The burgeoning development of science and technology has spawned the surging of importance of the workforce from different occupations. At the same time, the world has dramatically changed in terms of the intensity of competition one must go through before achieving success. Worse, the unemployment rate has been hovering at historically high levels in recent years. In order to minimize the influence of the problem, some put forward a proposal that government spend money on training courses for the adults over 25 years old. However, is it a wise or effective one? As far as I am concerned, I do not think that policy will be an effective one actually.

Firstly, few, if any, adults after 25-year-old are still confused with the most up-to-date skills at workplace. For most adults especially at the range of 25 to 45-year-old who are busy with work, they hardly have the vaguest idea about the advanced skills at industries. In contrast, elder people over 50-year-old who are going to be retired are faced with decay of learning skills. Inevitably, it is a normal progress one must undergo and I have to accept the reality. Thus, it is really unnecessary for government to require all adults over 25-year-old to take part in the training courses.

Apart from the age groups, people from different occupations have benefited from the training courses from different institutions. For example, many companies or enterprises has set up special departments to take relevant vocational training for new staff, as well as some of them will take periodical training courses for the official staff. More importantly, it can save capital and at the same time create more fortunes for society at more effective levels. I really believe that company plays an even more important role than that of government in vocational training.

Admittedly, the core element and target of governments is to improve the ability to meet the public interest. Universally acknowledged is that if everyone finds a job that matches his or her ability and has a stable income, this can surely be the best way to combat poverty, unemployment and the soaring crime rate. However, it is hard to say that a government spend money on all adults over 25-year-old on a training course for the most up-to-date skills at workplace can work out the problem because, in fact, it is money consuming and ineffective.

All in all, I do not think the idea is reasonable and effective. I strongly suggest they propose a better proposal for the problem. After all, smart decision-making requires exposure to diverse consideration.