

AUSTRALIAN EMPLOYMENT COVENANT

Manufacturing Industry

General Overview

Manufacturing is the physical or chemical transformation and assembly of materials, substances or components into a new product. Workplaces within the manufacturing industry are often referred to as plants, factories or mills which use power driven machinery and other materials-handling equipment.

Examples of manufacturing include milk bottling, fresh fish packaging (including oyster shucking, fish filleting), printing activities, ready-mixed concrete production and many more.

Manufacturing would be appropriate for those who enjoy a routine and have good attention to detail.

So what sort of person do you need to be to work in manufacturing? Manufacturing can seem repetitive to some; however there is reward in seeing the final product of what you have helped complete. To work in the manufacturing industry you need to be dedicated, precise and have the ability to work independently and as part of a team. You need to:

- ✓ Be hard working
- ✓ Have good attention to detail
- ✓ Be able to concentrate for long periods of time
- ✓ Have a good understanding of health and safety regulations
- ✓ Have good time management skills
- ✓ Able to take instructions
- ✓ Enjoy practical and manual work

The Jobs

There are a number of jobs available in the manufacturing industry, with much opportunity for growth and promotion. Although there are few jobs that you can commence at an entry level and once you have your foot in the door the sky is the limit.

Paper and Pulp Operator – Paper and pulp operators assist in the various chemical and physical processes that turn wood and waste paper into pulp and paper products. Paper and pulp operators need to be responsible and careful when handling machinery.

Seafood Processor - Seafood processors scale, clean, fillet, cut, shell, grade and pack seafood for sale or supply using knives, scalers and power equipment. Seafood processors work in cool and wet environments and may be required to stand for most of the day. Seafood processors work under hygienic conditions. They are often required to start early in the morning to prepare seafood for the local markets or for exporting to other countries.

Food process worker - Food process workers operate machines and prepare foods for processing using a wide range of methods and equipment. Food process workers may receive, check and store raw materials, operate conveyor and processing equipment, take samples and check products for dispatch. They prepare and sort fruit and vegetables for processing, feed them into machines and operate machinery to blend flour, meal and feed. They are also responsible for sterilising equipment and keeping processing areas clean.

Industry Requirements

- ✓ High standard of personal cleanliness
- ✓ Good at technical activities
- ✓ Good attention to detail
- ✓ Good hand –eye coordination
- ✓ Ability to meet physical demands

Participant Details

Name:

Address:

Contact Number 1:

Contact Number 2:

Job Seeker ID:

Job Network Provider:

Case Manager Name:

Phone Number:

Mobile Number:

Email:

Training Details

Dates:

Training Provider:

Training Location:

Trainer Name:

Uniform Requirements:

Meals Required:

Other Requirements:

Minimum Requirements Checklist

Are you able to concentrate for long periods of time?

Sometimes you might need to do shift work; are you able to?

Are you able to travel to and from the work location during the hours required?

Do you have a great eye for details?

Are you able to complete repetitive tasks for long periods of time?

Do you enjoy working in a team environment?

Do you have a focus on health and safety?

Are you able to follow instructions accurately?

Signatures

Participant Name:

Participant Signature:

Case Manager Name:

Case Manager Signature:



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