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#### Unclassified Job Announcement

#### **SR ENGINEERING (WATER) ANALYST**

The Public Utilities Commission of Nevada (PUCN) is seeking qualified applicants for the position of Sr. Engineering (Water) Analyst. This is an unclassified, at-will, full-time exempt position within the State of Nevada.

**About the PUCN:** The PUCN is a quasi-judicial regulatory agency that, among other duties, ensures investor-owned utilities comply with all applicable state and federal laws. For more information about the agency, please visit the PUCN website at <http://puc.nv.gov>.

#### **The Position's Key Areas of Responsibility:**

- Performs detailed engineering reviews and studies.
- Leads and performs technical investigations.
- Investigates regulatory compliance of jurisdictional utilities.
- Develops and maintains liaison with other governmental agencies on utility matters.
- Provides technical interpretations of statutes and regulations.
- Provides analysis concerning prudent resource planning and facility planning, design, construction and operation to support the Commission in regulating jurisdictional water and wastewater utilities.
- Conducts comprehensive audits, investigations and inspections of water and sewer facilities.
- Reviews plant procedures and records.
- Inspects equipment or systems.
- Interviews personnel on plant practices and direct observation of plant safety, maintenance and operations.
- Prepares technical reports on water and sewer plant audits, investigations and inspections.
- Performs data and trend analysis to monitor plant performance and reliability.
- Provides written testimony and orally defends testimony for proceedings brought before the Commission; and serves as an expert witness.
- Prepares and presents testimony to legislative committees.
- Makes presentations to various state, local and federal agencies.
- Analyzes issues and evaluates other parties' written and oral testimony for accuracy, logic and consistency with existing Commission policy, state statutes and regulations, and writes rebuttal testimony based upon analysis.
- Provides instruction and leadership to water analysts.
- May be expected to perform additional job-related duties and to have or develop additional specific job-related knowledge and skills.

**Skills Required:**

Must be highly professional, well-organized, self-motivated, and possess leadership skills. Must be able to work independently with minimal supervision as well as in a team environment in collaboration with other engineers, auditors, economists, and legal staff; compile and summarize information and prepare correspondence, periodic or special reports related to assignments; and contribute effectively to the accomplishment of the team or agency goals, objectives, and activities. Must possess skill in effective written and verbal communication; must be able to collaboratively or as a team complete writing assignments; required skills also include planning, prioritizing and executing timelines without the need for supervision. Must be available for travel (typically up to 25% of the time).

**Minimum Qualifications:**

Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with major course work in civil or mechanical engineering or closely related field and three years of progressively responsible experience with a water or wastewater utility company or an agency responsible for regulating water or wastewater utilities; OR an equivalent combination of education and experience.

**License:** Registration as a Professional Engineer in the State of Nevada preferred.

**Salary:** Salary reflecting retirement (PERS) contributions by both the employee and the employer is up to \$90,174 (\$79,100 for employer only contribution). Salary offers are based on a wide array of factors such as a candidate's experience, skills, and education.

**Benefits:** The State benefits package includes enrollment into the Public Employees' Retirement System ([www.nvpers.org](http://www.nvpers.org)), a choice of health insurance plans ([www.pebp.state.nv.us](http://www.pebp.state.nv.us)), eleven paid holidays, and paid annual leave and sick leave, after appropriate waiting periods. Other optional benefits are also available, including a deferred compensation program.

**Position Location:** The position will be located in Las Vegas or Carson City.

**Application Deadline:** Until recruitment needs are satisfied.

**Submit Cover Letter and Resume to:**

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Public Utilities Commission of Nevada

Email [bpotter@puc.nv.gov](mailto:bpotter@puc.nv.gov)

In subject line please reference: **Sr. Engineering (Water) Analyst Position**

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