DOYON UTILITIES, LLC – CORPORATE HEADQUARTERS FAIRBANKS, AK

JOB DESCRIPTION

TITLE: Meter Data Management System Technician

DEPARTMENT: Operations

REPORTS TO: Vice President of Operations

WAGE RANGE: DOE

POSITION OBJECTIVES: Supports the utility by maintaining a Meter Data Management System (MDMS), including the Customer Information System (CIS); provides reliable data and data analysis; compiles the metering data into a comprehensive reporting system.

MAIN ACTIVITIES:

- Responsible for managing the Company's metering system and processes, including electronic meters; instrument transformers; and data communications interfaces including AMI, Ethernet LAN/WAN or wireless radio on applications ranging from residential customers up through industrial systems.
- 2. Advanced meter data analysis and verification including AMI data, pulse data, SCADA, Energy Logs.
- 3. Software quality, performance and compatibility testing including vendor application software, meter firmware and related configuration files for correct operation and accuracy.
- 4. Understand and interpret relevant industry standards and specifications including ANSI C12, UL, NEMA, IEEE, etc.
- 5. Validate data accuracy and reliability of reports generated thru the MDMS/CIS System.
- 6. Troubleshoot anomalies in system data, reports and hardware.
- 7. Routinely interact and coordinate work with other users and stakeholders .
- 8. Maintain technical competence related to meter management and AMI technology.
- 9. Consistently apply IT technology in the delivery of software projects and systems.
- 10. Compile metering data and summarize data into comprehensive reports.
- 11. Expand system to incorporate new assets and integrate those assets into MDMS.
- 12. Realign AMI configuration to ensure network communication as required.

SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. Broad knowledge of AMI principles and practices.
- 2. Demonstrated ability to perform complex IT networking or IT concepts.
- 3. Ability to communicate with staff, management, stakeholders and vendors when discussing MDMS issues.
- 4. Working knowledge of Test, Diagnostic and Evaluation (TD&E) equipment related to MDMS Instrumentation.
- 5. Skilled in computer applications and networking with an emphasis on application integration.
- 6. Working knowledge of utility operations and metering concepts.
- 7. Eligible to work on a military installation in Alaska.
- 8. Valid driver's license and ability to travel when necessary.

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EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

- 1. Bachelor's Degree related to computer systems technology, systems engineering, electrical engineering, or closely related field is preferred.
- 2. Prior experience working with utility metering including meter applications, programming, calibration/testing and AMI systems.
- 3. Able to demonstrate excellent computer skills including Microsoft Office 2010, MS Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel, and general data-base knowledge and skills.

CONDITIONS:

Primarily office work with occasional work in extreme -outdoor environments including hot, dusty, cold, and windy conditions. Work requires occasional lifting of materials equivalent to a 40 pound box in awkward positions often in poor lighting or tight locations. Position is a standard 40 hour per week (normally Monday-Friday) with hours in excess of 40 per week as needed. Occasional travel to Doyon Utilities sites within Alaska will be required.

HOURS OF WORK:

Position requires a minimum of 40 hours per week (normal office hours are 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, Monday-Friday) with hours in excess of 40 per week as needed.

POSITION CLASSIFICATION:

Non-Exempt/Full Time Regular