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To

Sh. Rajesh Aggarwal, IAS
Secretary
Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship
Government of India
Sharm Shakti Bhawan, Rafi Marg
New Delhi- 110001

Dear Sir,

This has reference to your D.O. Letter No. 154 dated 1st August 2022 regarding grant of equivalence to two year National Trade Certificate (NTC) issued through Industrial Training Institutes (ITIs) under Craftsmen Training Scheme (CTS) with entry qualification 10th class pass with Science and Mathematics or its equivalent as at par with 12th pass (10+2) to ensure seamless mobility of candidates enrolled in vocational education to higher (general) education as envisaged in the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020.

In this connection it is to inform you that the Equivalence Committee of IGNOU at its meeting held on 15.02. 2012 had passed the following resolution:

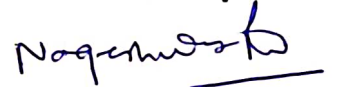
Two year National Trade Certificate (after 10th Std.) in the trade of 'DRAUGHTSMAN (CIVIL)' and other similar courses awarded by National Council for Vocational Training, Govt. of India, covering four subjects, is recognized as equivalent to +2 level for purpose of direct admission to IGNOU's Under-graduate programmes.

IGNOU is giving recognition to two years National Trade Certificate for the purpose of admission to undergraduate programmes having eligibility criteria of 10+2 or equivalent for the last ten years.

This is for your kind information.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely



(Nageshwar Rao)

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