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**PURPOSE:** To transmit to OA and State Apprenticeship Agencies (SAAs) staff notification of new National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards for the occupation of Assembler, Pre-engineered Metal.

**BACKGROUND:** These National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards, submitted by Mr. Gary Smith of Thomas Phoenix International, Inc., on behalf of the Metal Building Institute, were approved by the OA Administrator on February 22, 2010. These National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards are a model for developing local apprenticeship programs registered with OA or a SAA for the occupation Assembler, Pre-engineered Metal, listed in these National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards.

A copy of the new National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards is attached for your information.

If you have any questions, please contact Ken Lemberg at (202) 693-3836.

**ACTION:** OA & SAA staff should familiarize themselves with the attached National Guidelines for Apprenticeship Standards.

**NOTE:** This bulletin is being sent via electronic mail.