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JOB POSTING

LAB TECHNICIAN

LOCATION: Tacoma, WA **JOB ID NO.** 205-162

COMMENTS ON IMMIGRATION: If you are applying for a position in another country, please note that the position and your application will have to be considered from an immigration perspective.

POSITION SUMMARY

The Lab Technician will be involved in all laboratory activities and quality control from the mine to the finished product. The Lab Technician will also be responsible to reach to the highest standards in terms of product quality, safety and environment.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Understand and follow established laboratory procedures and safety policies and best practices.
- Clean test equipment and calibrate laboratory instruments.
- Conduct testing on PCC, limestone, lime products, and other raw materials using various chemical and physical procedures.
- Determine the particle size distribution of PCC, limestone, and lime products by using air jet sieve and Sedigraph.
- Collect and prepare lime samples. Conduct loss on ignition, availability, reactivity and brightness tests.
- Enter all test data, process data, and customer information into the laboratory database program.
- Collect, prepare, and ship incoming raw materials and product samples to central lab and outside test facilities.
- Enter barge shipping data and test results into database and provide information to lab supervisor and office personnel.
- Assist with environmental testing, reporting, and compliance.
- Perform other duties as assigned and be willing to work overtime and weekends as necessary.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Proven track record of developing and maintaining a safe work culture.
- Proven teambuilding and leadership skills.



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- Minimum one year of laboratory experience in an industrial or manufacturing setting.
- Working knowledge of computer applications including Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint.
- Strong communication (both written and verbal).
- Must be meticulous and able to work independently and safely.
- Understand lab equipment and safety procedures.
- Knowledge of sample preparation equipment and techniques.
- A general understanding of math capable of working with decimals and percentages.
- Ability to lift 50 pounds and sit or stand for long periods of time.

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