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Announcement of the Results of FY 2020 Survey on Technical Intern Training Program

- After returning to their home countries, 95.3% of the technical intern trainees answered that what they learned during the technical intern training period was useful -

The Organization for Technical Intern Training has conducted the survey below and summarized the results.

Based on the results of this survey, the Organization for Technical Intern Training will continue to ensure appropriate and smooth operation of the technical intern training program and to deepen the understanding of the program to the people concerned.

1. Technical Intern Trainees Follow-up Survey after Returning Home Countries
(questionnaire for technical intern trainees)

This survey studies the post-training employment status, change of job grade and utilization of technology, skills and knowledge acquired in Japan for the technical intern trainees who completed the technical intern training program and returned to their home countries. Survey subject of FY2020 technical intern trainees who completed the technical intern training who returned or were scheduled to return to their home countries within the period of October 1,2020 to January 31,2021 (China, Vietnam, Indonesia, Philippines and Thailand), were 15,918 and 1,858 of them responded. (Due to the spread of the new coronavirus infection in Year 2020, it became difficult for the trainees to return to their home countries during the survey period even after completing the technical intern training, and many technical intern trainees were excluded from the survey.)

2. Survey on Assistance to Technical Intern Trainees after Returning Home Countries
(questionnaire for supervising organizations, etc.)

This survey studies the employment status of the technical intern trainees who returned to their home countries in FY2019, job/skill transfer support and acquisitions of skills, etc. during the technical intern training for supervising organizations and implementing organizations of individual enterprise-type training (hereinafter referred to as “supervising organizations”, etc.). Out of 2,708 supervising organizations, 2,555 responded.

【Key points of survey results】

Technical Intern Trainees Follow -up Survey

- 95.3% of the respondents answered that what they learned during the technical intern training period was “useful”.
- As for the specific details that were useful, “Technical skills acquired” was the highest at 76.6%, followed by “Experience living in Japan” at 71.8% and “Workplace discipline” at 64.5%.
- In relation to the employment status after returning to their home countries, 51.2% of the respondents answered “employed and working” (22.8%), employed and scheduled to work (9.9%), or started a business (18.5%).
- 62.1% responded that their specific job duties are “same as the training” (46.2%) or “same type as the training” (15.9%).

*Attachment 1 FY2020 Technical Intern Trainees Follow-up Survey (Summary)

Survey on Assistance to Technical Intern Trainees after Returning Home Countries

- In relation to the employment status after returning to their home countries, 61.5% of the respondents answered “employed and working” (48.9%), employed and scheduled to work (7.6%), or started a business (5.0%).
- 64.9% responded that their specific job duties are “same as the training” (44.3%) or “same type as the training” (20.6%).
- 76.7% of the supervising organizations answered that they provided assistance for promoting skill transfer of former trainees.
- As for the specific details, “Issuance of Certificate of Completion of Technical Intern Training, Certificate of Employment, etc. in Japan” was the most common at 76.5%, “Consultations regarding employment and entrepreneurship after returning home countries” was 39.3% and “Information and recommendation of employment after returning home countries” followed by 38.1%.
- Currently, 95.8% of the supervising organizations answered that “they are proceeding according to the technical intern training plan” regarding technical intern trainees residing in Japan.

* Attachment 2 FY2020 Survey on Assistance to Technical Intern Trainees after Returning Home Countries (Summary)

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