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“Industry players are confident in the value of TVET qualifications translating into higher work productivity, thus employers are willing to pay premium salaries to TVET graduates.”

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He called for a nationwide campaign to promote TVET as an “education of choice” to promote interest in its courses, adding that official recognition of high-value TVET occupations would help its graduates secure high-paying jobs.

“To progress with industrial advancements, we need skilled talents to manage advanced technologies.

“Equal opportunity should also be given to TVET graduates to progress to senior management levels, not only in the factory environment but also in general management. This will help boost self-confidence among skills graduates.

“More scholarships should be provided to technical institutions than universities. Industrial training should be institutionalised and proper allowances and benefits must be implemented,” Syed Hussain added.