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**RE: Transformation of non NVQ Courses into NVQ Qualifications**

We refer to the recent Cabinet paper forwarded by the Ministry of Skills Development and Vocational Training for its approval by the Cabinet, and wish to announce that the Cabinet has approved it. Therefore, NVQ Level 3 and NVQ Level 4 are considered as alternatives to G.C.E O/L and G.C.E A/L respectively for the purpose of employment. This is a remarkable achievement from the NVQ Framework point of view and as such the TVEC expects all its registered and accredited training providers to transform their all courses conducted by them and registered with the TVEC into NVQ and make all arrangements to award NVQ certificates. This will facilitate your students to pursue higher NVQ qualifications, so that they could gain employment either in the public or private sector.

The TVEC will take all the possible initiatives to make available necessary National Competency Standards and corresponding curricula to ease the efforts of your transformation of non NVQ courses into NVQs.

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