

## **Omineca Forest Resource Services Ltd**

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### **WORK DESCRIPTION:**

Omineca Forest Resource Services Ltd is a forest consulting company that operates out of Prince George in the northern forests of British Columbia. The Companies services are mainly to develop cut blocks for harvesting. This includes timber reconnaissance, boundary marking, road location and survey, engineered cost estimates, riparian assessment and marking, ecological survey and description, bridge plans, wildlife habitat assessment, and timber cruising.

Living out of RV travel Trailers or logging camps for up to 10 days at a time, we work in remote locations in the out doors in all weather, including extreme weather from time to time. The work place is rugged, brushy, and steep. In the summer, if it were not for the black flies holding you down, the mosquito's would up and carry you off. Wild life encounters are common. We try not to hurt the bears, and the squirrels can be very aggressive. Driving and walking are the two most common activities for work site access. ATV's, snowmobiles, helicopters and boats are often used. The work is physical and can be tough. People who are successful at this kind of job enjoy the lifestyle, embrace physical and mental challenge and have a love of the out of doors, all year round.

### **JOB DESCRIPTION:**

**Junior Resource Technician**, often called 'the compass-man' performs such tasks as assisting the Senior Resource Technician or Registered Forest Technician, measuring and marking riparian boundaries, marking sensitive or dangerous areas, making measurements in a timber cruise, navigation, GPSing and perhaps the marking of boundaries along road sides or existing adjacent cut-blocks. This is an entry level position that pays from \$14.00 and hour to \$18.00 and hour.



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**Senior Resource Technician** is an experienced forestry person who under the over site of a Registered Forest Technologist, has assumed a leadership role. This person leads a crew of 2 to 4 persons and is trained, skilled and experienced in the development of a cut block. As well as being a mentor, this person can also take on other roles such as safety, project management, or logistics for example. This is an advanced position and can pay up to \$26.00 an hour.

**Registered Forest Technologist (RFT)** is a professional designation. Registered with the Association of British Columbia Forest Professionals, this person has a diploma or degree in a forestry related discipline. An RFT is professionally responsible for the work done under their supervision. A high leadership role, the RFT is responsible for crew management, multiple project management, some business responsibilities, crew safety, client relations, deadlines, logistics, training and mentorship. Sometimes, the RFT goes in the field and actually hangs a ribbon or two. This is a highly responsible and advanced leadership position and can pay up to \$35.00 an hour plus.

