WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL

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Specification for Class of

OFFSET DUPLICATOR OPERATOR 3 Abolished Effective July 1, 2007

<u>Definition</u>: Supervises, plans, directs and participates in the operation of a small size reproduction section; or is the principal assistant to a Reproduction Supervisor 2.

Distinguishing Characteristics: This is the senior working level of the Offset Duplicator Operator series and incumbents are required to: (1) have full responsibility to supervise or lead a small offset duplication unit or reproduction section with at least two subordinates, one of which must be an Offset Duplicator Operator; or (2) participate in and train other operators in the various duplicating techniques; or (3) coordinate the printing/duplicating activities for a small agency, with at least one subordinate.

Typical Work

Plans and directs work of unit engaged in production of variety of forms, informational materials, and reports; supervises and trains employees in peration, adjustment, and care of reproduction and related duplicating equipment and makes the most difficult adjustments to machines; operates reproduction and duplicating equipment;

Prepares masters for color reproduction; operates platemaking equipment to enlarge or reduce layouts;

Supervises bindery operations involved in assembling, stapling, binding, cutting, and shipping finished materials;

Requisitions supplies, equipment, and parts; maintains production and inventory records; may maintain daily records and productivity reports;

Responsible for stripping and masking of negatives and maintaining plate files;

In the absence of the supervisor, coordinates work to be performed by the State Printer and outside vendors; checks for quality control and monitors deadlines;

Processes billing for vendors orders; approves work for payment; coordinates with agency accounting;

Performs other work as required.

Knowledge and Abilities

Knowledge of: operation, adjustment, maintenance and capabilities of offset and other duplicating equipment; various kinds of paper, inks, chemicals, and technical processes employed in wide varity of duplicating work; safety procedures, hazardous chemicals involved in printing operations.

Ability to: plan and lay out duplicating work from rough drafts; handle multi-color reproduction involving close register; train and supervise offset operators and clerical employees; operate, adjust, and maintain variety of reproduction equipment.

Desirable Qualifications

Completion of as least one quarter in offset press or offset duplicating at a vocational school or community college <u>and</u> three years of experience operating offset duplication machines and associated equipment.

OR

Two years as an Offset Duplicator Operator 2.

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Four years of experience operating offset duplication machines and associated equipment.

Successful completion of a vocational school reprographics program may be substituted for one year of qualifying experience.

New class: 5-1-63 Revises minimum qualifications: 2-7-72 Revises definition, minimum qualifications, general revision; adds distinguishing characteristics; title change (formerly Duplicating Services Supervisor): 10-12-84 Revises distinguishing characteristics, typical work and knowledge and abilities: 3-15-91