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**SERIES PURPOSE**
The purpose of the boiler operator occupation is to operate & maintain boilers to supply heat & air conditioning for employees &/or residents.

**CLASS CONCEPT**
The full performance level class works under direction & requires considerable knowledge of boiler operation procedures in order to operate boilers & related mechanical equipment.
**JOB DUTIES IN ORDER OF IMPORTANCE** (These duties are illustrative only. Incumbents may perform some or all of these duties or other job-related duties as assigned.)

Operates boilers & related mechanical equipment, reads gauges, checks equipment for proper functioning & maintains logs.

Cleans & maintains boiler & related equipment (e.g., feed water pumps, oil pumps, electric motors, turbines, air compressor, water regulators, gear boxes, fans, water softeners).

Performs miscellaneous duties (e.g., cleans boiler room; hauls coal & ashes; cleans shower & locker room; transport inmates; oversees inmate activities).

**MAJOR WORKER CHARACTERISTICS**

Knowledge of boiler operation safety practices & procedures. Skill in operation of boiler equipment; operation of heavy equipment (e.g., loader, backhoe)*; operation of hand & power tools. Ability to understand system of mechanical procedures; understand technical manuals; work alone on most tasks; use limbs, fingers or hands to operate equipment, machinery or tools; stand, bend or walk for long periods of time.

(*) Developed after employment.

**MINIMUM CLASS QUALIFICATIONS FOR EMPLOYMENT**

Boiler Operator licensure appropriate for type of boiler operation pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 4104.19.

**TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT REQUIRED TO REMAIN IN THE CLASSIFICATION AFTER EMPLOYMENT**

Annual renewal of boiler operator license.

**UNUSUAL WORKING CONDITIONS**

Exposed to high temperatures & loud noise; may work in tight or confined area; may work with inmates; may work outside in unpleasant weather conditions.