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NOTICE OF JOB VACANCY
#24-217

An opportunity currently exists in the classified service with the Department of Law and Public Safety, Office of the Attorney General, for applicants who meet the requirements specified below:

TITLE: Investigator 3, Law and Public Safety
SALARY: \$65,748.43 to \$93,268.09
LOCATION: [Office of the Attorney General](#)
Office of Law Enforcement Professional Standards
Investigative Unit
25 Market Street, 4th Floor, Trenton, NJ 08625
(*Statewide travel required for work responsibilities.*)

NUMBER OF POSITIONS AVAILABLE: One (1)

DUTIES: Under general supervision of a supervisory official in the Office of Law Enforcement Professional Standards (OLEPS) conducts in-depth motor vehicle stop reviews and audits, including reviewing videos, reports, and other documents; conducts comprehensive internal affairs investigations audits; conducts citizen complaint investigations; assists with review of OLEPS mandatory reports, dashboards, training lesson plans, State Police policies and procedures, and memoranda; performs other confidential and sensitive investigative activities within OLEPS statute; prepares reports and memoranda with recommendations; performs other confidential and sensitive civil and regulatory investigative activities or specialized investigations to detect alleged noncompliance with or violations of New Jersey state statutes or laws, administrative codes, or Professional Code of Conduct; professionally communicates with law enforcement agencies; collaborates with other members of OLEPS, law enforcement agencies, and other divisions within the Department of Law and Public Safety; performs other related duties as needed. This position may also require non-traditional work hours, on an as-needed basis, including evenings and weekends on short deadlines for certain assignments, with or without advance notice, and may require travel to perform the aforementioned responsibilities.

REQUIREMENTS

NOTE: Applicants must meet one of the following or a combination of both experience and education. Thirty (30) semester hour credits are equal to one (1) year of relevant experience.

Seven (7) years of professional experience in the conduct of civil or criminal investigations related to compliance, enforcement, detection, and surveillance activity, including the preparation of investigative reports.

OR

Seven (7) years of professional experience in the conduct of investigative administrative audits and/or regulatory examinations of records maintained by businesses and organizations.

OR

Seven (7) years of professional experience in the conduct of investigations for the government, the military, consumer protection programs, public advocacy organizations, or the public interest.

OR

Possession of a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university; and three (3) years of the above-mentioned professional experience.

OR

Possession of a juris doctorate or a master's degree in Criminal Justice, Public Administration, Business Administration, Law, or a related field; and two (2) years of the above-mentioned professional experience.

NOTE: Completion of a supervised internship field placement of 300 hours in an undergraduate curriculum in Criminal Justice or a related degree program may be substituted for one (1) year of the non-supervisory experience.

NOTE: "Professional experience" refers to work that is creative, analytical, evaluative, and interpretive; requires a range and depth of specialized knowledge of the profession's principles, concepts, theories, and practices; and is performed with the authority to act according to one's own judgment and make accurate and informed decisions.

LICENSE: Appointees will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey.

SAME APPLICANTS: If you are applying under the NJ CSC "SAME" program, your Schedule A or B letter must be submitted along with your resume and any other required supporting documents indicated on the announcement by the closing date indicated below. For more information on the SAME Program please email: SAME@csc.nj.gov, or call CSC at (609) 292-4144, option 3.

RESUME NOTE: Eligibility determinations for experience and education will be based upon the resume and unofficial transcripts submitted at the time of application. Applicants who possess foreign degrees (degrees earned outside of the U.S.) are required to provide a CSC approved evaluation indicating the U.S. equivalency, with a course-by-course breakdown, prior to the closing date (see [CSC foreign degree information](#)). Failure to do so may result in disqualification of your education towards eligibility.

All offers of employment are conditional subject to the applicant agreeing to and then passing a background check that may include fingerprinting.

HOW TO APPLY: If qualified, please submit a cover letter indicating interest in job vacancy announcement #24-217, a current resume and a copy of your final unofficial transcripts and/or foreign degree evaluation, (if applicable) to the Recruitment Coordinator via email at jobs@njoag.gov on or before the closing date of **May 28, 2024**.

The "New Jersey First Act," [N.J.S.A. 52:14-7 \(L. 2011, Chapter 70\)](#), requires new public employees to reside in the State of New Jersey within one (1) year of employment. The Department of Law and Public Safety is an Equal Opportunity Employer and is committed to inclusive hiring and dedicated to diversity in our staff. We strongly encourage people from all groups and communities to apply.

