



Job Opening

APPLICATION DEADLINE DATE: June 13, 2022

<u>JOB TITLE:</u>	Senior Certification Analyst, SG-18, PEF	<u>LOCATION:</u>	Watertown
<u>APPOINTMENT TYPE:</u>	Permanent	<u>JURISDICTION CLASS:</u>	Non-Competitive
<u>DEPARTMENT:</u>	Division of Minority & Women-owned Business Development North Country Regional Office 317 Washington Street 2nd Floor Watertown, NY 13601		

BASIC FUNCTION:

The incumbent will follow the Division's certification application review process to timely and accurately review certification applications and develop recommendations regarding the eligibility of certification applications from Minority and Women-owned Businesses (MWB) as to their ownership and managerial and operational control pursuant to Article 15-A, Section 314 of the Statewide Certification program; partner with Business Development to assist recently certified firms with learning about State contract opportunities, bidding and contracting process, and other resources offered by the DMWBD; answer questions regarding the application process and documents required to meet the Article 15-A requirements.

WORK PERFORMED:

- Review certification applications for completeness.
- Prepare written requests for clarifications to applicants based on review and analysis of the application and supporting documentation.
- Contact applicants requesting additional documentation in cases of incompleteness or necessity for up-to-date information on business activities.
- Conduct both virtual and in-person state-wide interviews of applicants, as well as in-person and virtual site visits as necessary.
- Ascertain application's eligibility for certification.
- Prepare checklists and final reports focusing on issues of ownership and operational and managerial control and develop conclusions relative to applicant eligibility for MWBE status.
- Represent the agency by participating on panels for various business seminars.

EDUCATION & REQUIREMENTS:

Six years of experience in contract compliance, affirmative action, or minority and women's business enterprises. This experience must include the following:

- Planning, developing, implementing, and reviewing programs dealing with minority business enterprise, affirmative action, minority and women's business program coordination, affirmative action compliance review, OR
- Labor relations directly relating to affirmative action, OR
- Experience in the development and administration of programs designed to facilitate minority and women's access to employment or business opportunities in the public or private sector.

Substitution:

The following substitutions for the experience described above may be applied as follows:

- An associate degree in business, computer science, marketing, math, finance, accounting, economics, public administration, public policy, or related field, may substitute for two years of experience described above.
- A bachelor's degree in business, computer science, marketing, math, finance, accounting, economics, public administration, public policy, or related field, may substitute for four years of experience described above.
- A J.D. or master's degree in business, computer science, marketing, math, business administration, economics, public administration, public policy, or related field, may substitute for one additional year of experience described above.
- Two years of experience as an Assistant Minority Business Specialist or as a Minority Business Specialist I may substitute for six years of experience.

SALARY RANGE: \$61,270 - \$77,912

Note: The starting salary for candidates with no prior State service will be at the minimum hiring rate.

ADDITIONAL:

IMPORTANT: All Department of Economic Development employees are required to be tested weekly for COVID-19 unless they are fully vaccinated. Employees who are vaccinated must provide proof of vaccine status through a secure online portal.

If interested in this position, please forward a cover letter and resume to the e-mail address below by June 13, 2022. Be sure to indicate the position title, vacancy ID#, and location you are applying for and specify how you meet the minimum qualifications in your cover letter.

INQUIRE

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