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| Symbols: DPSP/SHS | Action: Immediate | |
| **PURPOSE:** To inform the staff of OA, State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors, and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of a new apprenticeable occupation:    Industrial Sewing Machine Operator  O\*NET-SOC Code: 51-6031.00  RAPIDS Code: 2058  Training Term: 2,065 hours  Type of Training: Time-Based  **BACKGROUND:** Ms. Tatjana Hutnyak, Executive Director, The Makers Coalition submitted the following occupation: Industrial Sewing Machine Operator for apprenticeability determination.  Industrial Sewing Machine Operators operate sewing machines to join, reinforce, decorate, or perform related sewing operations in the manufacture of non-garment products. Industrial Sewing Machine Operator will be added to the List of Occupations Recognized as Apprenticeable by OA when the list is reissued. A suggested Work Process Schedule and Related Instruction Outlines are attached.  If you have any questions, please, contact Stephen Sage, Program Analyst at (202) 693-3221.  **ACTION:** OA staff should familiarize themselves with this bulletin and the attached Work Process Schedule and Related Instruction Outline, as a source for developing apprenticeship standards and/or providing technical assistance.  **NOTE:** This bulletin is being sent via electronic mail.  Attachments | | |