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TRAINING/TESTING

Equipment Operator – Sand Screener

Under Article 14 of the Collective Agreement between the Nova Scotia Department of Public Works and the Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local 1867, the following training/testing opportunity is being posted:

LOCATION: Kings County New Minas Zone 26

WORK GROUP/POSITION: Highway Worker / Equipment Operator

TRAINING OPPORTUNITY: Sand Screener

NUMBER TO BE TRAINED: Two (2) POSTING DATE: 7/15/2025

CLOSING DATE: 7/15/2025

Qualifications:

- Applicants must have been declared competent as an OPTP Operator by DPW within one (1) year of this posting.
- Applicants must pass the Department of Public Works operator examination administered by an EQII as defined in Article 14.03 to be deemed qualified to operate, or eligible for training, for Sand Screener Operations.
- Knowledge of the pre-trip inspection program and equipment servicing procedures is required.
- Knowledge of the Department's Health, Safety, and Environment Program is required.
- Applicants will also be required to achieve Fitness for Work standards which meet Class I medical requirements.

The successful applicant(s) will work under the Operations Supervisor / Supervisor of Maintenance, to carry out Sand Screener operations and adhere to established Safe Work Practices and Job Procedures, including but not limited to, Sand Screener operations.

To Apply:

Applicants are to complete an "Expression of Interest" form and forward it to Logan Webb, Area Manager, 67 Crescent Dr, New Minas, NS B4N 3G7: or Email to logan.webb@novascotia.ca no later than 4:30pm on the closing date.

Note(s):

Bargaining Unit Members, who have completed a probationary period, are currently working in the applicable maintenance zone and meet the posted qualifications will be considered first in the selection process for training opportunities by date of seniority.

Applicants shall be subject to a screening process in the form of testing and/or interviews to verify qualifications, physical abilities and mechanical aptitude. This shall be completed by resources inside or outside the Department.

Applicants must pass the Department of Public Works operator examination administered by an EQII as defined in Article 14.03 to be deemed qualified to operate or eligible for training for Sand Screener operations.

In accordance with Article 14.03 at the end of the training and/or testing process, employees who are deemed qualified are expected to operate the equipment when required.

Logan Webb, P. Eng. CET

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Area Manager Kings County