| Skills                     |      |         |            |                  |             |  |
| Type of Worker             | Mean | T-value | P-Value    | Decision         | Remarks     |  |
| TESDA-certified worker     | 4.26 | -3.87   | 0.0016     | Reject <i>Ho</i> | Significant |  |
| Non-TESDA certified worker | 4.03 | -3.07   |            |                  |             |  |
| Attitude                   |      |         |            |                  |             |  |
| Type of Worker             | Mean | T-value | P-Value    | Decision         | Remarks     |  |
| TESDA-certified worker     | 4.29 | -8.96   | < 0. 00001 | Reject <i>Ho</i> | Significant |  |
| Non-TESDA certified worker | 4.07 | -0.90   | < 0. 00001 |                  |             |  |

#### 4.4 Assistance Provided by TESDA to the Employers

The respondent employers were asked about the assistance being provided by TESDA especially to those with registered programs under EBT. In general, they are satisfied with the programs of TESDA. Among the assistance, the highest rating is observed on the conduct of skills training on existing workers with an average mean of 4.22 (satisfactory) and alignment of the skills program on the skills requirements with an average mean of 4.17 (satisfactory).

|   | Frequency (No. of Employers) |           |                                       |              |                      |     |                  |                |
|---|------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|
| Assistance  | Very<br>Satisfied            | Satisfied | Neither<br>Satisfied nor<br>Satisfied | Dissatisfied | Very<br>Dissatisfied | N/A | Mean<br>(Rating) | Interpretation |
| Availability of<br>Pool/supply of needed<br>workers                       | 101                          | 130       | 45                                    | 5            | 0                    | 24  | 4.16             | Satisfied      |
| Conduct of Skills<br>Training/skills<br>upgrading for existing<br>workers | 121                          | 114       | 47                                    | 3            | 1                    | 19  | 4.22             | Satisfied      |
| Conduct of Trainers<br>Training for possible in<br>company trainers       | 105                          | 124       | 49                                    | 4            | 1                    | 22  | 4.16             | Satisfied      |
| Fund allocation/<br>assistance for the                                    | 97                           | 111       | 58                                    | 7            | 4                    | 28  | 4.05             | Satisfied      |

#### Table 15. Frequency and Mean Satisfaction Level of Employers in Terms of the Assistance provided by TESDA

|  | Frequency (No. of Employers) |           |                                       |              |                      |     |                  |                |
|--|------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|-----|------------------|----------------|
| Assistance   | Very<br>Satisfied            | Satisfied | Neither<br>Satisfied nor<br>Satisfied | Dissatisfied | Very<br>Dissatisfied | N/A | Mean<br>(Rating) | Interpretation |
| training of existing workers   |                              |           |                                       |              |                      |     |                  |                |
| Fund allocation/<br>assistance for the<br>training of new entrants<br>in the workplace | 96                           | 109       | 58                                    | 8            | 4                    | 30  | 4.04             | Satisfied      |
| Involvement of industry<br>in the development of<br>programs                           | 101                          | 130       | 43                                    | 4            | 3                    | 24  | 4.15             | Satisfied      |
| Alignment of the<br>programs on the skills<br>requirements of the<br>industry          | 110                          | 124       | 41                                    | 7            | 2                    | 21  | 4.17             | Satisfied      |

Table 16 presents specific recommendations/suggestions of the respondentemployers, scholarship assistance and specific training to the needs of the industry is at the top. Further, it is worth mentioning that comments related to the TESDA training for foreigners is in the list of the respondent-employers.

| No. | Comments and Suggestions  |  |  |  |
|-----|---|--|--|--|
| 1   | Funding assistance for Training / Scholarship   |  |  |  |
| 2   | Provide Trainings specific to the needs of the industry   |  |  |  |
| 3   | TESDA partnerships with various Government Agency and Private Institutions in providing Training and Assessment |  |  |  |
| 4   | Training / Upgrading for TVL teachers and Tech Voc Trainers   |  |  |  |
| 5   | Training Qualification Review and Updating  |  |  |  |
| 6   | Align TVL Track competency to TESDA competency  |  |  |  |
| 7   | Better Online Transaction and Online Course including submission of Documents to TESDA                          |  |  |  |
| 8   | Create More Jobs  |  |  |  |
| 9   | Establishment of more TESDA Training Center   |  |  |  |
| 10  | Increase the pool of Trainers with TM   |  |  |  |
| 11  | Prompt provision of Toolkits to all TESDA Graduate  |  |  |  |
| 12  | Provision for more assessment schedule  |  |  |  |
| 13  | Provision of OJT after Training   |  |  |  |
| 14  | Emphasize To The Industry Employed Workers Who Are Expert In The Field<br>Of Works But Dont Have Yet NC         |  |  |  |
| 15  | Additional Manpower   |  |  |  |
| 16  | Be More Informative To All Your Clients. Keeping All The Clients Informed<br>Of Ahead Always                    |  |  |  |
| 17  | Excellent TESDA Programs Offered.   |  |  |  |
| 18  | Keep It Up!   |  |  |  |
| 19  | Kindly Offer Full Scholarship Trainings For Elementary Graduates Or Elementary Level                            |  |  |  |

 Table 16. Suggestion and Recommendations from the Respondents

| No. | Comments and Suggestions  |
|-----|---|
| 20  | More Training qualifications included in PAFSE  |
| 21  | Proper Coordination And Dissemination Of Trainings And Activities                                 |
| 22  | Provide Communication Skills Training   |
| 23  | Provision for Job Fairs   |
| 24  | Quick Response/Solutions To Our Problems Encountering Connected To The Qualifications We Offered. |
| 25  | TESDA Training for Foreigners   |
| 26  | Upgrading of Equipment in TESDA Schools   |

Table 17 conveys the overall rating of the employers in answering the survey. With the rating of 1-5, 5 being the highest, almost half of the respondents of 47.21% accounted for high satisfaction ratings.

| Rating | Count | %      |
|--------|-------|--------|
| 5      | 144   | 47.21  |
| 4      | 143   | 46.89  |
| 3      | 17    | 5.57   |
| 2      | 0     | 0.00   |
| 1      | 1     | 0.33   |
| Total  | 305   | 100.00 |

#### Table 17. Overall Satisfaction Rating

### **Chapter 5 Conclusion and Recommendation**

Based on the results of the study the following conclusions and recommendations were derived:

- 1. The recognition of the employers and workers to TVET assessment and certification is observed in the report. While the respondent-employers hire TVET graduates, certified workers are also present in their respective companies/industries; and for some industries, the number of certified workers is higher than graduates. This shows the presence of lifelong learning and the significance of recognition of acquired competencies either from formal education, training programs or actual work experience. It is therefore recommended that TESDA to continuously implement and even expand its programs on Competency Assessment and Certification for Workers (CACW), micro credentialing, among others.
- 2. The report disclosed that the majority of the respondents belong to these sectors, which both accounted 33% of the employers, which could be influenced by the capability of the micro and small enterprises to train their own workers could be one of the factors that influence them to hire TVET graduates and even certified individuals. To support these sectors, TESDA has to establish a defined program for the micro and small enterprises to ensure provision for the necessary support for the skills training programs to these sectors.
- 3. The results of the study show that a total of 35% of respondent-employers responded that they are implementing Enterprise-Based Training (EBT). It can be concluded that the training modality influences the employment of the TVET graduates. TESDA's initiatives to engage employers and implement EBT should be strengthened and expanded. A clear framework that will provide the corresponding strategies to ensure the implementation of the EBT should be

developed so that all concerned offices will work towards one direction/plan in strengthening EBT.

- 4. Significant difference is observed between the performance of those that are certified and non-certified workers, wherein certified workers were rated excellent and non-certified as above average. This indicates on the quality assessment and certification which validates the acquired competencies of the individual. Further, the alignment of industry requirements somehow reflects in the results of the study, which should be continuously done by the TESDA to ensure the quality of its program.
- 5. The assistance for the skills training of the existing workers is also recommended as the results disclosed that this is one of the areas suggested by the industries to be provided by TESDA. It is therefore recommended that TESDA will continuously implement those programs for the reskilling and upskilling of existing workers. Further, information dissemination on corresponding funding assistance through the existing scholarship programs of the agency, like the Tulong Trabaho and different programs of TESDA that they can avail should be facilitated to inform this group of the assistance that will help them in enhancing their skills.

#### Appendix I: Research Questionnaire/Tool

General Objective: To evaluate the levels of satisfaction of the employers on the competencies and performance of TVET graduates in the workplace

| Specific Objectives   | Expected Outputs   | Question   |
|---|--|--|
| Provide general<br>information on<br>industry/firm profile  | Industry profile where<br>TVET graduates are<br>employed   | <ul> <li>Respondent's profile         <ul> <li>Name</li> <li>Position/Designation</li> <li>Sex</li> <li>Contact information(address, email, phone)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Company profile         <ul> <li>Company profile</li> <li>Contact information (address, email, phone)</li> <li>Year established</li> <li>Type of organization/enterprise</li> <li>Industry classification</li> <li>Size of company (in terms of gross income)</li> <li>Total number of employees/workforce</li> <li>Total number of skilled workers</li> <li>Total number of skilled workers</li> <li>Industry classification</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| Determine the level<br>of satisfaction of<br>employers on<br>graduates' job<br>competencies vis-à<br>vis standards and<br>actual requirements<br>in the workplace | Employers level of<br>satisfaction on the<br>performance of employed<br>graduates in jobs vis-à-<br>vis knowledge, skills and<br>attitudes | <ul> <li>Overall level of satisfaction with<br/>the work and performance of<br/>TVET employees</li> <li>General employer satisfaction<br/>rating of graduates with<br/>TESDA or non TESDA certified<br/>training         <ul> <li>Quality of work</li> <li>Efficiency in accomplishing<br/>work related tasks</li> <li>Effectiveness in delivering<br/>targets/goals</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |
|   | Employers rating on the<br>competencies of workers<br>who are TVET graduates<br>with and without TESDA<br>certification<br>5 - Excellent   | <ul> <li>Knowledge</li> <li>Awareness on the organizational policies/ guidelines in regard to</li> </ul>   |

| Specific Objectives | Expected Outputs   | Question  |
|---------------------|--|---|
|                     | <ul> <li>4 - Above Average</li> <li>3 - Average</li> <li>2 - Below average</li> <li>1 - Needs improvement</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>processing internal/ external responsibilities and functions</li> <li>Possesses technical skills and knowledge needed for the job</li> <li>Has the ability to solve routine and general work-related problems</li> </ul>   |
|                     |  | <ul> <li>Skills</li> <li>Has the ability to perform the task</li> <li>Produce the required product/services</li> <li>Communication skills (written and/or verbal) conciseness in receiving and clarifying messages/ information/instruction; Interpersonal and communication skills</li> <li>Possesses Computer or General IT skills, as applicable in the work assignment</li> <li>Has the ability to learn new skills and knowledge on the job; Learning and Innovation; Environmental Literacy</li> <li>Apply critical thinking and problem-solving techniques; Critical Thinking and Problem Solving; information management</li> </ul> |
|                     |  | <ul> <li>Attitude</li> <li>Practices occupational safety<br/>and health procedures</li> <li>Demonstrate resourcefulness<br/>and initiative in the conduct of<br/>the work</li> <li>Demonstrate perseverance<br/>and discipline in accordance<br/>with the work ethics and<br/>company culture</li> <li>Demonstrate enthusiasm in<br/>learning skills or the latest<br/>advancement(s) related to the<br/>job</li> </ul>   |

| Specific Objectives  | Expected Outputs  | Question   |
|--|---|--|
|  |   | <ul> <li>Extraversion (sociability and willingness to engage with new people)</li> <li>Openness to experience (appreciation for novelty and comfort with change)</li> <li>Decision-making (confidence when exercising authority and committing to a course of action)</li> <li>Conscientiousness (tendency to be organized, responsible and hardworking)</li> <li>Grit (perseverance in the pursuit of long-term goals)</li> <li>Emotional stability (predictability and consistency unemotional reactions; the absence of rapid mood change)</li> <li>Entrepreneurship</li> </ul> |
| Determine the<br>satisfaction of the<br>employers in terms of<br>the assistance<br>provided by TESDA | Employers satisfaction<br>with TESDA assistance<br>5 - Very Satisfied<br>4 - Satisfied<br>3 - Neither Satisfied nor<br>Satisfied<br>2 - Dissatisfied<br>1 - Very Dissatisfied | <ul> <li>Availability of Pool/supply of<br/>needed workers</li> <li>Conduct of Skills Training/skills<br/>upgrading for existing workers</li> <li>Conduct of Trainers Training for<br/>possible in company trainers</li> <li>Fund allocation/ assistance for<br/>the training of existing workers</li> <li>Fund allocation/ assistance for<br/>the training of new entrants in the<br/>workplace</li> <li>Involvement of industry in the<br/>development of programs</li> <li>Alignment of the programs on the<br/>skills requirements of the<br/>industry</li> </ul>              |
| Suggestions and recommendations  | Recommendations to<br>further improve TESDA<br>programs   | <ul> <li>Comments, Suggestions and<br/>Recommendations for TESDA</li> </ul>  |
|  |   | <ul> <li>Overall survey experience rating<br/>(5 – highest; 1 – lowest)</li> </ul>   |

#### ANNEX

List of Existing Job/Occupations in the Respondents' Organizations/Enterprises that require TESDA certification

| No. | Job / Occupation                  | No. | Job / Occupation                                 |
|-----|-----------------------------------|-----|--|
| 1   | Driver                            | 41  | Appliance Technician / Assembler                 |
| 2   | Heavy Equipment<br>Operator       | 42  | Emergency Medical Technician                     |
| 3   | Trainer                           | 43  | Engineer   |
| 4   | Welder                            | 44  | Events Coordinator                               |
| 5   | Electrician                       | 45  | Farmer   |
| 6   | TVET Trainer                      | 46  | Massage Therapist                                |
| 7   | Bookkeeper                        | 47  | Office Staff                                     |
| 8   | Teacher                           | 48  | Accountant                                       |
| 9   | Computer Service<br>Technician    | 49  | Accounting Clerk                                 |
| 10  | Plumber                           | 50  | Administrative Clerk                             |
| 11  | Automotive Mechanic               | 51  | Administrative Officer                           |
| 12  | Baker                             | 52  | Ambulance Driver With Emergency Medical Services |
| 13  | Building Wiring Electrician       | 53  | Animator / Artist                                |
| 14  | Carpenter                         | 54  | Bartender  |
| 15  | Mechanic                          | 55  | Car Aircon Technician                            |
| 16  | Health Aide/ Nursing<br>Attendant | 56  | Chiller Operator                                 |
| 17  | Lineman                           | 57  | Clerk  |
| 18  | RAC Technician                    | 58  | College Professor                                |
| 19  | Security Guard                    | 59  | Computer Operator                                |
| 20  | Assessor                          | 60  | Customer Service Agent                           |
| 21  | Automotive Electrician            | 61  | Draftsman  |
| 22  | Caregiver                         | 62  | Farmer Entrepreneur                              |

| No. | Job / Occupation                         | No. | Job / Occupation             |
|-----|--|-----|------------------------------|
| 23  | Computer Programmer                      | 63  | Foreman                      |
| 24  | Cook                                     | 64  | Healthcare Service           |
| 25  | Dressmaker                               | 65  | Loan Officer                 |
| 26  | Housekeeping related Jobs                | 66  | Machine Mechanic             |
| 27  | Mason                                    | 67  | Manufacturing Staff          |
| 28  | Communication<br>Equipment<br>Technician | 68  | Medical Equipment Technician |
| 29  | Data Encoder                             | 69  | Motor Vehicle Inspector      |
| 30  | Food and Beverage<br>Service Attendant   | 70  | Operator                     |
| 31  | Front Office Agent                       | 71  | Principal                    |
| 32  | Machine Operator                         | 72  | Sales Technician             |
| 33  | Maintenance Staff                        | 73  | Scaffolder                   |
| 34  | Pharmacy Assistant                       | 74  | Tool Keeper                  |
| 35  | Pipe Fitter                              | 75  | Tractor Operator             |
| 36  | Processing Officer                       | 76  | Utility Worker               |
| 37  | Senior High School<br>Teachers           | 77  | Warehouse Staff              |
| 38  | Swine Raiser/Farmer                      | 78  | Waterworks System Operator   |
| 39  | Technician                               | 79  | Workshop Superintendent      |
| 40  | Visual Graphic<br>Artist/Designer        |     |                              |