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OFFICE OF STATE EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS

- MERIT RECRUITMENT & SELECTION BULLETIN -

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**Subject:** Classification Plan Changes for **WSEU Blue Collar, Security and Public Safety**, and **Technical Bargaining Units** related to the 2003-2005 labor contracts

Pursuant to s. 230.09, Stats., the Director of the Office of Employment Relations (OSER) has approved the classification plan changes identified on this bulletin. Regardless of the actual notification date, the **effective date is July 24, 2005**, unless otherwise stated. Details on the pay processing instructions to accompany implementation of these class plan changes are contained in Bulletin OSER-0069-CLR/LR/PP.

1. **Abolish the Experimental Farm Laborer, Experimental Herd Assistant-Objective and -Senior, Laboratory Animal Technician 1, 2, 3 and Poultry Worker-Objective and -Senior** classifications, **effective July 24, 2005**. Positions affected by this action will be reallocated to the Animal Research Technician classification series. See item # 6 below for more information. Questions may be directed to Leean White at (608) 267-0344.
2. **Create the Cheesemaker** classification, **effective July 24, 2005**, to describe select positions located at the University of Wisconsin-Madison Dairy Plant and *modify* the Dairy Plant Assistant-Entry, -Senior and -Advanced classification specification to specifically exclude positions that function as cheesemakers a majority of the time. UW-Madison will process affected reallocation notices. Reallocations related to the implementation of the Cheesemaker classification is delegated to UW System Administration. Questions may be directed to Denise Kohout at (608) 266-0712.
3. **Abolish the Weights and Measures Inspector-Entry** classification, **effective July 24, 2005**, as this level will not be used in the future. Questions may be directed to Leean White at (608) 267-0344.
4. **Reassign the Pay Ranges** for the classifications of: **Animal Health Consultant, Animal Health Inspector-Entry and -Objective, Food Safety Consultant, Food Safety Inspector – Entry and -Objective, Meat Safety Consultant, Meat Safety Inspector – Entry and -Objective, Multiple Products Grader-Entry and -Objective, Weights and Measures Inspector-Developmental and -Objective, and Weights and Measures Technical Specialist, effective July 24, 2005**, as a result of negotiation of the 2003-2005 labor contract between the State of Wisconsin and the Wisconsin State Employees Union. The Department of Administration Central Payroll and University of Wisconsin Employee Compensation and Benefits Services will automate these transactions. Questions may be directed to Leean White at (608) 267-0344.
5. **Abolish the Equipment Fabricator-Entry, -Journey and -Senior and the Forestry Equipment Technician** classification series, **effective July 24, 2005**, and reallocate the affected positions to the Forestry Technician-Advanced classification as noted in item # 7 below. Questions may be directed to Leean White at (608) 267-0344.
6. **Create the Animal Research Technician, Animal Research Technician-Objective/Intermediate, Animal Research Technician-Senior and Animal Research Technician-Advanced** classification series **effective July 24, 2005**, to replace the classifications being abolished in item # 1 above. Implementation of this classification series is delegated to UW System Administration. University of Wisconsin Employee Compensation and Benefits Services will automate these transactions. Questions may be directed to Leean White at (608) 267-0344.

7. *Modify* the **Forestry Technician** classification series, **effective July 24, 2005**, to include positions at the LeMay Forestry Center within the Department of Natural Resources. Reallocation notices will be processed by the Department of Natural Resources. Positions formerly classified as Equipment Fabricator-Entry, -Journey and – Senior are reallocated to the Forestry Technician series. Refer to item # 5 above. Questions may be directed to Leean White at (608) 267-0344.
8. *Create* the **Research Vessel Captain** and **Research Vessel Crew Leader** classifications, **effective July 24, 2005**. Reallocation of positions from the Research Technician classification series are being reallocated to these new titles. Implementation of the Research Vessel Captain and Research Vessel Crew Leader is delegated to the Department of Natural Resources. Questions may be directed to Leean White at (608) 267-0344.

**Internet Availability:**

The target date for the availability of classification specifications from this bulletin on the OSER Web Page is August 18, 2005. This is the only notification DMRS will be providing, so please share this information with appropriate agency staff. Any questions should be directed to Debra Bower at (608) 267-5162.

**Alphabetical Listing of Classifications:**

The Alphabetical Listing of Classifications (Alpha List) is also available on the OSER Web Page at <http://oser.state.wi.us/docview.asp?docid=1425>. The Alpha List is updated monthly after classification plan changes are implemented. The date of the last update is listed at the top of the document. Please contact Debra Bower at (608) 267-5162 if you have any questions about information contained in the Alpha List.

**Contact Points:**

Questions may also be directed to the appropriate analyst at the OSER Fax number (608) 267-1000 or by e-mail at (using the analyst's name) [firstname.lastname@oser.state.wi.us](mailto:firstname.lastname@oser.state.wi.us).

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Classification	Class Code	Pay Range	Unit Code	EEO Cat.	FLSA	FLSA LTE Code	Job Group	CIC Code
<b>ABOLISH</b>								
Equipment Fabricator-Entry	83601	06-09	06	7	N	N	320	637
Equipment Fabricator-Journey	83602	06-10	06	7	N	N	320	637
Equipment Fabricator-Senior	83603	06-12	06	7	N	N	320	637
Experimental Farm Laborer	90230	03-07	03	8	E	N	283	479
Experimental Herd Assistant-Objective	90201	03-08	03	8	E	N	283	479
Experimental Herd Assistant-Senior	90202	03-10	03	8	E	N	283	479

Forestry Equipment Technician	83160	03-12	03	8	N	N	320	637
Laboratory Animal Technician 1	34161	06-07	06	3	N	N	283	487
Laboratory Animal Technician 2	34162	06-08	06	3	N	N	283	487
Laboratory Animal Technician 3	34163	06-10	06	3	N	N	283	487
Poultry Worker-Objective	90501	03-07	03	8	E	N	283	479
Poultry Worker-Senior	90502	03-08	03	8	E	N	283	479
Weights & Measures Inspector-Entry	70301	05-10	05	4	N	N	293	368

**CREATE**

Animal Research Technician	46071	06-09	06	3	N	N	283	487
Animal Research Technician-Objective/Intermediate	46072	06-10	06	3	N	N	283	487
Animal Research Technician-Senior	46073	06-11	06	3	N	N	283	487
Animal Research Technician-Advanced	46074	06-12	06	3	N	N	283	487
Cheesemaker	84600	03-15	03	7	N	N	253	688
Research Vessel Captain	93200	06-14	06	3	N	N	301	828
Research Vessel Crew Leader	93201	06-13	06	3	N	N	301	828

**MODIFY**

Dairy Plant Assistant-Entry	84661	03-07	3	8	N	N	283	688
Dairy Plant Assistant-Senior	84662	03-09	3	8	N	N	283	688
Dairy Plant Assistant-Advanced	84663	03-11	3	8	N	N	283	688
Forestry Technician	90760	06-10	6	3	N	N	283	495
Forestry Technician-Advanced	90770	06-12	6	3	N	N	283	495

**REASSIGN PAY RANGE**

Animal Health Consultant								
OLD	70270	05-12	05	4	E	N	293	489
NEW	70270	<b>05-15</b>	05	4	E	N	293	489
Animal Health Inspector-Entry								
OLD	70261	05-09	05	4	N	N	293	489
NEW	70261	<b>05-13</b>	05	4	N	N	293	489

Animal Health Inspector-Objective									
OLD	70262	05-11	05	4	N	N	293	489	
NEW	70262	<b>05-14</b>	05	4	N	N	293	489	
Food Safety Consultant									
OLD	70370	05-14	05	4	N	N	293	489	
NEW	70370	<b>05-15</b>	05	4	N	N	293	489	
Food Safety Inspector-Entry									
OLD	70361	05-12	05	4	N	N	293	489	
NEW	70361	<b>05-13</b>	05	4	N	N	293	489	
Food Safety Inspector-Objective									
OLD	70362	05-13	05	4	N	N	293	489	
NEW	70362	<b>05-14</b>	05	4	N	N	293	489	
Meat Safety Consultant									
OLD	70460	05-14	05	4	N	N	293	489	
NEW	70460	<b>05-15</b>	05	4	N	N	293	489	
Meat Safety Inspector-Entry									
OLD	70401	05-12	05	4	N	N	293	489	
NEW	70401	<b>05-13</b>	05	4	N	N	293	489	
Meat Safety Inspector-Objective									
OLD	70402	05-13	05	4	N	N	293	489	
NEW	70402	<b>05-14</b>	05	4	N	N	293	489	
Multiple Products Grader-Entry									
OLD	71501	05-12	05	4	N	N	293	036	
NEW	71501	<b>05-13</b>	05	4	N	N	293	036	
Multiple Products Grader-Objective									
OLD	71502	05-13	05	4	N	N	293	036	
NEW	71502	<b>05-14</b>	05	4	N	N	293	036	
Weights & Measures Inspector-Developmental									
OLD	70302	05-12	05	4	N	N	293	368	
NEW	70302	<b>05-13</b>	05	4	N	N	293	368	
Weights & Measures Inspector-Objective									
OLD	70303	05-13	05	4	E	N	293	368	
NEW	70303	<b>05-14</b>	05	4	E	N	293	368	
Weights & Measures Technical Specialist									
OLD	70340	05-14	05	4	E	N	293	368	
NEW	70340	<b>05-15</b>	05	4	E	N	293	368	

**Note:** Agencies are reminded to record relevant changes in the Job Group Listings distributed by the Division of Affirmative Action.

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