

JOB DESCRIPTION

Washhouse Leadperson

Summary

This position keeps the factory supplied with clean beets, and prepares the separated wastes (mud, tailings, trash, rocks, sand, etc.) for final disposition, while generating a minimum amount of waste water.

Essential Job Duties

- The Wash House Leadperson must operate the wash house and associated equipment in an efficient and safe manner.
- The Wash House Leadperson must understand and direct the operation of the following systems and related equipment in the wash house area as directed by his supervisor:
 - ▶ Rock, trash, and sand catchers.
 - ▶ Beet washers.
 - ▶ Trash and tailings separation and preparation systems.
 - ▶ Clarifier and mud pressing.
 - ▶ Water and waste water systems (as they relate to the Wash House).
 - ▶ Environmental systems (as they relate to the Wash House).
 - ▶ Chemical feed systems (including antifoams, lime, flocculants, et al.).
- Assure that all work areas are kept clean
- Complete administrative tasks, duties, and reports as required in a timely manner (Must be able to certify understanding of environmental requirements.)
- Implement and require strict adherence to all safety, food safety, feed safety, and sanitation rules and programs.
- Develop the skills of self and others through training
- Use people, time, equipment, and material in the most efficient manner
- Report mechanical, electrical, instrumentation, environmental, food safety, feed safety, and operational problems, and unsafe conditions to supervisor
- Good attendance, safety, disciplinary, and overall employment records
- Other duties as required by the business
- Adhere to all company policies and all safety, food safety, feed safety, and sanitation rules and programs

Qualifications

- High school education or equivalent
- Read, write, and follow instructions
- Should be motivated, willing, enthusiastic, and promotable
- Good attendance, safety, disciplinary, and overall employment records
- Embrace teamwork
- Ability to communicate effectively and work cohesively with others
- Organized with excellent time management skills

Physical Demands and Expectations

- Able to stand or walk on concrete floors for an entire eight-hour shift if necessary
- Able to lift up to 50 pounds
- Able to bend
- Able to climb stairs
- Able to work in temperature extremes (cold and hot)
- Able to work in noisy and dusty conditions
- Able to work on rotating shifts up to six days per week. A normal shift will consist of eight hours with a scheduled sixth day every four weeks