

# **Public Transport Authority**

# Job Description Form



# **Our Purpose**

To provide safe, customer-focussed, integrated and efficient transport services.

**Position Title** Level **Position Number** Trainee Linesperson **REA 1-2** 30078, 30093, 34286,

> (Overhead Maintainer) 34287

**Division/Directorate Branch/Section** 

Network & Infrastructure Electrical Engineering / Urban Electrical Overhead

**Effective Date Health Task Risk Assessment Category** 

February 2016

#### Reporting relationships

Superordinate: Overhead Supervisor, Level 5

Subordinates: No Direct Reports

#### Key role of this position

Assists Linespersons in the effective maintenance and support for the Overhead Line Equipment (OLE).

#### Core duties and responsibilities

#### **Technical and Operational**

- Assists Linespersons in conducting their maintenance duties on the OLE including use of EWP, high voltage operator sticks, cleaning insulators, earthing/bonding and line patrols.
- Responsible for the care, maintenance and operation of overhead catenary machinery and plant to the level of skills/training for this position.
- Operates and maintains basic tools and equipment including ladders, earth and high voltage operator sticks under supervision of qualified linespersons and staff.
- Performs manual/machine-assisted cleaning tasks, and cleans plant/equipment/work-site as required.

# Safety and Compliance

- Follows rules, procedures and guidelines to work within an electrified railway environment.
- Works safely and maintains safe working environment at all times.

#### **Continuous Improvement**

- Maintains basic records of day to day work, training and development.
- Undertakes all required training, on and off the job, including but not limited to enterprise specific and AQF skills/competencies necessary for criteria progression.



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#### Other

- · Drives light vehicles.
- Uses two-way radio/mobile.
- Carries out under the required level of supervision, other such tasks and functions that are within the limits of the employee's skills, competency and training.

#### **Essential Work Related Requirements**

## 1. Job Specific

- Good numeracy and literacy skills.
- Good mechanical aptitude and the ability to carry out maintenance work at moderate heights (up to 10 metres) during either the day or night.

## 2. Communication and Interpersonal

- Ability to work in a team environment.
- Good written and verbal communication skills.

#### 3. Personal Attributes

• Ability and willingness to undergo all training required.

#### **Special Appointment Requirements**

- Satisfactory completion of required medical examinations to verify physical fitness, mobility and the dexterity to perform the duties of the position.
- Provision of a current National Police Clearance certificate, dated 3 months or less from the date of application for the position.
- Possession of a current Western Australian "C" Class Driver's License or equivalent.
- Ability to work to agreed roster covering unsocial hours including weekends and public holidays, standby hours and attend callouts at short notice.

**Please Note:** Applicants must meet the requirements of the Linesperson Pathway Program or equivalent as amended from time to time within a twelve (12) month period after appointment.

Termination of the appointment may occur where an applicant does not meet the special requirements within the agreed period of time after appointment.

All licenses/tickets relevant to this position must be maintained on an ongoing basis and may be requested by the Public Transport Authority from time to time.



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Certification The details contained in this document are an accurate requirements of the position.	ate statement of the duties, responsibilities and other
Managing Director / Executive Director / General Manager	
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Employee	
I have read and accept the responsibilities of the Job Description Form.	
The position's duties are to be performed in accordance with the PTA's Code of Conduct and the PTA's Values.	
Signature	Date
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