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| OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP  BULLETIN | **NO.**  2025-72 |
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**TO:** NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP SYSTEM STAKEHOLDERS

OFFICE OF APPRENTICESHIP STAFF

STATE APPRENTICESHIP AGENCIES

**FROM:** MEGAN BAIRD /s/

Acting Administrator, Office of Apprenticeship

**SUBJECT:** New National Standards of Apprenticeship for the Machinists Institute

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 Standards of Apprenticeship for the Machinists Institute.
2. **Action Requested.** This bulletin is being provided to OA staff for informational purposes only. The Region VI, Regional Office will be responsible for maintenance and technical assistance regarding this program.
3. **Summary and Background.**
   1. Summary – These new National Standards of Apprenticeship, submitted by Mrs. Alma Almachar, Apprenticeship Administrator on behalf of the Machinists Institute, were processed by Kirk Jefferson and approved by the Acting OA Administrator on April 10, 2025.
   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 Standards of Apprenticeship for the Machinists Institute for the following occupation will be serviced by Region VI, Regional Office of Apprenticeship:

Machinist

O\*NET-SOC CODE: 51-4041.00

RAPIDS CODE: 0295

Training type: Time-based

Fabrication Welder

(Existing Title: Welder, Combination)

O\*NET-SOC Code: 51-4121.00

RAPIDS Code: 0622

Training type: Time-based

Heavy Duty Equipment Mechanic

(Existing Title: Maintenance Mechanic)

O\*NET-SOC Code: 49-3031.00

RAPIDS Code: 0022

Training type: Time-based

Industrial Machinery Technician

(Existing Title: Industrial Maintenance Mechanic)

O\*NET-SOC Code: 49-9041.00

RAPIDS Code: 0308

Training type: Time-based

Trailer, Container and Van Repair Mechanic

(Existing Title: Truck Body Builder)

O\*NET-SOC Code: 49-3021.00

RAPIDS Code: 0598

Training type: Time-based

1. **Inquiries.** If you have any questions, please contact Corinna Pereira, Multi-State Navigator, Region VI, Regional Office of Apprenticeship, at (702) 388-6772 or pereira.corinna.j@dol.gov.
2. **Attachments.** None.