

Specification for Class of

AUTOMOBILE DRIVER

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Definition: Operates passenger cars, station wagons, pickup trucks, vans, light panel delivery trucks, and similar vehicles a majority of the time.

Distinguishing Characteristics: Positions in this class are distinguished from truck drivers in that they operate light to medium duty commercial class vehicles rated at 3/4 ton or under, or passenger vehicles under 9 passengers a majority of the time.

Typical Work

Drives passenger car, station wagon or carry-all in transporting employees, students, or patients; maintains security and custody of students or patients;

Drives pickup, panel delivery, or other small truck in picking up and delivering such items as mail, medicine, small parts and equipment, specimens, oxygen tanks, and groceries;

Drives ambulance in transporting sick and injured persons to hospitals or clinics; transfers patients; transports deceased persons to morgue;

Services, lubricates, and makes minor and emergency repairs to vehicle operated;

Relieves truck drivers on regularly established delivery and pick-up schedules;

Performs shopping errands and makes miscellaneous purchases for patients;

Performs other work as required.

Knowledge and Abilities

Knowledge of: rules of safe operation of automotive equipment; State motor vehicle laws; rules governing State cars and equipment; methods, tools, and materials used in servicing and maintaining automotive equipment.

Ability to: operate, service, lubricate, and maintain passenger cars and light trucks.

Minimum Qualifications

A valid unrestricted motor vehicle operator's license is required.

Revises minimum qualifications

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Revised December 12, 1986

Revise definition, minimum qualifications, and adds distinguishing characteristics

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Revises minimum qualifications