



## **METER TECHNICIAN 1st CLASS**

### **EDUCATION:**

Associate Degree in Electrical/Electronics or Computer Sciences preferred. High school diploma or GED required. Strong mathematics aptitude, strong computer knowledge coupled with software applications experience required.

### **EXPERIENCE:**

Must have at least 4 years of utility experience in Operations, Metering or Technical Services area. Computer experience required. Completion of REC 10-step Meter Training program or equivalent.

### **JOB KNOWLEDGE:**

Must have a knowledge of the meter testing equipment, types of single phase and three phase meters and electronic recorders, installation of meters and recorders, and preparing reports. Must have the knowledge of the wiring and connections of self-contained meters. Must know how to record voltage and amperage. Must possess a working knowledge of Microsoft Office products such as Word, Excel and Access.

### **ABILITIES & SKILLS:**

Must have the ability and skill to carry out meter testing. Must be able to work with tools to wire and repair meter equipment. Must be able to install all types of meters, electronic recorders, and sockets. Must have the ability to learn various meter manufacturer software packages used to program and operate electronic meters. Must have the ability to learn to operate the MV-90 Large Power Data software system. Must be able to obtain the skills to operate a lift truck. Must possess a valid driver's license.

### **WORKING CONDITIONS:**

Usual meter shop conditions. Fieldwork required installing, verifying, and troubleshooting both single phase and three phase meter installations with or without Automatic Meter Reading capabilities and provide assistance in outage restorations. Working on ladders is required to a height of 35 feet. Must be able to perform hard physical labor when necessary including lifting and carrying up to 75 pounds. Wearing Personal Protective Equipment such as safety-toed shoes/boots, safety glasses, flame-retardant clothing, rubber gloves and sleeves is required. Must be willing and able to work in all weather conditions. Occasional overtime may be required. Occasional travel to seminars, schools or factory training classes may be required.

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