

Washington State Department of Personnel
Class Specification

MATE, SECOND

652J

Abolished Effective May 15, 2009

Definition:

Serve as second officer aboard ship.

Distinguishing Characteristics:

Serve as second officer and third in command of an ocean research ship of approximately 2000 gross tons.

Typical Work:

Stands bridge watches operating and navigating the ship;

Plans and teaches courses in seamanship and other marine specialties;

Orders and maintains ship's charts, publications and navigation supplies;

Prepares track of scientific cruises;

Serves as officer in charge of gyrocompass; maintains log and performs routine maintenance;

Responsible for readiness of electronic equipment; performs operating tests;

Serves as officer in charge of after-deck entering or leaving port or anchorage;

Stands security watch when required;

Performs related duties as required.

Legal Requirement(s):

A U.S. Coast Guard Second Mate's license valid for operation of an inspected motor vessel of unlimited tonnage, upon ocean waters.



able Qualifications:

Legal Requirement(s).

Class Specification History:

New Class: 1-3-73

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Revise Class: 2-15-91

Revise class. Revises class code (formerly 4946), adopted May 10, 2007, effective July 1, 2007; general revision revises typical work; effective July 1, 2007.

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