

STATE OF DELAWARE
WEIGHTS & MEASURES INSPECTOR I, II
Department of Agriculture – Weights and Measures
PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

Job Title: Weights and Measures Inspector I, II
Department: Department of Agriculture
Division: Weights and Measures
Class Codes: MGAG01, MGAG02
BP #s: 00095834, 00011340, 00011348, 00060895, 00065770, 00066601, 00095833

JOB DESCRIPTION: The Weights and Measures Inspector I and II for the Weights and Measures section of the Department of Agriculture describes inspection and testing work done in regulating all commercial transactions involving weighing or measuring; regulating all devices used commercially to determine weight, measure or count; and enforcing the Delaware Packaging and Labeling Regulations.

JOB SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS: Must be able to follow directions and safely operate various equipment with automatic transmissions; must possess a valid Class B CDL license with air brake endorsement.

JOB CLASSIFICATION: This job is classified as “moderate” as it frequently requires exerting 50 pounds of force to perform the various functions involved in inspecting and testing commercial weights and devices and enforcing the Delaware Packaging and Labeling Regulations.

PHYSICAL JOB REQUIREMENTS:

To receive consideration for this position all Weights and Measures Inspectors I and II for the Weights and Measures section of the Department of Agriculture must be able to perform the following essential physical job functions daily:

- The physical ability to stand and or walk frequently.
- The physical ability to drive both heavy and light equipment and vehicles for up to 5 hours or more per day.
- The physical ability to squat and work above the shoulder occasionally.
- The physical ability to frequently balance, bend/stoop, kneel, crouch, push and pull.
- The physical ability to use both hands for frequent grasping, fine manipulation and fingering.
- The physical ability to frequently carry up to and including 50 pounds of weight for distances of up to 60 feet in various weather conditions and across various surfaces.

- The physical ability to rarely carry over 50 pounds of weight for distances up to 15 feet, in various weather conditions and across various surfaces.
- The physical ability to frequently lift up to and including 50 pounds of weight between the floor and the shoulders. This weight will be constituted by the following items, but not limited to them: equipment, tools, weight kits, scales, selected products (both solids and liquids), for testing purposes, etc.
- The physical ability to occasionally lift in excess of 50 pounds of weight from the floor to the waist. This weight will be constituted by the following items, but not limited to them: equipment, tools, weight kits, scales, selected products (both solids and liquids), for testing purposes, etc.
- The physical ability to frequently lift up to 20 pounds of weight above the shoulders. This weight may be constituted by the following items, but not limited to them: equipment, tools, weight kits, scales, selected products (both solids and liquids), for testing purposes, etc.
- The physical ability to frequently push/pull over 50 pounds of weight distances of up to 200 feet.
- The physical ability to frequently operate different types of equipment including, but not limited to, cars and trucks, 55,000 pound large capacity scale testing trucks, and hydraulic crane systems with electric power take off unit, etc.
- The physical ability to work on uneven surfaces and at heights.
- The physical ability to work outdoors in all temperatures and weather conditions continuously.
- The physical ability to tolerate exposure to dust, fumes, gases and chemicals.
- The physical ability to work around loud and constant noise continuously.
- The physical ability to tolerate required personal protective equipment such as work gloves (leather and rubber), safety glasses, safety shoes, safety vests, hard hats, and coveralls (both winter and summer).

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that I have read and understand the above physical requirements of the Weights and Measures Inspector I and II for the Weights and Measures section of the Department of Agriculture. I have also been given the opportunity to ask any questions I may have regarding the physical demands required of this position. I further understand that if I am offered this position, I will be required to take a functional capabilities evaluation (FCE) to determine if I can safely perform the required tasks without risk to myself or others.

PRINTED NAME _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE: _____

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