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Class Specifications for the Class:HEAVY TRUCK DRIVERDuties Summary:

Operates a truck having a factory-rated capacity of 5 tons and over or a tank truck having a capacity of over 1200 gallons as a major work assignment, and performs operational maintenance; may perform manual work tasks in connection with general construction and maintenance work; and performs other related duties as assigned.

Distinguishing Characteristics:

This class differs from that of Truck Driver in that the Heavy Truck Driver operates and maintains a truck having a factory-rated capacity of 5 tons or over or a tank truck having a capacity of over 1200 gallons as a major work assignment; the Truck Driver operates and maintains a truck having a factory-rated capacity of 1-1/2 tons but less than 5 tons or a tank truck having a capacity of 1200 gallons or less as a major work assignment and may occasionally operate heavier trucks.

Examples of Duties:

Operates a truck representative of the class in hauling sand, rocks, aggregates, dirt and other materials; operates a tank truck having a capacity of over 1200 gallons which is used for watering landscaped areas, poisoning weeds and brush or applying bitumuls to pavement; operates or runs equipment attached to or mounted on trucks such as rock spreaders, booms, air compressors and spraying equipment; transports personnel to and from work sites; loads and unloads trucks; keeps equipment supplied with fuel, oil, water and air; services and makes minor emergency repairs to equipment; may keep records of areas watered or sprayed with poison; cuts grass, cleans ditches and cleans dirt and debris from highways and other areas; spreads asphaltic concrete and rocks in repairing pavement; may supervise others in loading and unloading trucks or performing other tasks related to the operation of the truck or attachments; and may operate other types of motorized equipment and assist in manual work as required.

Knowledge and Abilities Required:

Knowledge of: Method of operating motorized equipment representative of the class; the capacity and uses of motorized equipment representative of this class; maintenance needs of motorized equipment representative of this class; laws, ordinances, practices, and rules and regulations governing the operation of motorized

equipment on streets and highways; and hazards and safety precautions applicable to the operation of motor vehicles.

Ability to: Operate motorized equipment representative of this class skillfully and safely; understand and follow oral and written instructions; perform minor maintenance work on equipment representative of this class; learn to operate attachments to trucks such as booms, generators, air compressors and spraying equipment; understand and observe traffic laws and rules; and observe mechanical defects and take steps to have such defects corrected; perform lifting, carrying or other manual work typical of the class.

Due to the transfer of authority to the Department of Education to administer its own Civil Service System pursuant to Act 51 Session Laws of Hawaii 2004, this is an adoption of the class specifications for the Executive Branch Civil Service class HEAVY TRUCK DRIVER by the Department of Education Civil Service system.

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