

**Position:** Log Equipment Operator  
**Reports to:** Log Division Supervisor  
**Location:** Oakdale Yard  
**Employment Type / Term:** Full Time, Non-Exempt

**Position Summary:** Successful candidates will be energetic, dependable and self-motivated people, who can work in a fast paced environment. Log Equipment Operators are responsible for the day-to-day safe operation of log processing equipment, container loading, and unloading of log trucks and trailers. Must have a strong work ethic and understanding of safe operating procedures. Must be able to follow instructions to work in a safe and efficient manner.

### **Major Duties & Responsibilities:**

- Understand the safe and efficient operation of heavy equipment such as front end loaders with knuckle boom and skid steers.
- Inspects machinery for any maintenance repairs or damage.
- Maintains a clean work environment.
- Operate debarking and chipping equipment within quality assurance specifications.
- Follow directions of supervisors
- Complete paperwork associated with load instructions (must exhibit a strong attention to detail)
- Understand and comply with safety procedures
- Properly use all of the required personal protection equipment (PPE) required for specific tasks (i.e. hard hats, gloves, reflective vests, safety glasses, etc.)
- Ability to operate hand and foot controls in vehicle.
- Other related work or duties as assigned.

### **Minimum Qualifications and Characteristics:**

- Complies with safety policies at all times
- Exhibits strong ability to work as a team with other co-workers
- Must be safety conscious, dependable, motivated and possess a positive attitude in working with others as a team
- Strong verbal communication skills
- Works hard to meet deadlines

### **Essential Physical & Mental Functions:**

- Demonstrates professionalism and safety
- Excellent hand, eye and foot coordination
- Possess a positive “can do” attitude

### **Working Conditions:**

- Overtime as required to meet deadlines
- Work is performed in an outdoor setting, which can include hot, cold, and inclement weather, and exposure to dust
- Must be physically able to repetitively lift and carry at least 50 LBS on a regular basis
- Use of personal protection equipment is required