

DEPUTY RATEPAYER ADVOCATE 2 NEW JERSEY DIVISION OF RATE COUNSEL

The New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel, located in Trenton, New Jersey seeks a Managing Attorney who, under the supervision of the Division's Director and Litigation Manager and in collaboration with outside expert consultants, prepares and reviews briefs, discovery, testimony, comments and reports regarding complex legal and factual issues relating to utility regulation. The Managing Attorney provides expert legal analysis and guidance to the Director or designee on all matters affecting the regulation of gas utilities and clean energy programs in New Jersey and oversees the production of all legal documents prepared by the gas/clean energy staff of the Division. The Managing Attorney supervises staff of the Gas/Clean Energy Group, including several attorneys, a paralegal and an administrative assistant; provides supervision of the legal representation to the Division on all matters affecting the regulation of gas utilities and clean energy programs before the state and federal courts and regulatory bodies; oversees all cases pending in the Gas/Clean Energy Group and advises the Director and the Litigation Manager of gas and clean energy issues. The Managing Attorney must appear at meetings, public hearings, and evidentiary hearing at the Office of Administrative Law, in the courts, and at legislative-type hearing before administrative agencies; handles complex litigation based on knowledge of the operations, responsibilities, and policies of state and federal regulatory agencies and of the businesses, industries and utilities subject to their regulation or control; and performs other related duties upon request.

SALARY: \$104,170.23 - \$149,131.89. A comprehensive benefits package is offered as well.

REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION: Graduation from an accredited college or university with a law degree and admitted to practice law in New Jersey.

NOTE FOR FOREIGN DEGREES: Degrees and/or transcripts issued by a college or university outside of the United States must be evaluated for accreditation by a reputable evaluation service at your expense. The evaluation must be included with your submission. Failure to submit the required evaluation may result in an ineligibility determination.

EXPERIENCE: Four (4) years of experience as a practicing attorney.

RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT: In accordance with the New Jersey First Act, P.L. 2011, c.70, new public employees are required to obtain New Jersey residency within one (1) year of employment. For more information, please visit: https://nj.gov/labor/lwdhome/njfirst/NJFirst.html.

LICENSE: Appointees MUST possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey in order to perform the essential duties of the position.

If you are qualified and interested in this employment opportunity, please send your cover letter, resume, proof of degree and application for employment, via email only by June 18, 2021 to the address noted below. All submissions must be received by 5:00 pm (close of business) on the last day of the posting period.

NJ Department of the Treasury
Division of Administration/Human Resources
Employment Recruiter
Email address: EmploymentRecruiter@treas.nj.gov
(Please use "DEP RPA 2" in the Subject Line)

Your application for employment must be completed in detail, including names and phone numbers of supervisors, dates of all employment and the reason for leaving. Be sure to answer all questions. In addition, please include (3) business references on your application. To obtain an application for employment, go to: https://www.nj.gov/treasury/administration/pdf/hr-application.pdf.

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