PILOT, CHIEF

KIND OF WORK

Highly responsible professional piloting and supervisory work.

NATURE AND PURPOSE

The employee in this class directs use of departmental passenger aircraft and of alternative air transportation. Responsibility extends to scheduling proper aircraft maintenance, setting pilot proficiency standards, and to establishing operational standards governing aircraft use. The incumbent may advise aeronautics management staff on equipment and personnel.

Performance is assessed annually by aeronautics managers in terms of safety, economic efficiency, and passenger satisfaction in descending order of importance.

EXAMPLES OF WORK (A position may not include all the work examples given, nor does the list include all that may be assigned.)

- Supervises air transportation service pilots to ensure safety, license, and performance standards are met.
- Flies passengers according to schedules based on safety.
- Develops aircraft operating procedures so that Federal Aviation Administration regulations and DOT guidelines are observed.
- Supervises dispatching of passenger flights so that safe, cost efficient travel with appropriate traveller priorities is available.
- Supervises aircraft and aircraft log maintenance so that only airworthy equipment is scheduled for flight operations.
- Performs special assignments while awaiting passengers.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES REQUIRED

Knowledge of:

- Thorough knowledge of all aircraft maintenance requirements.
Ability to:

Communicate with passengers.

Supervise pilots effectively.

**LEGAL/LICENSE REQUIREMENTS**

Airline transport pilot certificate with commercial-instrument privileges, multi-engine and single engine land.

Federal Communications Radio Telephone license.

5000 hours total flight time including:
- 4000 hours as pilot-in-command
- 2000 hours multi-engine
- 250 hours instrument (50 hours in last three years)
- 250 hours night flight (10 hours in last year)
- 150 hours in last year

The incumbent shall not have passed the 60th Birthday.

First Class Medical (Executive Physical and Stress test).

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