

**J-17060/215/2014-Aajeevika Skills
Government of India
Ministry of Rural Development
Department of Rural Development
(Aajeevika Skills Division)**

New Delhi, dated 19th August 2014

Notification No.19/2014

Subject: Change in NCVT Curriculum vide DGET-19/06/2014-CD and related issues -reg

I am directed to refer to section 3.2.2.2.2 in the Aajeevika Skills Guidelines 2013, which provides that course content for skilling courses may be certified by National Council for vocational training (NCVT) or the Sector Skill Council (SSC) for the specific trade or any other agency notified for the purpose by the Ministry of Rural Development, or in special cases certification by nationally acknowledged proprietary training brands approved by the Ministry of Rural Development. Similarly clause (ii) in section 3.2.2.2.6 of the Aajeevika Skills Guidelines provides for independent third party certification and assessment of the course curriculum and skill level of the trainees under Aajeevika Skills by third party agencies empanelled by NCVT or SSC or notified by Ministry of Rural Development. Self certification is also permissible for established brands provided the Ministry has approved this in advance. However the process for assessment and empanelment of certifying agencies in the ministry is still underway in consultation with the stakeholders and the Ministry cannot take up any requests for the empanelment of agencies under the Aajeevika Skills Guidelines at present.

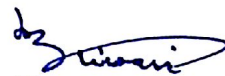
2. It has been brought to the notice of the Ministry that recently Ministry of Labour and Employment (MoL&E) has revised the curricula of NCVT courses vide no. DGET-19/06/2014-CD. All modules have been changed and clubbed together for long duration (500-600 hours). This does not fit-in the mandated duration of training under Aajeevika Skills.

3. A clarification has been sought on the above as PIAs have been sanctioned NCVT courses under Aajeevika Skills which are shorter in duration and doesn't fit under revised NCVT curriculum.

4. It is clarified that PIAs are free to align their NCVT curriculum to National Occupational Standards (NOS) under respective SSCs; however information may be provided to ASD and monitoring agencies as per enclosed format.

5. In respect of trades for which QPs under NOS are not available, PIAs may bring the same to the notice of MoRD. ASD, MoRD may facilitate interim arrangement with respective SSCs through National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) for provisional curriculum compliance certificate, assessment and certifications.

6. This issues with the approval of competent authority.



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To

1. All Secretaries (in-charge) of Rural Development in State Governments.
2. All State Nodal Agencies for Skill/ SRLM
3. All Registered Project Implementing Agencies
4. All officials in Aajeevika Skills Division, MoRD
5. All officials in Rural Livelihoods Division, MoRD
6. Guard File
7. Shri Osama S. Abu- with a request to ensure that this notification is uploaded on the website.

Sl.No	Name PIAs	Project No	Current Trades Under NCVT	Proposed QP Mapped Under NOS	SSC

Notes :

This needs to be on letter head of PIA

Letter to be sent by Authorized Signatory of PIA as per PRN records

This letter should be subject of 3rd party Certification from NCVT to SSC

Please make a letter and then include format as above