Writing Task 2 Official Guide Test 14-1

Some people believe that it is best to accept a bad situation, such as an unsatisfactory job or shortage of money. Others argue that it is better to try and improve such situations.

Discuss both these views and give your own opinion.

Some people argue that when having negative situations, changing these situations is preferable, whereas others oppose to this attitude. In this essay, both view point will be discussed.

First and foremost, people can develop their skills by trying to improve the situations, which also brings about benefit to society. Actually, there are many people who have become wealthy from poor financial condition by developing their skills. For example, Steve Jobs, a founder of Apple Computer, started his career from selling less profitable software and became one of the world top businessman by cultivating his ability with an aim to improve his financial status. It is an undeniable fact that his effort contributed to society with many inventions. As his achievements illustrate, attempt to change the undesirable situation contributes to develop skills and what is more it has positive impact on society.

However, changing the situation occasionally needs painstaking effort. Some people, being too keen to improve the situation, suffer from mental illness. For instance, when a business person tries to improve their sales by changing the conventional method, they have to convince managers and unwilling colleagues who have get used to the existing method of the expected result. They also have to overcome the fears of being in fail. It demands strong will and mind without which people can not accomplish their goal.

In conclusion, as mentioned above, people can develop their skills in the process of improving the situation and also can contribute to society. However, considering that it is often so demanding that their health is affected, I personally believe try to improve the situation is not always respectful option.