JOB SEARCH COMPETITION

APPENDIX D

Presentation Requirements

Each competitor will create and submit a PowerPoint or Google Slides presentation that addresses the importance of Skills for Success needed in any job. The presentation must also highlight key Skills for Success identified in the job posting they selected.

Competitors are encouraged to research how to develop an effective presentation to ensure the presentation they submit is representative of a professionally developed product (consistency in style and size of font, set up of slides, visual appeal, imagery, use of space, management of text on slides etc). (Creating Effective PowerPoint Slides)

Competitors must appropriately reference any images and content taken from other sources; the minimum standard is a footer linked to text/ image "<u>Date</u>; Retrieved from <u>url</u>".

Minimum expectations for content:

- Must include a clear introduction of concept and why Skills for Success are important in any job; the title of the presentation must relate directly to this concept;
- o Must include a minimum of 6 slides to a maximum of 10 slides;
- o Must contain at least 3 relevant images, citing the source of any image used;
- o Must include a detailed overview of three of the Skills for Success that are most relevant to the position for which they have applied for based on the advance submission requirements;
- o Must include specific examples of the Skills for Success identified in the job ad, how they are used on the job and why they are important;
- o Must include at least 2 specific examples of how these skills are important and relevant in other jobs.

On the day of the competition, competitors will be allotted 3-5 minutes to deliver their presentation. Skills Canada NS will be responsible for providing technology to support delivery of the presentation, including laptop, projector and presentation clicker. The committee will have the presentation available for competitors to deliver. Competitors will not be permitted to change the submitted presentation content after the submission deadline.

Competitors are encouraged to practice delivery of their presentation with teachers or other individuals prior to the competition.