

DUTY STATEMENT

GS 907T (REV. 03/05)

SHADED AREA TO REFLECT RECLASS POSITION NUMBER ONLY**INSTRUCTIONS:** Refer to the Essential Functions Duty Statement Manual for instructions on how to complete the Duty Statement.

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EFFECTIVE DATE:

DGS OFFICE OR CLIENT AGENCY Procurement Division	POSITION NUMBER (Agency - Unit - Class - Serial)
UNIT NAME AND CITY LOCATED Office of Small Business & DVBE Services - West Sacramento	CLASS TITLE Associate Governmental Program Analyst (AGPA)
WORKING DAYS AND WORKING HOURS Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	SPECIFIC LOCATION ASSIGNED TO 707 3 rd Street, West Sacramento, CA 95605
PROPOSED INCUMBENT (if known)	CURRENT POSITION NUMBER (Agency - Unit - Class - Serial) 306-496-5393-019

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BRIEFLY (1 or 2 sentences) DESCRIBE THE POSITION'S ORGANIZATIONAL SETTING AND MAJOR FUNCTIONS

Under the direction of the Staff Services Manager I, the AGPA performs the most complex analytical and consultative duties pertinent to Small Business and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (SB/DVBE) certification program; conducts a comprehensive review and analysis of certification applications and relevant supporting documents such as tax returns, employee forms, legal documents, contracts, etc; develops and maintains the SB/DVBE certification programs by providing innovative solutions in the application of policies and regulations; promotes, supports, and provides excellent customer service.

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All work is to be accomplished in accordance with the laws, rules, regulation, and/or guidelines of the Department of General Services (DGS). The incumbent will ensure the State's purchasing operations are in compliance with State and Federal laws relating to procurement and contracts, Public Contract Code (PCC), State Administrative Manual (SAM), Government Code, Management Memos, and Executive orders, small business (SB) certification policies and guidelines, Government Code (GC) Sections 14835-14843, Military and Veterans Code (MVC) Sections 999-999.13 and 999.50 et seq., and California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 2, Section 1896 et seq, Office of Small, Disabled Services (OSDS) certification policies and procedures, California Public Contract Code Sections 10115 et seq. and SB/DVBE certification policies and guidelines.

SUPERVISOR'S STATEMENT: I HAVE DISCUSSED THE DUTIES OF THE POSITION WITH THE EMPLOYEE

SUPERVISOR'S NAME (Print)	SUPERVISOR'S SIGNATURE	DATE
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EMPLOYEE'S STATEMENT: I HAVE DISCUSSED WITH MY SUPERVISOR THE DUTIES OF THE POSITION AND HAVE RECEIVED A COPY OF THE DUTY STATEMENT

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<p>35%</p>	<p>ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS</p> <p>In order to facilitate SB and DVBE participation in state contracting and determine SB and /or DVBE certification eligibility, the incumbent will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Independently review the more complex certification applications and any support documentation for completeness and determines whether certification compliance and eligibility requirements are met by new applicants and/or existing certified firms. • Analyze tax returns, employee forms, and other business documentation to validate an applicant's Small Business and/or DVBE certification eligibility • Conduct structured audits in accordance with OSDS policy and procedures to determine a certified firm's eligibility compliance. • Perform technical and detailed review of elevated complaints and appeals of certification decisions and prepare responses. • Identify areas of potential certification program abuse and in collaboration with PD OSDS, and/or Executive management and Legal staff to enforce appropriate regulatory sanctions and penalties against the applicant. • Participate in the policy and procedural development process by providing recommendations to management on a broad range of program-related problems.
<p>25%</p>	<p>In order to administer the certification process and to maintain an accurate account of an applicant's certification history, create and modify electronic records in the OSDS database, the incumbent will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Import complex business and eligibility data as analyzed and obtained from a certification application and all supporting documentation. • Gather and analyze small business computational data relative to the firm's size (annual receipts and number of employees for the applicant and any affiliates). • Generate complex DVBE data reports relative to the firm's structure and operations. • Prepare notification to an applicant regarding their certification status and/or to obtain additional information needed to complete a new certification or to bring an existing certification into compliance.
<p>20%</p>	<p>In order to effectively promote the State's certification programs and related government services and resources to internal and external customers, the incumbent will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluate certification information for eligibility, compliance and program abuse by utilizing Government Code, California Code of Regulations, Public Contract Code, Military and Veterans Code and the Public Records Act. • Assess and evaluate information from multiple sources, distinguish between the multiple structures of business, ownership types, tax returns, and additional documentation needed to form a viable business in the state of California, then disseminate this information in simple and concise formats. • Provide customers with relevant certification and related information, including publications and Internet resources, and give navigational assistance of the OSDS' website and other related websites, including the electronic certification application. • Provide expert level consultative services to customers about various local, state and federal SB and/or DVBE program resources and related information, including business assistance and business opportunities.
<p>20%</p>	<p>MARGINAL FUNCTIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In order to support ongoing program development and process improvement, perform the more complex special projects as requested by managers/supervisors (i.e., research information on specific topics, perform statistical data analysis, develop issue papers, conduct surveys and participate in policy and procedural development processes, etc.)

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Represent the OSDS at various SB/DVBE-related meetings and events, including with high-level officials, as requested by management to explain, present and/or discuss SB and/or DVBE Certification Program related topics. • Act as a lead person and assist the supervisor in providing training and instructional guidance when required. <p>KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES</p> <p>Knowledge of: Principles, practices, and trends of public and business administration, management, and supportive staff services such as budgeting, personnel, and management analysis; government functions and organization; and methods and techniques of effective conference leadership.</p> <p>Ability to: Reason logically and creatively and utilize a variety of analytical techniques to resolve complex governmental and managerial problems; develop and evaluate alternatives; analyze data and present ideas and information effectively both orally and in writing; consult with and advise administrators or other interested parties on a wide variety of subject-matter areas; gain and maintain the confidence and cooperation of those contacted during the course of work; coordinate the work of others, act as a team or conference leader; and appear before legislative and other committees.</p> <p>DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Familiarity with the State's Small Business and/or DVBE programs, procurement and/or contracting process, business management and/or case management. • Has computer efficiency and experience with the Microsoft® Office Suite applications, database application(s), and Internet navigation. <p>SPECIAL PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to effectively handle stress and deadlines. • Dependable; responsible; positive attitude; punctual. • Ability to provide objective overview of situations. • Willingness to accept challenges, handle multiple projects simultaneously. • Ability to lead and participate in teams. <p>WORK ENVIRONMENT, PHYSICAL OR MENTAL ABILITIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to work in a fast paced environment. • Sitting in a seated position for extended periods of time. • Frequent use of a computer and related software applications and the Internet at a workstation. • Constant handling of confidential information. • Lots of telephone contact and some public contact. • Community printer for printouts and copies. • Occasional lifting required (up to 50 pounds). • Occasional off-site meetings within Sacramento and occasional out-of-town meetings within California that may require the use of various transportation modes, i.e. airplane, taxi, car, etc.

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	ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS
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35%	<p>In order to effectively promote the State's certification programs and related government services and resources to internal and external customers the incumbent will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prepare and transmit correspondence to internal or external customer inquiries for information or assistance including letters, memorandums, reports, etc. • Provide customers with relevant certification and related information, including publications and Internet resources, and gives thorough navigational assistance of the OSDS' website and other related websites, including the electronic certification application. • Provide consultative services to customers when they inquire about various local, state and federal SB and/or DVBE program resource and related information, including business assistance and business opportunities.
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5%	<p>MARGINAL FUNCTIONS</p> <p>Represent the OSDS at various SB/DVBE-related meetings and events, with high-level officials, as requested by management to explain, present and/or discuss SB and/or DVBE Certification Program related topics.</p>

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