

EASTECH LIMITED

Position Description

POSITION TITLE:	Line Mechanic Faultman
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REPORTS TO:	Linecrew Foreman
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DIRECT REPORTS:	REVENUE RESPONSIBILITY
Nil	Nil

PURPOSE OF THE POSITION
To assist the Eastech team based in Wairoa to provide 24 hours, 7 days a week network fault response and maintenance service in a safe, effective and efficient manner.

PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTABILITIES
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Network Operational duties: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Actioning of planned and unplanned switching • Issuing third party Close Approach permits and escorting high load • Testing and earthing of equipment • Testing of control circuits, i.e. street light and hot water • Patrol, identify, document and repair potential hazards/faults on network assets • Maintaining familiarity with changing network system 2 Fault response: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in roster to provide first and second call fault response • Investigate, isolate and carry out repairs required to restore power • Attend accidents and emergencies involving power outages • Liaise with control room operators 3 Third party work: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy trader disconnections, reconnections • Switching and isolation for contractors/consumers • Investigate and repair faults on non-network owned distribution assets 4 Maintain vehicles, plant and equipment. 5 Complete documentation relevant to the performance of duties 6 Comply with Company band industry standard Health and Safety requirements

AUTHORITY AND FREEDOM OF ACTION

Expenditure in accordance with Company delegated authority policy.

Anything of an unusual nature should be brought to the attention of the appropriate manager. In defining "unusual" this requires the incumbent to assess any particular issue or circumstance through the experience brought to the position. Where such issue or circumstance is outside their experience this should be advised.

RELATIONSHIPS

Internal:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eastech Team
External:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eastland Network• General public• End user customers, energy retailers• Contractors, suppliers, retailers• Industry regulatory authorities, local territorial authorities• Other electricity industry participants

KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

Electrical experience in:

- 400V and 11kV overhead line construction and maintenance
- 11kV switching operations
- Knowledge of network fault investigation and restoration techniques

QUALIFICATIONS AND TRAINING

- Current NZ EWRB Practising License (Electrician or Line Mechanic)
- Current full drivers license Class 1 (and preferably class 2)

COMPETENCIES

- **Leadership**
Shows awareness of personal leadership style and its effect on others, as well as the ability to adjust the style to the situation. Maintains integrity and authority when handling negative situations such as conflict, challenge or change within a team and harnesses the diverse skills within the organisation.
- **Commercial Orientation**
Proactively seeks cost reductions & risk management opportunities; successfully motivates and encourages others to consider the commercial implications of their actions; cost initiatives are focused on sustainable reductions of total cost for the company as a whole; develops and uses effective financial performance indicators.

- **Planning and Organising**

The ability to plan and organise both short and long term initiatives. Develops effective operational work schedules and plans, manages time effectively and understands how to shift priorities in order to achieve objectives within tight timeframes.

- **Customer Service**

The ability and desire to focus attention on meeting the needs of all customers and to ensure customer satisfaction. This includes: responding to customer needs; recognising customers are both internal and external to the organisation; informing the customer; identifying and reporting barriers to service quality.

- **Communication**

The ability to communicate effectively to a wide range of people both in writing and orally. This includes a good understanding of English written grammar conventions, a well-developed vocabulary and the ability to carry out clear formal and informal communication at all levels in the organisation using a diplomatic and concise approach.

- **Relationship Building**

The ability to build and maintain effective relationships with staff, customers, suppliers and key stakeholders and to demonstrate sound networking skills. The main objective is to establish mutual understanding in a variety of situations so as to influence favourable outcomes for the organisation.

- **Teamwork**

The ability and willingness to work co-operatively with others and actively commit to being part of a team. It involves developing trust between team members and following through on commitments made to the team.

Agreed by:	Job Holder's	SIGNATURE	DATE
	Manager's	SIGNATURE	DATE