



INDUSTRIAL FORESTRY SERVICE LTD

Forest Resource, Engineering and Geomatics Consultants

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ASSISTANT NURSERY SUPERINTENDENT

Industrial Forestry Service Ltd. (IFS) currently has a vacancy for an exceptional individual at our Ness Lake Nursery. The nursery is primarily a greenhouse facility which grows approximately 20.0 million container seedlings annually. The position is fulltime and a great opportunity for the right candidates, to join a progressive nursery group and train and work directly with our nursery management team to develop the skills for a successful career in the forest seedling industry. IFS provides a competitive salary, a comprehensive benefits program, diversity in work and a great working environment.

DUTIES

- To learn and become familiar with growing forest seedlings and the events that occur throughout a 12 month work period at Ness Lake Nursery to manipulate the crop in order to meet or exceed contract specifications.
- Supervise nursery staff and be involved in the following operations:
 - sowing line,
 - Seedling lifting, sorting and packaging,
 - seedling cold storage and transportation'
 - crop irrigation and fertilization
 - Pest, disease and weed management
 - Greenhouse maintenance including application and removal of greenhouse plastic and blackout systems
- Explain and enforce IFS safety regulations and policies.
- Train Nursery staff to perform various nursery activities and tasks
- Be involved Pesticides application.
- Observe and inspect crops to evaluate plant and soil conditions and make constructive recommendations,
- Be involved in accurately tracking and maintaining seedling inventories,
- Become familiar with the operations of the nurseries computerized environmental control systems,
- Perform any other work assigned by the nursery superintendent and/or the nursery general manager.

ASSETS

- Able to work with others in a team environment.
- Provide leadership to staff and earn their respect
- Valid Class 5 (or better) Driving Licence and Safe Driving Record;
- Professional level skills in problem solving, decision making and organizational abilities;
- Have strong computer and associated software skills;
- Demonstrate good communication and technical writing skills;
- Must have a mechanical aptitude and knowledge of various nursery equipment and machinery

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Preferred: Degree or Diploma in Forestry, Agriculture, Horticulture or a related Science, or
- A minimum of four (4) years experience in a supervisory capacity at a forest seedling nursery and graduated from high school.

APPLICATIONS:

If you are interested in this challenging and fulfilling position, please forward your resume (with references) and cover letter to:

Industrial Forestry Service Ltd.
1595 Fifth Avenue
Prince George, BC V2L 3L9

Attention: Kelly Byfield, Nursery Superintendent

E-Mail: nursery@industrialforestry.ca (preferred)

Fax: (250) 967-4691

These Positions are only open to those legally entitled to work in Canada.

IFS thanks all those who have applied for the position. However, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.