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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:** Revised National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for LaunchCode.

1. **Purpose.** To inform the staff of OA, State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of revised National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for LaunchCode.
2. **Action Requested.** This bulletin is being provided to OA staff for informational purposes only. The National Office of Apprenticeship will be responsible for maintenance and technical assistance regarding this program.
3. **Summary and Background.**
	1. Summary – These revised National Program Standards of Apprenticeship, submitted by Kate Verrill, Senior Director of People Operations, LaunchCode were processed by Ricky Godbolt and approved by the OA Administrator on December 21, 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. **Revised Program Standards.** These revised National Program Standards of Apprenticeship for LaunchCode for the following occupation will be serviced by the National Office of Apprenticeship:

Software Developer (Existing Title: Application Developer)

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 15-1252.00

RAPIDS CODE: 1129

Training type: Time-Based

1. **Inquiries.** If you have any questions, please contact Ricky Godbolt, National Office of Apprenticeship at Godbolt.Ricky.C@dol.gov .
2. **Attachments.** None.