# Republic of the Philippines TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY East Service Road South Superhighway, Taguig City

#### 86th TESDA BOARD MEETING

18 September, 2013, Wednesday; 3:00 p.m.
7th Floor TESDA Board Room, Office of the Chair Taguig City

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## APPROVING THE ASSESSMENT FEE FOR SHIP'S CATERING SERVICES NCI AND SHIP'S CATERING SERVICES NCII

WHEREAS, Section 8, paragraph 9 of the Republic Act No. 7796 otherwise known, as TESDA Act of 1994, empowers the TESDA Board to "exact reasonable fees and charges for such tests and training conducted and retain such earnings for its own use, subject to guidelines promulgated by the Authority";

WHEREAS, in the 46th TESDA Board Meeting held last 19 May 2005, the TESDA Board Members approved Board Resolution No. 2005-07 on the "Adoption of the Guidelines in the Implementation of the Philippine TVET Qualification and Certification Systems";

WHEREAS, Section 7 of the Guidelines in the Implementation of the Philippine TVET Qualification and Certification Systems provides that the assessment fees shall be based on the cost of supplies and materials as well as administrative expenses including the assessor's honoraria, power and utilities, depreciation and maintenance costs. Assessment fees shall be subject to change to allow any possible adjustments due to the cost increases;

WHEREAS, there is a need to promulgate the corresponding assessment fees to facilitate the assessment and certification of thousands of Filipino seafarers who must comply with the requirements of the Maritime Labour Convention (MLC), 2006 that came into force last 20 August 2013;

WHEREAS, the proposed assessment fee of Six Hundred Pesos (Php600.00) for Ship's Catering Services NCI (Messman) and One Thousand Three Hundred Pesos (Php1,300.00) for Ship's Catering Services NCII (Ships' Cook) considered the following cost elements: administrative cost, supplies and materials (consumable and reusable), depreciation cost for tools and equipment, cost of power and utilities, assessor's fee and fixed cost incurred by the accredited assessment centers. The computation of the assessment fees as presented during the 66th Finance Committee TESDA Board-TESDA-Secretariat Consultation Meeting held on 05 September 2013 shall form as an integral part of this Resolution:

WHEREAS, the National Tax Research Center (NTRC) has been commissioned by TESDA to review the existing fees and charges and the result thereof shall be submitted to the TESDA Board;

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WHEREAS, during the 66th Finance Committee TESDA Board-TESDA Secretariat Consultation Meeting held on 05 September 2013, the Members of the Finance Committee TESDA Board-TESDA Secretariat favorably endorsed for consideration and approval of the TESDA Board the assessment fees for Ship's Catering Services NCI and Ship's Catering Services NCI;

WHEREAS, during the 83<sup>rd</sup> EXCOM-TESDA Board Meeting on 09 September 2013 at 2:00 p.m., the members of the EXCOM-TESDA Board agreed to recommend for the approval of the TESDA Board the aforesaid assessment fees for Ship's Catering Services NCI and Ship's Catering Services NCI.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS RESOLVED, that the TESDA Board in its meeting today, 18 September 2013 at 3:00 p.m., approves the assessment fee of Six Hundred Pesos (Php600:00) and One Thousand Three Hundred Pesos (Php1,300:00) for Ship's Catering Services NCI and Ship's Catering Services NCII, respectively.

**BE IT RESOLVED FINALLY**, that this Resolution shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation and disseminated to all concerned offices, and the same shall be effective fifteen (15) days upon publication. All programs registered under this Resolution must comply with the requirements of the aforementioned assessment fees.

Adopted this 18th day of September 2013.

TESDA Board Secretary

Attested by:

SEC. EMMANUEL JOEL J. VILLANUEVA

Alternate Chair, TESDA Board

Director General, Technical Education and Skills

Development Authority (TESDA)