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<p>PURPOSE: To inform the OA and the State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAA) staff, Registered Apprenticeship program sponsors and other Registered Apprenticeship partners of new National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards for the Water Environment Federation.</p> <p>BACKGROUND: These new National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards submitted by Mr. Jeffrey Eger, Executive Director, Water Environment Federation, approved by the OA Administrator on November 1, 2012. These new National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards are a model for developing local apprenticeship programs registered with the OA or a SAA for the Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator occupation.</p> <p>ACTION: The OA staff should familiarize themselves with this bulletin. A copy of the new National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards and the Work Process Schedule and Related Instruction Outlines are attached.</p> <p>If you have any questions, please contact Doug McPherson, Apprenticeship and Training Representative, Division of Standards and National Industry Promotion, at (202) 693-3783.</p> <p>NOTE: This bulletin is being sent via electronic mail.</p> <p>Attachments</p> <p>NEW NATIONAL GUIDELINES FOR APPRENTICESHIP STANDARDS STANDARDS OF APPRENTICESHIP APPENDIX A APPENDIX B APPENDIX C APPENDIX D</p>		