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NIRMAN BHAWAN, NEW DELHI-110011

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Dear

This is in response to the clarifications sought by several States on the certification of candidates under the Employment through Skill Training & Placement (EST&P) component of NULM.

- 2. According to the EST&P guidelines, "the Certification Agency (CA) should be empanelled by the SULM based on quality, integrity and past record of the Agency", and agencies such as National Council of Vocational Training (NCVT), Sector Skill Councils (SSC) promoted by National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) national level industry associations, etc. can be empanelled. However, after issue of these guidelines certain developments have taken place regarding the system of certification, which are described in the following paragraphs.
- 3. The National Skills Qualification Framework (NSQF) notified by Government of India in 2013, accommodates the diversity of the Indian education and training system, allows development of outcome based qualifications at different levels, provides for progression pathways to move from one stream to another and underpins national regulatory and quality assurance. Further, it shall be mandatory for all training/educational programmes/courses to be NSQF-complaint after the fifth anniversary date of its notification. Therefore all trainees should be issued certificates through agencies authorised under NSQF. (http://www.skilldevelopment.gov.in/assets/images/Gazette EO NSQF.pdf)
- 4. The National Skills Qualification Committee (NSQC) vide the powers conferred on it under Clause 14 (i) (c) of NSQF has approved, inter alia, (i) National Council for Vocational Training, (ii) State Council for Vocational Training and (iii) Sector Sill Councils set up NSDC as non-statutory certification agencies.
- 5. SULMs requiring skill certification for trained candidates under NCVT, SCVT and SSCs can therefore, directly approach these agencies for certification without going through any other process of empanelment, as these agencies are approved by Government of India.
- 6. Candidates trained under the EST&P component of NULM adopting Modular Employability Skills (MES), can be assessed on the competencies prescribed in NCVT approved modules as direct candidates and successful candidates will be awarded NCVT certificate, which is recognised for the purpose of employment.

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- SULMs desiring to certify candidates under NCVT will have to notify a nodal officer in the State for interacting with Regional Directorate of Apprenticeship Training (RDAT) under M/o Skill Development & Entrepreneurship for the purpose of certification under NCVT. The nodal officer will declare Training centres of empanelled Skill Training Providers (STPs) in the State as Testing Centres and furnish the list of such Testing Centres to the respective RDAT, which will recognise those centres as Direct Testing Centres within 10 days of receipt of intimation. On receipt of list of candidates to be assessed by such Training Centres, RDAT will allot Assessing Body, which will upload the details of candidates to be assessed on the portal, and after assessment, upload the outcome of assessment on the portal. RDAT will then declare the result within three days of uploading of outcome of assessment by Assessing body and will issue certificates to Training Centres directly. A detailed procedure (including the contact details of RDATs and the fees for certification) to be adopted for assessments of candidates trained in EST&P under NCVT as conveyed by the Joint Secretary, M/o Skill Development & Entrepreneurship vide D.O. letter No. MSDE -10/2013-SDI/MES dated 8th July 2015 is enclosed as Annexure-1. It may be noted that the cost of assessment & certification is included in the training cost under EST&P. Also, no further negotiation is required on the fees prescribed for certification by NCVT as Government of India has already approved the fees.
- 8. SULMs desiring to obtain certification under Sector Skill Councils of NSDC have to follow the National Occupational Standards (NOS). Through an application to respective SSCs (a list, including contact details of SSCs is enclosed as **Annexure -2**), STPs can obtain a login id to the Skill Development Management System (SDMS) of NSDC wherein the required details of candidates to be assessed have to be entered by them. The respective SSCs, through their login id, are alerted on the candidates to be assessed from the training centres, the batch details, date of completion of course, etc. Accordingly, SSCs allot assessment agencies from among the list of accredited assessment agencies to conduct the assessment. Assessment agencies contact the training centre, conduct the assessment and upload the assessment result in SDMS. The SSCs then authorise the certification that is uploaded in SDMS in PDF form. Such certificates can be verified for authenticity through QR codes. The States can contact the respective SSCs for any further clarifications.

With regards,

Yours sincerely

(B.K. Agarwal)

Encl: As above

To: Principal Secretary / Secretary, Department of Urban Development of All States and UTs

Copy to : All Mission Directors - SULM

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Rajesh Agrawal, IAS Joint Secretary



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D.O.No. MSDE-10/2013-SDI/MES 8th July, 2015

Kindly refer to telecon regarding assessments of candidates trained under MES courses of Skill Development Initiative (SDI) Scheme, in Employment through Skills Training & Placement (EST&P) Scheme of your Ministry. In this regard, it is informed that candidates trained in above referred courses will be assessed on the competencies prescribed in NCVT approved modules as direct candidates and successful candidates will be awarded NCVT certificate which is recognized for the purpose of employment. It is informed that this Ministry has initiated action to align courses/modules of SDI scheme with NSQF and 22 courses/modules have already been made NSQF compliant. The detailed procedure to be adopted for carrying out the assessments of the candidates trained in the above referred scheme as direct candidates under SDI scheme is attached herewith.

Yours sincerely,

Encl: As above.

Shri B.K. Agrawal, IAS Joint Secretary Ministry of Housing & Urban Poverty Alleviation Nirman Bhawan New Delhi

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## Procedure to be adopted for assessments of candidates trained in Employment Through Skills Training & Placement (EST& P)

- (a) State Urban Livelihood Mission will notify a nodal officer in the State for interacting with Regional Directorate of Apprenticeship Training under Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship.
- (b) The nodal officer will declare the Vocational Training Centre as Testing Centre and will furnish the list of such Testing Centres to the respective RDAT with intimation to Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship and the concerned State. (List of RDATs is enclosed alongwith States under their control)
- (c) Such Centre will be recognized by RDAT as Direct Testing Centre within 10 days of receipt of intimation.
- (d) RDAT will ensure inspection of such centre within one month through itself or third party monitoring agencies.
- (e) VTC will furnish the list of candidates to be assessed to the respective RDAT alongwith name of the module(s) and tentative date of assessment.
- (f) After receipt of list of candidates, RDAT will allot Assessing Body through random selection.
- (g) Assessing Body will upload the details of the candidates on the portal for getting Assessment Batch Number from RDAT.
- (h) Assessing Body in consultation with VTC will decide the date of assessment.
- (i) Assessing Body will inform the date of assessment to the RDAT and State Urban Livelihood Mission.
- (j) Assessing Body will upload the outcome of assessment on SDI portal within three days of the assessment
- (k) RDAT will declare the result within three days of uploading of outcome of assessment by the Assessing Body.
- (I) RDAT will issue certificates to the VTC directly.
- (m) VTC will give assessment fee at the rate of Rs. 800 per candidate to the Assessing Body after declaring the result by the RDAT.

## Regional Directorate of Apprenticeship Training (RDAT)

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5	Beauty & Wellness	Beauty & wellenss Sector Skill Council	Ms Annu Wadhwa	anuw21@hotmail.com; beautywellness.ssc@cii.in	Beauty & wellenss Sector Skill Council, 405-406, 4th Floor, DLF City Court, M G Road, Sikanderpur, Gurgaon - 122002	
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