

## CLASSIFICATION SPECIFICATION

<b>FLSA:</b>	<b>EXP</b>	<b>Job Code:</b>	<b>ACV76842</b>
<b>Job Class Code:</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>Salary Schedule:</b>	<b>ASRRECON</b>
<b>EEO Category:</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>Grade:</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Workers Comp Code:</b>	<b>8810</b>		

<b>Job Code Established:</b>	<b>Effective Date:</b>
<b>Job Code Revised:</b>	<b>Effective Date:</b>

**JOB CODE SERIES:** Statistics, Statistical Research and Economics Series

**JOB CODE TITLE:** ECONOMIST III

**HRIS TITLE:** ECONOMIST III

**CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CLASS:** Under direction, is responsible for work of considerable difficulty performing advanced professional economic research and statistical work, using advanced statistical techniques as applied to the analysis of urban, regional and governmental performance; heads a project team which includes other professionals as well as clerical staff members performing difficult research studies; supervises the preparation of reports and other information for the use of agency supervisors, legislative bodies, other agencies and the general public; and performs related work as required.

**EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:** Responsible for organizing research projects within valid theoretical framework as applicable to urban, regional, or governmental operations; acts as an independent researcher in conducting analysis which provides answers to problems of economic growth and development in the State; uses advanced statistical methods such as linear or curvilinear multiple regressions and correction analysis to determine casual relationships, prepares or supervises the preparation of reports of reports on the results of research work for use by legislative and agency use from which economic decision may be made; supervises a staff of professional, as well as clerical, in doing similar research projects; performs work under broad guidelines set down by agency head and exercises considerable discretion as to the work done by self and staff; performs studies on water resources, agriculture and other types of research; may make studies of population, financial, employment trends and write essays and reports on findings; may act as a head man in projects requiring several professional economists or as an independent researcher doing considerably difficult economic problems or projects.

### **KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS:**

**Knowledge of:** economic theory on the theoretical framework of a related science; expertise in the ability to use statistical analytical methods.

**Skill/Ability to:** project economic trends, express oneself clearly and concisely both in writing and orally; develop and maintain good working relationships with public and private officials; plan and supervise the work of others.

**SPECIAL SELECTION FACTORS:** Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in economics or a related field and four years experience doing economic research work; OR a Master's degree in economics or a related field and two years experience in economic work.