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 Continuous Announcement

EQUIPMENT OPERATOR II – 90312

Salary: \$27,156.00 - \$43,351.20
 Starting salary upon initial appointment to the merit system may be based on various factors.

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JOB INFORMATION

The Equipment Operator II is a permanent, full-time position used by various agencies throughout the state. Employees in this class operate one or more kinds of trucks, earth excavation, moving and grading equipment such as a bulldozer, motor patrol, gradall, backhoe, crawler tractor, and dump truck the majority of the time.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENT(S)

- Completion of the eighth grade
 - One year of combined experience operating at least two of the pieces of equipment listed below
- OR**
- Two years of experience operating one of the pieces of equipment listed below

PIECES OF EQUIPMENT

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|------------------------|-------------|----------|------------------|--------|-------------|------------|
| • Tractor Trailer/Semi | Bulldozer | Backhoe | Front-End Loader | Grader | Forklift | Dump Truck |
| • Skid-steer Loader | Pallet Jack | Bush hog | Cherry Picker | Cutter | Lift Bucket | |

NOTE(S)

- Some positions will require possession of or performance of the following:

• Alabama Driver License	Commercial Driver License	Alabama Boat Operator’s License
• Travel/Overnight Travel	Ability to lift and carry 50 pounds	Work in all weather conditions
• Traverse uneven terrain	Use surveying equipment	Swimming
• Stand for long periods of time in heat and humidity	Construct and inspect boat ramps	
- To be considered (selectively certified) for positions that require a CDL, you must possess a valid CDL and you must complete the “Professional License or Certificate” section of the application

EXAMINATION

- Open-Competitive to all applicants
- Evaluation of Training and Experience as shown on application.

HOW TO APPLY

- Complete an Application for Examination Form available at www.personnel.alabama.gov, the above address, or any Alabama Career Center Office.
- Apply on-line, by mail, by fax, or by email at apply@personnel.alabama.gov. Applications will be accepted until further notice. The State Personnel Department is not responsible for late receipt of applications due to mail service or faxing malfunctions.

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*Please refer to the back of this announcement for complete information on State Personnel’s policy for accepting post-secondary and advanced degrees.

Except for pretest information provided by State Personnel to all applicants, you should not directly or indirectly obtain information about examinations. If you do, the State Personnel Director may do several things. One, you may not be given an examination. Two, you may be disqualified after an examination. Three, your name may be removed from a register. Or four, your name may not be certified from the register. (Rules of the State Personnel Board, Chapter 670-x-9). According to the Code of Alabama, 36-26-47, a willful violation of exam security is a misdemeanor. Any person who is convicted of this type of misdemeanor will be ineligible for appointment to or employment in a position in State service for a period of five years and, if the person is an officer or employee of the State, will forfeit his or her office or position.

If you know of anyone who has violated this policy, you should contact the Examination Manager at the State Personnel Department.

Applicants hired by the State of Alabama on or after January 1, 2012 will be subject to the E-Verify process pursuant to Act No. 2011-535.

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Policy on Accepting College Coursework, Post-Secondary and Advanced Degrees

1. Specific college coursework required for a job classification, as well as bachelor's, graduate, post graduate, and doctoral degrees will be accepted from schools accredited by the Distance Education Accrediting Commission (DEAC) or any of the six regional accreditation associations in the United States listed below:

- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS)
- Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE)
- Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU)
- Higher Learning Commission (HLC)
- New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE)
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges –Senior College and University Commission (WASC-SCUC)

College coursework is defined as credit hours leading to a bachelor's degree or higher.

2. Coursework or degrees from schools that have not been accredited by one of the above accreditation associations may be accepted if a ***regionally accredited school**** considers the coursework or degree to be an acceptable prerequisite for admission to an advanced degree program. For example, if a regionally accredited school accepts an applicant's bachelor's degree for admittance into a graduate degree program, State Personnel will accept the degree. In the case of required college coursework (but no degree requirement), State Personnel will accept the college coursework if a regionally accredited school accepts the coursework towards a post-secondary degree (e.g., a bachelor's degree). ***This must be documented by a letter of acceptance from the regionally accredited school.*** State Personnel will review such requests on a case-by-case basis.

Note: This policy is subject to change. Certain state agencies may have additional requirements.

*The term "regionally accredited school" refers to an institution of higher education accredited by one of the six regional accreditation associations listed above.