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APPLY TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR APPROVAL OF THE ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE: CONSTRUCTION TRADES, GENERAL APPRENTICESHIP; CERTIFICATE: CONSTRUCTION

TRADES, GENERAL APPRENTICESHIP;

CERTIFICATE: MANUAL APPRENTICESHIP TRADES

FOR PORTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE, TILLAMOOK BAY COMMUNITY COLLEGE, AND COLUMBIA GORGE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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REPORT:

The Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Construction Trades, General Apprenticeship and its accompanying certificates constitute one of three apprenticeship pathways established as statewide apprenticeship programs designed to replace existing apprenticeship training opportunities in Oregon community colleges. Implementation of the statewide apprenticeship program will allow students to pursue specific apprenticeship pathways in order to meet the demands of the industry. Students can transfer related training and prior certification credits to any participating Oregon community college by virtue of a block transfer articulation agreement. The certificates some as

articulation agreement. The certificates serve as pathways to the AAS degree, eighty-seven (87) credits of which may apply to a Bachelor of Science degree in

Operations Management at the Oregon Institute of

Technology. A comprehensive plan is in place to assist current students through the transition to the statewide program.

RECOMMENDATION: That the College be authorized to submit an application to the Oregon State Board of Education for the Associate of Applied Science: Construction Trades, General Apprenticeship; Certificate: Construction Trades. General Apprenticeship; Certificate: Manual Construction Trades for Portland Community College, Tillamook Bay Community College, and Columbia Gorge Community College