AgriLife Classification Description

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3326 HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR II 11/01/01

SUMMARY

General Description: Operates heavy road construction, maintenance, and utility services vehicles in a safe and efficient manner.

DUTIES

Typical: Operates a motor scraper and grader in grading shoulders, shaping back slopes, shaping driveways, spreading gravel, and other rough grading; operates a bulldozer or angle dozer in cleaning, grubbing, and backfilling; drives heavy trailer-type trucks or buses of all types; operates a hydraulic telescoping boom utility truck and hydraulic crane; operates backhoe, front-end loader, forklift, and trenching machine; performs light maintenance on heavy equipment; performs related duties as required.

SUPERVISION

Received: General instruction and periodic review from immediate supervisor.

Given: None.

EDUCATION

Required: High school graduation or any equivalent combination of training and experience. **Preferred:** Vocational or operator maintenance training in heavy equipment operation.

EXPERIENCE

Required: Three years operating various pieces of heavy equipment.

Preferred: None.

LICENSES, CERTIFICATES OR REGISTRATION

Required: State of Texas class "A" or "B" driver's license, based on duties performed, or ability to obtain within

30 days of employment.

Preferred: None.

KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS

Typical: Use of motor scraper, motor grader, backhoe, crawler tractor, bulldozer, forklift, hydraulic crane and ditching machine, loader, and all types of trucks.