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**TO:** NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP SYSTEM STAKEHOLDERS

OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP STAFF

STATE APPRENTICESHIP AGENCIES

**FROM:** JOHN V. LADD /s/

Administrator, Office of Apprenticeship

**SUBJECT:** New National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for the Pennsylvania College of Technology.

1. **Purpose.** To inform the staff of OA, State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of the New National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for the Pennsylvania College of Technology.
2. **Action Requested.** This bulletin is being provided to OA staff for informational purposes only. The Region II, Regional Office will be responsible for maintenance and technical assistance regarding this program.
3. **Summary and Background.**
   1. Summary – These new National Program Standards of Apprenticeship, submitted Nicholas J. Burdick, Multi-State Navigator, Region II, Regional Office, were processed by Ricky Godbolt and approved by the OA Administrator on October 11, 2023.
   2. Background –

***NPS Background -*** National Program Standards of Apprenticeship are programs that are registered by OA on a national basis and that consist of occupational standards which: (1) are developed and sponsored by an employer, national trade or industry organization, labor organization, educational institution, or consortium; (2) are demonstrably national or multi-State in their design, suitability, and scope based on consideration of the National Program Standards criteria (detailed below); and (3) comply with the regulatory requirements contained in 29 CFR Part 29 and 29 CFR Part 30.

1. **New Program Standards.** These new National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for the Pennsylvania College of Technology for the following occupation will be serviced by Region II, Regional Office of Apprenticeship:

CNC Operator and Programmer (Existing Title: CNC Set-Up Program Milling and Turning)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 51-9162.00

RAPIDS CODE: 1100CB

Training type: Competency-Based

Industrial Manufacturing Technician

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 17-3026.00

RAPIDS CODE: 2031CB

Training type: Competency-Based

Maintenance Technician (Existing Title: Industrial Maintenance Mechanic)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 49-9041.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0308CB

Training type: Competency-Based

Mechatronics Technician

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 49-2094.00

RAPIDS CODE: 2014CB

Training type: Competency-Based

Plastics Processing Technician-Extrusion (Existing Title: Extruder Operator [Plastic])

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 51-4021.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0185CB

Training type: Competency-Based

Plastics Processing Technician-Injection Molding (Existing Title: Injection Molding Machinist Operator)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 51-4072.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0246CB

Training type: Competency-Based

Robotics Technician

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 17-3024.01

RAPIDS CODE: 3002CB

Training type: Competency-Based

1. **Inquiries.** If you have any questions, please contact Nicholas J. Burdick, Multi-State Navigator, Region II, Regional Office at (215) 861-4835.
2. **Attachments.** None.