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PURPOSE: To inform the staff of OA and the State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA), Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of the approval of new National Standards of Apprenticeship for the U.S. Government Printing Office (GPO).

BACKGROUND: These new National Standards of Apprenticeship submitted by Mr. Douglas Davis, Curriculum Manager, WDET, GPO was approved by the OA Administrator on November 6, 2014. The new National Apprenticeship Standards for GPO, for the occupations of Keyboarder/Proofreader (Existing Title: Compositor); Offset Plate Maker/Pre-press (Existing Title: Lithographic Platemaker); Offset Pressperson (Existing Title: Offset Press Operator I); and Bookbinder will be serviced by the OA National Office.

If you have any questions, please contact Stephen Sage, Apprenticeship and Training Representative, Division of Standards and National Industry Promotion, at 202-693-3221.

ACTION: This bulletin is being provided to OA staff for informational purposes only. The OA National Office will be responsible for maintenance and technical assistance regarding this program.

NOTE: This bulletin is being sent via electronic mail.