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| OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP  BULLETIN | **NO.**  2023-127 |
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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 Apprenticeable Occupation: Disk Jockeys, Except Radio

1. **Purpose.** To inform the staff of OA, State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors, and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of the following new apprenticeable occupation: Disk Jockeys, Except Radio
2. **Action Requested.** 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.

Disk Jockeys, Except Radio will be added to the List of Occupations Recognized as Apprenticeable by OA located on www.apprenticeship.gov. A suggested Work Process Schedule and Related Instruction Outline are attached.

1. **Summary and Background.**
   1. Summary – The occupation Disk Jockeys, Except Radio was submitted by Mr. Joe Hall, CEO, on behalf of JBlendz Enterprises NFP, were processed by Joseph P. Taylor and approved by the OA Administrator on August 26, 2023.
   2. Background –

***New/Revised Occupation Background -*** Under 29 CFR section 29.4, an occupation for a RAP must meet the following criteria to be determined apprenticeable:

1. Involve skills that are customarily learned in a practical way through a structured, systematic program of on-the job supervised learning:
2. Be clearly identified and commonly recognized throughout an industry;
3. Involve the progressive attainment of manual, mechanical, or technical skills and knowledge which, in accordance with the industry standard for the occupation, would require the completion of at least 2,000 hours of on-the-job learning to attain; and
4. Require related instruction to supplement the on-the job learning.
5. **New Apprenticeable Occupation.** The occupation Disk Jockeys, Except Radio was submitted for an apprenticeability determination.

Disk Jockeys, Except Radio

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 27-2091.00

RAPIDS CODE: 3059CB

Type of Training: Competency-based

Average Term: 2000 Hours

Disk Jockeys, Except Radio duties are:

Connecting with listeners, arranging playlists, presenting commercials, performing interviews, taking music requests, and generating interest in the show or event. A DJ will also be required to MC public events, do promotions, perform, and do meet and greets

1. **Inquiries.** If you have any questions, please, contact Joseph P. Taylor, Program Analyst at 202-693-3960.
2. **Attachments.**

