Jackson 6700 Operator

Position Summary:

The Jackson 6700 operator's primary responsibilities include operating and maintaining a Harsco Jackson 6700 tamper. Previous experience of this specific equipment is highly preferred, but not required. Must have a working knowledge of construction equipment and a desire to learn new equipment and skills. The Jackson 6700 Operator will report direct to a foreman in the field and the tamping supervisor back at the office.

General Duties:

- Operate Jackson 6700 with knowledge of raising tracks to stakes.
- Maintain equipment by performing pre-shift inspections, cleaning, adding lubricants and fuel, and documenting all activity performed on said piece of equipment.
- Perform light duty mechanical repairs (hoses, fittings, wiring, fuses, etc.)
- Must be able to read, understand and evaluate written documents and drawings.
- Perform construction tasks.
- Work in remote locations
- Should be capable of becoming a certified rigger.
- Participate in team safety meeting
- Reporting equipment or tool damage or deficiencies immediately to Supervisor
- Comply with railroad and site specific safety and operating rules
- Other duties may be assigned

Job Requirements/Qualifications:

- Previous equipment operating experience is highly preferred
- Must have mechanical abilities
- 18 years of age or older
- Ability to work from written and verbal instructions
- Must be able to work with a team, take direction from supervisors, adhere to work schedules, focus attention on details, and follow work rules.
- Drivers license required; CDL or CDL eligible preferred
- Able to work multiple shifts and overtime as required
- Must be able to work in varying weather conditions
- Must be willing to travel (travel requirement could be 50-70%)
- Must be willing to submit to and be able to pass a drug screen
- Maintain a good attendance record
- Must be able to pass a background check, e-rail safe and on-track safety
- Willing to wear required PPE (personal protective equipment)
- Must show respect to the public while travelling and performing duties as outlined.
- High School or GED
- Jackson 6700 Operators will be required to join the local union. Associated health and welfare benefits will available to all Equipment Operator Union members
- Construction experience preferred.

Physical Requirements:

- Must be willing and capable to work any shift, including weekends.
- Must have ability to work at heights, as well as climbing stairs, lift up to 80 pounds, and work in hot or cold environments.
- Lifts approximately 50-100 lbs. occasionally
- Lifts approximately 0-50 lbs. unassisted regularly
- Work outdoors in sometimes noisy, safety sensitive environment.
- Stand and walk for extended periods of time

This job description is representative of the job: however, it in no way states or implies that these are the only duties a person may be required to perform. The omission of specific statements of duties does not exclude them from the position if the work is similar, related, or is an essential function of the position.

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