

New York State Department of Civil Service
DIVISION OF CLASSIFICATION & COMPENSATION

Classification Standard

Occ. Code 9021000

Racing Inspector, NS

Brief Description of Class

Positions in this class monitor horse racing events to enforce equine regulatory procedures at the New York State Gaming Commission. Incumbents observe races at horse racing tracks to ensure compliance with State laws, rules, and regulations; and perform sample collection activities to verify the physical fitness of equines and prevent foul play.

Distinguishing Characteristics

Racing Inspector: non-competitive; classified on a seasonal basis; observes daily track operations and races, and reports violations to Racing Investigators, NS, exempt; and monitors the collection of blood and urine samples to ensure compliance with equine drug rules and protective measures.

Related Classes

Gaming Operations Inspectors at the New York State Gaming Commission examine commercial gaming and wagering operations by conducting on-site evaluations of gaming sites, monitoring gaming activity, and enforcing internal controls and gaming regulations.

Illustrative Tasks

Observes operations at horse racing tracks to identify administrative and security problems; collects blood and urine tags and samples; accompanies horses from the track to the test barn for sample collection; ensures sample containers are identified and sealed against tampering, and delivers samples for testing; ensures horse attendants sign test cards, and maintain daily activity books; tests jockeys with breathalyzers; reports evidence of faulty or inefficient track operations, regulatory violations, and foul

play; and testifies at administrative hearings regarding suspensions, revocations, and other violations.

Minimum Qualifications

Racing Inspector

Non-Competitive: ability to physically perform assigned duties, and ability to follow directions.

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