

# REVIEW COMMITTEE

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December 10, 1975

- DECISION  
 LETTER DECISION  
 PRE-REVIEW REFERRAL

Review Committee File Nos. 1185-72-63 and 1186-72-64  
San Francisco Division Grievance Nos. D.Gr/C 2-72-17  
and D.Gr/C 2-75-18  
Working Outside of Classification

MR. C. A. MILLER, Chairman  
San Francisco Division  
Joint Grievance Committee

The above-subject grievances have been discussed by the Review Committee and are being returned to the Division for settlement in accordance with the following:

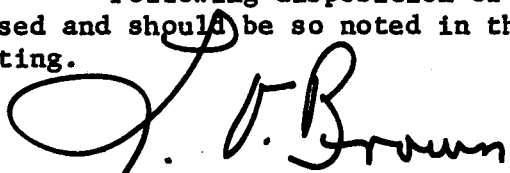
Review Committee File No. 1185

The recent revisions of the line of progression for Measurement and Control Mechanic have eliminated from that line of progression the classification of Light Crew Foreman. In view of this then, when the employee performs work such as described in the Joint Statement of Facts of this case, he is entitled to be upgraded to Gas Control Technician.

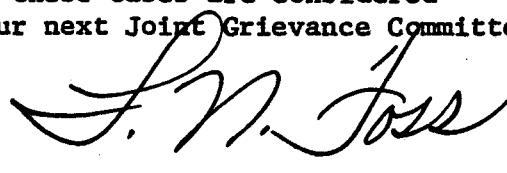
Review Committee File No. 1186

Following the reasoning of the settlement in Review Committee File No. 1185, even though the classification of Light Crew Foreman has been eliminated from this line of progression, the revised lines of progression make special provisions for certain Light Crew Foremen. To this extent, the former job definition of Light Crew Foreman is preserved as to them. From the facts contained in the record submitted to the Review Committee, it is our decision that the work performed was in conformance to the previous job definition for Light Crew Foreman, which is still applicable to grievants, and for this reason, the employees are not entitled to upgrades to Gas Control Technician.

Following disposition of the grievances, these cases are considered closed and should be so noted in the minutes of your next Joint Grievance Committee meeting.



L. V. BROWN, Chairman  
Review Committee



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GAS MEASUREMENT AND CONTROL GROUP

2410 Gas Control Technician

An employee who, without direct supervision, installs, checks, adjusts, operates and maintains all gas supervisory and remote control equipment including pneumatic and electronic controls, computers and their associated equipment. He may be required to act as a leadman, supervising the work of other employees in lower classifications engaged in this work. His background of training, education and experience must be such as to qualify him to perform these duties with skill and efficiency.

Next Lower Classifications

Same or Higher Classifications

\*0640 Light Crew Foreman

2410 Gas Control Technician

1365 Measurement and Control Mechanic

0775 Operating Subforeman

\*An employee in East Bay or San Francisco Division, who, on June 30, 1966 was classified as a Light Crew Foreman (0640) and who is qualified to perform the duties of the Measurement and Control Mechanic (1365) classification, shall be entitled to preferential consideration on bids to Gas Control Technician (2410) and to Measurement and Control Mechanic under Subsection 205.7(b) of the Agreement.

1365 Measurement and Control Mechanic

An employee who is a journeyman and who is engaged in the installation, operation, and maintenance of all types of gas measurement, control, and treating equipment in gas collection, transmission, storage and distribution systems, such as meters and regulators used for purchase, sale, and operation purposes, all types of pneumatic controllers and their associated control valves, pneumatic transducers and computers, and all types of telemetering equipment (excluding microwave circuits) where the basic circuitry does not include transistors. He may be required to measure the output of electronic transducers (not including calibration adjustments) in connection with his regular work at a station. He may be required to operate and maintain a propane-air plant. He calculates Btu and specific gravity of gas mixtures and sizes orifice plates including ratio controllers and adjusts equipment for required Btu and gravity control. He performs pressure control operations during shutdowns for repair or tie-in of distribution mains and transmission lines. He may be required to weld, if qualified. May work alone or with the assistance of one other employee. May also work with a third employee without upgrade in a lower classification where the man is necessary for guarding man-hole or vault openings or for flagging traffic. During pressure control operations, may provide functional assistance or guidance to crews involved. His background of apprenticeship and experience must be such as to qualify him to perform his duties with skill and efficiency.

Next Lower Classification

1368 Apprentice Measurement and Control Mechanic

Same or Higher Classifications

0510 Watch Engineer  
\*0640 Light Crew Foreman  
0775 Operating Subforeman  
1365 Measurement and Control Mechanic  
2410 Gas Control Technician

\*East Bay and San Francisco Division Light Crew Foremen who on June 30, 1966 were engaged in performing Measurement and Control Mechanic's duties.

1245 Corrosion Mechanic

An employee who has successfully completed the Corrosion Mechanic training school and who, without direct supervision, installs, checks, adjusts, operates and maintains cathodic protection equipment and instrumentation such as rectifiers, anodes, insulated fittings, volt-ohm-ammeters, potentiometers, recorders and other similar equipment. He performs tests to verify isolation of metallic underground structures, to determine cathodic protection current requirements, to determine the existence of cathodic protection interference, to restore and maintain cathodic protection systems and to select cathodic protection anode locations. He maybe required to maintain files and records, to outline work schedules and to provide functional guidance on all of the above activities. May work alone or with the assistance of another employee. May also work with a third employee in a lower classification where the third man is necessary for guarding manhole or vault openings or for flagging traffic.

Next Lower Classifications

0240 Field Clerk  
0524 Fieldman  
1483 Field Meterman  
0930 Helper (Steam, Heat or Gas T&D)  
0933 Helper (Gas Meter Shop)  
0934 Helper (Gas Plant Maintenance)  
0950 Shift Helper (Gas)  
\*1368 Apprentice Measurement and Control Mechanic  
\*0561 Apprentice Fitter

Same or Higher Classifications

0510 Watch Engineer  
0775 Operating Subforeman  
1245 Corrosion Mechanic  
1365 Measurement and Control Mechanic  
1720 Pressure Operator  
2410 Gas Control Technician

\*Up to 6 months step.

1368 Apprentice Measurement and Control Mechanic

An employee who is engaged in performing a Measurement and Control Mechanic's work as an assistant to, or under the direction of, a journeyman. In order to gain experience for advancement to Measurement and Control Mechanic, he may be required to work alone or under indirect supervision on jobs for which he has been trained and instructed. In addition, he may be required to work alone, performing the duties of a Field Meterman. The employee's educational and general qualifications must be such that he is considered capable of attaining journeyman status.