

Job Description

Job Title: Pilot - Aerial Work (702)

Reports To: Aerial Work Manager, Chief Pilot

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SUMMARY

Under direct supervision of the chief pilot Aerial Work (702) this position is responsible for the safe and efficient operation of company aircraft by meeting the requirements of the standard operating procedures, company operations manual, Canadian Air Regulations, Commercial Air Service Standards and approved company objectives and performance standards.

Key Responsibilities:

1. Pilot Company aircraft in a safe efficient manner as assigned within the limitations and guidelines as defined in the aircraft flight manual CARs, CASS and COM.
2. Ensure all pre-flight and post flight activities are completed.
 - Checking weather, all applicable NOTAMs where available, determining fuel and oil requirements;
 - Computing the aeroplane weight & balance;
 - Completing an Operational Flight Plan, flight plan/itinerary or company work order as applicable;
 - Completing an aeroplane pre-flight inspection before each departure;
 - Supervise or carry out the loading and securing of any equipment/load;
 - Completing all post flight duties (plugs, ties, chocks, tents etc.), including notification of down times/confirmation of the whereabouts of the aeroplane when away from base, recording flight times and any defects in the aircraft journey log book and advising maintenance; and
 - Organization and management of work when away from the main base.
3. When away from base, authorize and oversee servicing, ground handling and security of the aircraft.
4. Maintain in good standing all required medicals, licenses, pilot proficiency checks, manuals and records as outlined in the Company Operations Manual, CARs and CASS.
5. Advise chief pilot of any matter that could either positively or negatively affect the operation of the company.
6. Participate in various non-flying duties as required including maintenance of publications, company training courses, pilot meetings, cleaning and maintaining aircraft.
7. All personnel are encouraged to be on alert for hazards on the job. All personnel are responsible for the prompt and diligent reporting of all observed or suspected hazards.

COMPETENCIES:

1. Proven flying proficiency.
2. Strong problem solving ability.
3. Ability to maintain situational awareness in a quick moving, fluid environment.
4. Strong analytical and mathematical skills.
5. Strong interpersonal skills and able to work in a team environment.
6. Results-oriented.

ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS:

1. Requires long periods of sitting.
2. Physical ability to load and refuel aircraft.
3. Working in a variety of temperature extremes.

EDUCATION and/or EXPERIENCE

1. Commercial pilot license.
2. Professional Ag Pilot Training Course.
3. Saskatchewan Pesticide Applicators License.
4. Willingness to learn.