

## LIVESTOCK SPECIALIST II

NATURE OF WORK IN THIS CLASS:

This is moderately complex professional work involved in the formulation and implementation of livestock development and protection schemes.

Employees in this class perform moderately complex professional duties independently on an ongoing basis and participate in the more complex professional duties under closer supervision.

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES OF WORK: (These examples do not list all the duties which may be assigned; any one position may not include all the duties listed.)

Conducts experiments and recommends and implements improved techniques and practices in the breeding, development, selection, management and production of livestock and with the production and care of their products.

Participates in the formulation of policies, animal quarantine regulations, management plans and public education programs.

Conducts specialized investigative and research work.

Supervises work crew in the care and protection of livestock.

Assembles progress reports and reviews environmental impact statements that involve the animal industry.

Performs related duties as required.

MINIMUM KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS:

Knowledge of the principles, practices and techniques of animal science relative to the animal husbandry program.

Knowledge of basic biological and agricultural sciences.

Ability to formulate and implement livestock development and protection schemes.

Ability to interpret, apply and make decisions in accordance with program guidelines.

Ability to collect, compile and analyze data for animal husbandry studies.

Ability to work effectively with employees and the public.

Ability to communicate effectively, orally and in writing.

Ability to maintain records and prepare reports.

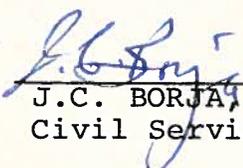
MINIMUM EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:

(a) One year of experience as a Livestock Specialist I or equivalent work and graduation from a recognized college or university with a Bachelor's degree in animal science or related fields; or

(b) Any equivalent combination of experience and training beyond the Bachelor's degree which provides the minimum knowledge, abilities, and skills.

Established: July, 1980

Pay Range: 29

  
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