

Columbia Power & Water Systems 201 Pickens Lane P.O. Box 379 Columbia, TN 38402-0379

# APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT FOR APPLICANTS NOT SUBJECT TO STAND-BY, AFTER-HOURS, AND/OR EMERGENCY CALL-OUT & NON-D.O.T. (NO COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE HOLDERS)

(Effective for one year)

Columbia Power and Water Systems is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Applicants are considered for all positions without discrimination with regard to race, color, religion, creed, sex, national origin, ancestry, age (40 and over), disability, citizenship, veteran status, or other legally protected classification. Information provided on this application will not be used for any discriminatory purpose.

CPWS only accepts applications and/or resumes for open, available positions for the job title(s) advertised/posted for a specific time period.

#### EMPLOYMENT APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED TO CPWS THAT ARE COMPLETED IMPROPERLY AND/OR INCOMPLETE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR EMPLOYMENT.

In the event that any applicant needs special assistance during the application process, please call 931-375-7600.

#### **PERSONAL DATA**

Name <u>:</u>			Date of	f Application:
Last First Middle				
Current Address:				
Stre	et Address		City, State, Zip	
Email Address:			Phone No. (	)
Exact job for which yo	ou are applying (see jo	ob title on attached	d Job Description):	<u> </u>
If currently employed	, why do you wish to	make a change?		
How did you hear abo	out this job opening?_			
Have you ever been e	employed by this com	pany?	_ If yes, where, w	hen and in what capacity?
Earliest date you are	available to work with	our company:		
In order to perform a	background check:			
(a) Have you ever	attended school und	ler other name(s)?	If so, please list n	ame(s):
(b) Have you ever	worked under other	name(s)? If so, ple	ase list name(s):_	

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

List last or present employer first – include vacation or temporary employment.

Please give complete street address, city, state, and zip code.

			Date	Reason for	Monthly Salary or
Employer	Position H	leld	(Month/Year)	Leaving	<b>Hourly Rate</b>
Name			From		Your Starting Rate
Complete Street Address, City, State, Zip			То		Your Rate at Leaving
Your Supervisor's Name and Title		Phone	Number	May we contac	t this person?

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The skills, responsibilities, and requirements of this job a	are listed o	on the attached Job Descrip	tion. Can you
perform all with or without an accommodation? Yes	No	If your answer was "No	", are there any
accommodations that can be made so that you can perf	orm the re	equired job duties? Yes	No

A post-job offer, pre-employment examination and drug testing will be required. CPWS also performs background checks.

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#### **EDUCATION**

Type of School	Name of School	Complete Street Address, City, State, Zip	Number of Years Completed	Course or Major Field Studied	Degree/ Diploma
High School					-
College					
Post Graduate					
Business School					
Trade School					
Correspondence					
Night School					
Other					

#### **REFERENCES**

List three persons who are **not** related to you and who would have knowledge of your qualifications for the position for which you are applying. **DO NOT** repeat name of supervisors listed under work experience and **DO NOT** list current or former employees of Columbia Power and Water Systems.

Name and Phone Number	Complete Street Address, City, State, and Zip	Business or Occupation
1.		
2.		
3.		

List any training, experience, skills or abilities that you consid the job for which you are applying:	er important to the successful performance of
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I understand Columbia Power and Water Systems follow an e terminate my employment at any time, or for any reason con understand that this application is not a contract of employm	sistent with applicable state or federal law. I
Federal law prohibits the employment of unauthorized aliens of legal employment authorization and identity within three (within the required time shall result in immediate employme employed, I must be lawfully authorized to work in the Uniterprove this fact. Can you provide such documentation to CPN	3) days of hire. Failure to submit such proof nt termination. I understand that to be d States and I must show documents that will
I understand that Columbia Power and Water Systems will the history and verify all data given on this application, on related individuals, schools, and firms named therein, except my current information requested about me, and I release them from all I agree to submit to a physical examination, including drug te	d papers, and in interviews. I authorize all rent employer if so noted, to provide any liability for damage in providing this information.
I certify that all the statements herein are true and understar sufficient cause for dismissal or refusal of employment.	nd that any falsification or willful omission shall be
This application will be active for one year ONLY after date of	submission.
Applicant Signature	Date

# EMPLOYEE RIGHTS UNDER THE FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT

THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR WAGE AND HOUR DIVISION

## LEAVE ENTITLEMENTS

Eligible employees who work for a covered employer can take up to 12 weeks of unpaid, job-protected leave in a 12-month period for the following reasons:

- The birth of a child or placement of a child for adoption or foster care;
- To bond with a child (leave must be taken within one year of the child's birth or placement);
- To care for the employee's spouse, child, or parent who has a qualifying serious health condition;
- For the employee's own qualifying serious health condition that makes the employee unable to perform the employee's job;
- For qualifying exigencies related to the foreign deployment of a military member who is the employee's spouse, child, or parent.

An eligible employee who is a covered servicemember's spouse, child, parent, or next of kin may also take up to 26 weeks of FMLA leave in a single 12-month period to care for the servicemember with a serious injury or illness.

An employee does not need to use leave in one block. When it is medically necessary or otherwise permitted, employees may take leave intermittently or on a reduced schedule.

Employees may choose, or an employer may require, use of accrued paid leave while taking FMLA leave. If an employee substitutes accrued paid leave for FMLA leave, the employee must comply with the employer's normal paid leave policies.

While employees are on FMLA leave, employers must continue health insurance coverage as if the employees were not on leave.

Upon return from FMLA leave, most employees must be restored to the same job or one nearly identical to it with equivalent pay, benefits, and other employment terms and conditions.

An employer may not interfere with an individual's FMLA rights or retaliate against someone for using or trying to use FMLA leave, opposing any practice made unlawful by the FMLA, or being involved in any proceeding under or related to the FMLA.

## **PROTECTIONS**

**BENEFITS &** 

## ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

An employee who works for a covered employer must meet three criteria in order to be eligible for FMLA leave. The employee must:

- Have worked for the employer for at least 12 months;
- Have at least 1,250 hours of service in the 12 months before taking leave;\* and
- Work at a location where the employer has at least 50 employees within 75 miles of the employee's worksite.

\*Special "hours of service" requirements apply to airline flight crew employees.

## REQUESTING LEAVE

Generally, employees must give 30-days' advance notice of the need for FMLA leave. If it is not possible to give 30-days' notice, an employee must notify the employer as soon as possible and, generally, follow the employer's usual procedures.

Employees do not have to share a medical diagnosis, but must provide enough information to the employer so it can determine if the leave qualifies for FMLA protection. Sufficient information could include informing an employer that the employee is or will be unable to perform his or her job functions, that a family member cannot perform daily activities, or that hospitalization or continuing medical treatment is necessary. Employees must inform the employer if the need for leave is for a reason for which FMLA leave was previously taken or certified.

Employers can require a certification or periodic recertification supporting the need for leave. If the employer determines that the certification is incomplete, it must provide a written notice indicating what additional information is required.

## EMPLOYER RESPONSIBILITIES

Once an employer becomes aware that an employee's need for leave is for a reason that may qualify under the FMLA, the employer must notify the employee if he or she is eligible for FMLA leave and, if eligible, must also provide a notice of rights and responsibilities under the FMLA. If the employee is not eligible, the employer must provide a reason for ineligibility.

Employers must notify its employees if leave will be designated as FMLA leave, and if so, how much leave will be designated as FMLA leave.

#### **ENFORCEMENT**

Employees may file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Labor, Wage and Hour Division, or may bring a private lawsuit against an employer.

The FMLA does not affect any federal or state law prohibiting discrimination or supersede any state or local law or collective bargaining agreement that provides greater family or medical leave rights.



For additional information or to file a complaint:

1-866-4-USWAGE

(1-866-487-9243) TTY: 1-877-889-5627

www.dol.gov/whd

U.S. Department of Labor | Wage and Hour Division





## This Organization Participates in E-Verify

#### Esta Organización Participa en E-Verify



This employer participates in E-Verify and will provide the federal government with your Form I-9 information to confirm that you are authorized to work in the U.S.

If E-Verify cannot confirm that you are authorized to work, this employer is required to give you written instructions and an opportunity to contact Department of Homeland Security (DHS) or Social Security Administration (SSA) so you can begin to resolve the issue before the employer can take any action against you, including terminating your employment.

Employers can only use E-Verify once you have accepted a job offer and completed the Form I-9.

#### **E-Verify Works for Everyone**

For more information on E-Verify, or if you believe that your employer has violated its E-Verify responsibilities, please contact DHS.

Este empleador participa en E-Verify y proporcionará al gobierno federal la información de su Formulario I-9 para confirmar que usted está autorizado para trabajar en los EE.UU..

Si E-Verify no puede confirmar que usted está autorizado para trabajar, este empleador está requerido a darle instrucciones por escrito y una oportunidad de contactar al Departamento de Seguridad Nacional (DHS) o a la Administración del Seguro Social (SSA) para que pueda empezar a resolver el problema antes de que el empleador pueda tomar cualquier acción en su contra, incluyendo la terminación de su empleo.

Los empleadores sólo pueden utilizar E-Verify una vez que usted haya aceptado una oferta de trabajo y completado el Formulario I-9.

#### **E-Verify Funciona Para Todos**

Para más información sobre E-Verify, o si usted cree que su empleador ha violado sus responsabilidades de E-Verify, por favor contacte a DHS.

**888-897-7781** dhs.gov/e-verify



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## IF YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO WORK



## DON'T LETANYONETAKE ITAWAY

f you have the skills, experience, and legal right to work, your citizenship or immigration status shouldn't get in the way. Neither should the place you were born or another aspect of your national origin. A part of U.S. immigration laws protects legally-authorized workers from discrimination based on their citizenship status and national origin. You can read this law at 8 U.S.C. § 1324b.

The <u>Immigrant and Employee Rights Section</u> (IER) may be able to help if an employer treats you unfairly in violation of this law.

The law that IER enforces is 8 U.S.C. § 1324b. The (the law prohibits retaliation at regulations for this law are at 28 C.F.R. Part 44.

Call IER if an employer:

Does not hire you or fires you because of your national origin or citizenship status (this may violate a part of the law at 8 U.S.C. § 1324b(a)(1))

Treats you unfairly while checking your right to work in the U.S., including while completing the Form I-9 or using E-Verify (this may violate the law at 8 U.S.C. § 1324b(a)(1) or (a)(6))

Retaliates against you because you are speaking up for your right to work as protected by this law the law prohibits retaliation at 8 U.S.C. § 1324b(a)(5))

The law can be complicated. Call IER to get more information on protections from discrimination based on citizenship status and national origin.

Immigrant and Employee Rights Section (IER)

1-800-255-7688

TTY 1-800-237-2515

www.justice.gov/ier IER@usdoj.gov



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