

New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development



Notice of Job Vacancy

Posting # 2022-277		Issue Date: 9/6/2022		Closing Date: 9/27/2022	
Title: Wage Collection Referee		Range/Title Code: P26/55993		Salary: \$72,836.90- \$103,620.41	
Unit Scope: Statewide-Career Services	Location: Wage and Hour Division and Contract Compliance Trenton, New Jersey		W	orkweek: NL	# Vacancies: 1

Job Description

The Department of Labor and Workforce Development (DOL) provides many benefits to employees to acknowledge and value their contribution. Statewide benefits include health insurance, pension, Flexible Spending Accounts (FSA)/Health Savings Accounts (HSA), life insurance, deferred compensation and more. The DOL also provides tuition reimbursement (after nine months of employment), a higher education program, the Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF) and Temporary Expanded PSLF (TEPSLF) Programs, and employee training. The DOL also provides options for participation in the Telework, Alternate Workweek or Flextime Programs pursuant to the Department's policy.

Under the general supervision of the Chief, Inspection and Enforcement, Division of Wage and Hour Compliance, Department of Labor and Workforce Development, investigates alleged violations of State labor laws; conducts quasi-judicial hearings throughout the state to resolve wage and/or benefit disputes between employees and employers; makes formal, binding decisions and approves settlements related to these cases; does other related work as required.

Civil Service Commission Requirements (Education/Experience/License

Open to current state employees who have one year of permanent service in any competitive title and who meet the Open Competitive Requirements listed below:

EDUCATION: Graduation from and accredited college or university with a Bachelor's degree

EXPERIENCE: Three (3) years of professional experience in the interpretation, investigation, and/or enforcement of laws and regulations governing wages, hours, benefits and conditions of employment.

NOTE: Applicants who do not possess the required education may substitute experience as indicated above on a year-for-year basis.

NOTE: Admission to practice as an Attorney-at-Law in New Jersey or graduation from an accredited college with a J.D. or L.L.B. degree may be substituted for the required experience.

RESUME NOTE: Eligibility determinations will be based only upon information presented on the resume along with other supporting documents. Applicants who possess a degree from a college or university outside the United States must provide an evaluation of the transcripts from a recognized evaluation service at the time of submission. Failure to do so may result in your ineligibility.

LICENSE: Appointees will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey only if the operation of a vehicle, rather than employee mobility, is necessary to perform the essential duties of the position.

TO APPLY for this Position

If you qualify and would like to be considered, **submit a letter of interest, transcript, and your <u>resume</u> (including daytime phone number and email address)** to the person and email address listed below. You **must** submit your response by the closing date shown above, and must include the Posting number.

PLEASE SEND COVER LETTER, TRANSCRIPTS AND RESUME TO: Human Capital Strategies, Recruitment LWDJobPostings@dol.nj.gov *Please put complete posting number in subject line.

This is not a promotional announcement for a Civil Service Examination.

This posting may result in personnel actions which will require final approval by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development and the Civil Service Commission in accordance with Civil Service Commission rules and regulations.

Job Posting Authorized by Tennille R. McCoy, Assistant Commissioner, Division of Human Capital Strategies

- Newly hired employees must agree to a thorough background check that will include fingerprinting.
- Any appointments made from postings which involve movement between unit scopes, may result in a forfeiture of rights to any promotional list in a former unit scope.
- As of September 2010, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14-7, the "New Jersey First Act," all new employees must reside in the State of New Jersey, unless exempted under the law. If you do not live in New Jersey, you have one year after you begin employment to relocate your residence to New Jersey, or to secure an exemption.
- Work Authorization: Applicants must be authorized to work in the United States according to the Department of Homeland Security, United States Citizenships and Immigration Services regulations. NJDOL does not provide sponsorship or accept student OPT/CPT programs, F1-H1B work authorization visas.

The New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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PERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with the Uniform Ethics Code adopted by the NJ State Ethics Commission and the State Policy Prohibiting Discrimination in the Workplace, the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development (NJ DOL) requires the disclosure of all relatives, consensual personal relationships, and cohabitants. No NJ DOL employee may supervise or exercise any authority with regard to personnel actions involving their relative, anyone with whom there is a consensual personal relationship, or anyone with whom they cohabit.

Relative means an individual's spouse/domestic partner/civil union partner¹ or the individual or spouse's/domestic partner's/civil union partner's parent, child, brother, sister, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew, cousin, grandparent, grandchild, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, stepparent, stepchild, stepbrother, stepsister, half-brother or half-sister, whether the relative is related to the individual or the individual's spouse/domestic partner/civil union partner by blood, marriage or adoption.

Consensual personal relationship means marriage, engagement, dating or other ongoing romantic or sexual relationships.

Cohabitant means non-related persons who share a household under circumstances where there is financial interdependence.

The New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development requires the disclosure of all relatives and consensual personal relationships to be promptly reported directly to the Division of Human Capital Strategies (HCS) - Director's Office. Confidentiality shall be maintained to the extent possible and practicable. This information may be shared with NJ DOL's Equal Employment Opportunity Office and/or the NJ DOL Ethics Office as deemed necessary. Upon receiving notice of the relationship, HCS may address any situation as necessary in consultation with the EEO Office and/or the Ethics Officer. This may include, but is not limited to, the changing of reporting relationships or transferring any of the employees involved. Failure to provide notification to HCS may result in discipline up to and including termination and the denial of legal representation and indemnification by the State in the event that a lawsuit is filed having a connection with a personal relationship. Employees are under a continuing obligation to promptly report personal relationships that develop during the course of their employment.

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¹ Domestic Partner as defined in NJSA 26:8A-1 et. seq. and Civil Union status as defined in NJSA 37:1-28 et. seq.