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## SENIOR ENGINEER

**Bureau of Consumer Protection  
Carson City or Las Vegas, Nevada**

**GROSS SALARY:** Depending on experience, the salary range is approximately: Up to \$129,080.00 (Employee/Employer Paid)  
Or \$109,043.00 (Employer Paid)

**PRIMARY DUTY STATION:** The Bureau of Consumer Protection (BCP) in Carson City or Las Vegas with an emphasis for Carson City. Occasional travel with overnight stay to either city or throughout the State is required. Additional travel nationwide is also required.

**POSITION STATUS:** Exempt (FLSA); serves at the will of the Consumers Advocate. Employment is contingent upon successful completion of background checks by the National Crime Information Center/Nevada Criminal Justice Information System (NCIC/NCJIS), and a fingerprint criminal history check.

### POSITION SUMMARY:

Reporting to the Consumers Advocate and Consumer Counsel/Chief Deputy Attorney General, this unclassified position will provide engineering support to the Bureau of Consumer Protection on various issues related to utilities regulation in Nevada. Engineering support includes least cost resource planning and cost recovery as they relate to regulated utilities that deliver electricity, natural gas, and water in Nevada. The position will require interaction with staff and testimony before the Nevada Public Utilities Commission. Duties also include reviewing filings, obtaining additional information through written inquiry, on-site reviews, meetings with the respective company utility personnel, and providing written and oral testimony regarding any findings, conclusions, and analysis as required. Duties also include analyzing written testimony filed by other parties, developing strategies and positions relative to negotiations, and providing technical support to peer legal staff in preparation of cases, including cross-examination at hearings, position letters, briefs, motions, or other legal pleadings as required in utility proceedings.

The position requires the ability to work independently to develop findings, conclusions, and analysis, as well as to work as a team with peer technical staff and attorneys to develop strategies regarding each matter. The position may also require the performance of additional job-related duties and to develop additional specific job-related knowledge and skills, as well as the performance of other duties assigned by the Consumers Advocate or Consumer Counsel/Chief Deputy Attorney General.

### QUALIFICATIONS:

#### MINIMUM EDUCATION, LICENSURE, AND BACKGROUND:

A Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with major course work either in civil, mechanical, or electrical engineering, or closely related field, and three (3) years professional level

experience with a regulated utility company or an agency responsible for regulating public utilities is preferred. An active license or an ability to obtain licensure within six (6) months as a Registered Professional Engineer by the State of Nevada is preferred.

**SKILLS REQUIRED:** In addition to the specific skills described in the Position Summary, applicants must have effective written and verbal communication skills, as well as the ability to plan, prioritize, and execute timelines without the need for supervision or reminders. Applicants must have strong problem-solving skills, must be adept at identifying, developing, and analyzing findings and conclusions, and be able to prepare and defend their position regarding the same. Applicants must be highly professional, well-organized, self-motivated, and punctual. Applicants must possess the ability to work as a team in a team environment and respect the individuality and contributions of team members, while being able to make individual contributions without supervision. Applicants must be able to work independently as well as in a team environment in collaboration with peer technical staff, attorneys, legal researchers, and support staff; compile and summarize information and prepare periodic or special reports related to case assignments; contribute effectively to the accomplishment of team or office goals, objectives, and activities; manage their time; complete projects promptly and efficiently; and be available during the working day. Applicants must be highly professional, well-organized, self-motivated, and punctual. Applicants must possess leadership skills, particularly with mentoring and working with junior engineers. Applicants must possess an exemplary working knowledge of computers and computing programs, including Microsoft Office, Adobe, Westlaw, as well as various video conferencing software, and be able to easily learn various e-discovery platforms.

**PHYSICAL DEMANDS:** This position requires mobility to work in a typical office setting, use standard office equipment, and to travel to various parts of the State and nationwide. It also requires vision to read printed materials and on computer screens, and hearing and speech to communicate in person, over the telephone, and over video conferencing software and equipment. The applicant must be able to speak in a clear and understandable manner, and to hear and respond to questions posed. Accommodation may be made for some of these physical demands for otherwise qualified individuals who require and request such accommodation.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** This position announcement lists the major duties and requirements of the job and is not all-inclusive. The successful applicant will be expected to perform additional job-related duties and may be required to have or develop additional specific job-related knowledge and skills.

Salary offers are based on a wide array of factors such as a candidate's experience, skills, and education. Once hired, salary growth within the job classification will be based on performance, development, and budget availability.

**Interested applicants must submit a cover letter highlighting experience with the public utility ratemaking process, detailed resume, writing sample, and a list of three (3) professional references to:**

**Jana Whitson**

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