

POWERLINE TECHNICIAN - SOUTH CAICOS

Applications are invited from interested and suitably qualified individuals for the position of **Powerline Technician**, South Caicos.

Description

The incumbent will work as part of a Line Crew in the safe and efficient construction, operation and maintenance of the transmission and distribution systems in order to achieve a safe and reliable supply of electricity to customers. This also includes boat operations, subsea cable installation and repairs.

Main Duties & Responsibilities

- Responsible for carrying all types of line work which includes dead line and live line work in a safe and efficient manner consistent with common Best Utility Work Practices and Work Methods.
- Responsible for being an efficient and productive employee within the work group assigned.
- Responsible for carrying out overhead and underground distribution and transmission work in an effective and timely manner using Best Utility Practices and Pelican Energy TCI Standards & Procedures.
- Responsible to work with other work groups in substation construction & maintenance as well as the production & generation departments as required.
- Responsible for operating line trucks and other associated line equipment, keeping safety, housekeeping and approved equipment procedures in mind, all employees are required to report any defects, incidents, accidents that may occur in a timely manner.
- Responsible for working regular & non-regular hours and are required to participate in the Pelican Energy TCI on - call roster on a regularly scheduled basis.
- Responsible to be a team player & ensuring all Pelican Energy TCI Policies & Procedures are followed at all times.
- Responsible for providing high-quality, on-the-job training to Apprentice Linemen.
- Responsible to participate in all competency based & formal job specific training activities offered by Pelican Energy TCI to meet electrical utility best practice standards.
- Responsible to be available during times of crises such hurricane relief & recovery, lightning storms or any other natural disaster that may occur.
- Responsible for maintaining a neat & professional appearance and ensuring a safe & environmentally acceptable worksite which is in line with the Company's Policies & procedures and enhance the overall public image.

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Daily Duties

- Participate in Job Planning / Risk Management assessments (Written Tailboards) of each job at its commencement and ensure all workers present have participated and are familiar with their assigned job task.
- Required to ensure that daily circle checks are performed on the assigned vehicle so everything is secured and in good running order & to report all defects to immediate supervisor in a timely manner.
- Provide detailed and accurate information on all outages to the System Control Room prior to planned outages and upon arrival at the scene of unplanned power outages. As well Linepersons are required to document any & all trouble calls on the Pelican Energy TCI Fault Report Form.
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- Perform such other duties as may be assigned.

NOTE: Selected Employees will be required to participate in Subsea Activities which may include but not limited to:

- Small boat operations and subsea cable trouble-shooting, which may entail cable fault locating using an approved test equipment, shallow water diving activities, new cable installation, splicing and other associated activities.

Academic/ Technical/ Management Experience and Qualifications:

- Journeyman Lineman's qualifications.
- Must hold and maintain an applicable and valid Turks & Caicos Islands Driver's License.

Abilities, Skills, Experience, Aptitude & Judgement:

- Excellent team player.
 - Excellent analytical skills.
 - Excellent written and oral communication skills.
 - Goal-oriented and self-motivated with a proven safety record.
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- **Compensation is commensurate with experience and qualifications.**