Memorandum

To: Second Career (SC) Service Providers

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Subject: Updated Second Career Labour Market Indicators

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Objective:
The purpose of this memo is to advise your organization about the updated Second Career (SC) Labour Market Indicators document.

Background:
The Second Career (SC) Labour Market Indicators document is used when assessing an applicant’s eligibility for Second Career. To be eligible for Second Career funding, the proposed training must be for an occupation at National Occupational Classification (NOC) Level B or C, with good employment prospects locally or within Ontario.

Evidence of good employment prospects includes one or more of the following:

- the occupation is listed on the Second Career (SC) Labour Market Indicators document
- currently advertised job opportunities
- attestations from employers that they are hiring for the occupation
- evidence of future job opportunities (e.g. future plant or office expansion, new employer).
The SC Labour Market Indicators document has been updated with a labour market prospects indicator list that identifies occupations at NOC level B or C with above average employment prospects for the 2017-2021 period. It also includes a work history indicator list that identifies industries that are expected to have declining or slowing employment growth during the same period.

**Next Steps:**

The updated Second Career (SC) Labour Market Indicators document is available on the Employment Ontario Partners’ Gateway (EOPG).

If your organization has any questions regarding this memo, please contact your employment and training consultant.