NOTICE OF EXAMINATION

OILER (CUNY)
Exam No. 4011
(For The City University of New York Only)

WHEN TO APPLY: From: October 2, 2013
To: October 22, 2013
APPLICATION FEE: $96.00

THE TEST DATE: The multiple-choice test is expected to be held on Saturday, January 25, 2014.

YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR READING THIS NOTICE IN ITS ENTIRETY BEFORE YOU SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION.

WHAT THE JOB INVOLVES: Oilers (CUNY), under direct supervision, are responsible for the lubrication of power plant, pumping and/or construction equipment. They lubricate and clean pumps, engines, blowers, compressors, motors, gears, ejectors and other operating equipment; assist in the operation, maintenance and repair of this equipment; read meters and gauges; keep logs; operate lubricant filtering and purifying equipment; maintain lubricant inventory; may be designated to inspect and service swimming pools and building safety equipment; and may operate a motor vehicle in the performance of assigned duties. All Oilers (CUNY) perform related work.

Some of the physical activities performed by Oilers (CUNY) and environmental conditions experienced are: use vision to read small numbers and markings on gauges and equipment; use vision and hearing to avoid injury from overhead piping and rotating machinery; communicate orally in a noisy working environment; climb stairs, ladders and over equipment; stand upright for extended periods of time; walk over wet and slippery concrete surfaces; work in areas containing gases from the combustion process and strong odors from grease, lubricants and solvents; work in confined areas and under piping which may be dusty and dark; lift objects weighing up to 60 pounds.

Special Working Conditions: Oilers (CUNY) may be required to work shifts, including nights, weekends and holidays.

(The is a brief description of what you might do in this position and does not include all the duties of this position.)

THE SALARY: The current minimum hourly rate is $46.24, for a 40 hour work week. This rate is subject to change.

HOW TO APPLY: If you believe you meet the requirements in the "How to Qualify" section, submit an application on the Online Application System (OASys) at www.nyc.gov/examsforjobs. Follow the onscreen application instructions for electronically submitting your application and payment, and completing any required information. A valid email address is required to file online. Several internet service providers, including but not limited to Google, Yahoo!, Hotmail, and AOL, offer free email addresses. The following methods of payment are acceptable: major credit card, bank card associated with a bank account, or a prepaid debit card with a credit card logo which you may purchase online or at various retail outlets. You may come to the DCAS Computerized Testing and Applications Centers to file for this examination online and submit a money order payable to DCAS (Exams).

The centers will be open Monday through Saturday from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM:

Manhattan
2 Lafayette Street
17th Floor
New York, NY 10007

Brooklyn
210 Joralemon Street
4th Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11201

The Computerized Testing and Applications Centers will be closed on Monday, October 14, 2013.

Special Circumstances Guide: This guide is located on the DCAS website at www.nyc.gov/html/dcas/downloads/pdf/misc/exam_special_circumstances.pdf and available at the DCAS Computerized Testing and Applications Centers. This guide gives important information about requesting an alternate test date because of religious observance or a special test accommodation for disability, claiming Veterans’ or Legacy credit, and notifying DCAS of a change in your mailing address. Follow all instructions on the Special Circumstances Guide that pertain to you when you complete your “Application for Examination.”

READ CAREFULLY AND SAVE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE
HOW TO QUALIFY: You may be given the test before we verify your qualifications. You are responsible for determining whether or not you meet the qualification requirements for this examination prior to submitting your application. If you are marked "Not Qualified," your application fee will not be refunded and you will not receive a score.

Education and Experience Requirements:

1. Three years of full-time satisfactory experience in the lubrication, maintenance, and repair of mechanical equipment; or

2. One and one-half years of experience as described in 1 above plus graduation from an approved trade, technical, or vocational high school or completion of a state approved apprenticeship program; or

3. One year of experience as described in 1 above plus an associate degree from an accredited college or university in mechanical technology or mechanical engineering technology.

The education requirement must be met by January 31, 2014. The experience requirement must be met by the last day of the Application Period.

The trade, technical, or vocational high school must be approved by a State's Department of Education or a recognized accrediting organization. The college or university must be accredited by regional, national, professional, or specialized agencies recognized as accrediting bodies by the U.S. Secretary of Education and by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA).

If you were educated outside the United States, you must have your foreign education evaluated to determine its equivalence to education obtained in the United States. This is required only if you need credit for your foreign education in this examination.

You must clearly specify in detail all of your relevant education and experience on your Education and Experience Test and submit it by the end of the application period.

Residency: City residency is not required for this position.

English Requirement: You must be able to understand and be understood in English.

Proof of Identity: Under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, you must be able to prove your identity and your right to obtain employment in the United States prior to employment with the City University of New York.

REQUIRED INFORMATION:

1. Application for Examination: Follow the online instructions, including those relating to the payment of fee and, if applicable, those found in the Special Circumstances Guide.

2. Education and Experience Test: Fill out Sections A.1 (if applicable), A.2 (if applicable), A.3 (if applicable), A.4 (if applicable), and Section B. This test must be filled out completely and in detail for you to receive your proper rating. Follow the online instructions.

3. Foreign Education Evaluation Guide (Required only if you need credit for your foreign education to meet the education and experience requirements): If you were educated outside the United States, you must have your foreign education evaluated to determine its equivalence to education obtained in the United States. The services that are approved to make this evaluation are listed on the Foreign Education Evaluation Guide located on the DCAS website at www.nyc.gov/html/dcas/downloads/pdf/misc/foreigneducation.pdf. When you contact the evaluation service, ask for a "document-by-document" (general) evaluation of your foreign education. You must have one of these services submit its evaluation of your foreign education directly to the Department of Citywide Administrative Services no later than eight weeks from the last date for applying for this examination.

ADMISSION NOTICE: You should receive an Admission Notice in the mail about 10 days before the date of the test. If you do not receive an Admission Notice at least 4 days before the test date, you must go to the Exam Support Group, 1 Centre Street, 14th Floor, room 1448, New York, New York 10007, to obtain a duplicate notice.

THE TEST: The multiple-choice test may be given at a computer terminal or in paper and pencil format. You will be informed of the format on your Admission Notice. Your score on this test will be used to determine your place on an eligible list. You must achieve a score of at least 70% to pass the test.

The multiple-choice test may include questions which require the use of any of the following abilities:

Written Comprehension: Understanding written sentences and paragraphs.

Written Expression: Using English words or sentences in writing so that others will understand.

Number Facility: Adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing quickly and correctly.
Information Ordering: Following correctly a rule or set of rules or actions in a certain order. The things or actions to be put in order can include numbers, letters, words, pictures, procedures, sentences and mathematical or logical operations.

The multiple-choice test may also include questions on the lubrication and maintenance of power plant, pumping and construction equipment; proper application of lubricating greases and oils; proper use of tools and lubricating devices; safety; reports; and other related areas.

Warning: You are not permitted to enter the test site with cellular phones, beepers, pagers, cameras, portable media players, or other electronic devices. Calculators are permitted; however, they must be hand-held, battery or solar powered, numeric only. Electronic devices with an alphabetic keyboard or with word processing or data recording capabilities such as planners, organizers, etc. are prohibited. If you use any of these devices in the building at any time before, during or after the test, your test score may be nullified, you may not receive your test results, and your application fee will not be refunded.

You must leave the test site once you finish the test. If you leave the test site after being fingerprinted but before finishing the test, you will not be permitted to re-enter. If you disregard this instruction and re-enter the test site, you may not receive your test results, your test score may be nullified and your application fee will not be refunded.

THE TEST RESULTS: If you meet the education and experience requirements and pass the multiple-choice test, your name will be placed in final score order on a CUNY eligible list and you will be given a list number. You will be notified by mail of your test results. If you meet all requirements and conditions, you will be considered for appointment when your name is reached on the eligible list.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Appointment of New York City Civil Service Employees: Please note that the City University of New York (CUNY) is a separate municipal employer; therefore, employees of New York City agencies cannot transfer to CUNY. If an employee of a New York City agency accepts a position with CUNY, the employee's date of appointment for the purposes of salary, seniority, and time and leave accruals is his/her date of appointment to CUNY.

Selective Certification for Class B Commercial Driver License: If you have a Class B Commercial Driver License that is valid in the State of New York, you may be considered for appointment to positions requiring this license through a process called Selective Certification. If you qualify for Selective Certification, you may be given preferred consideration for positions requiring this license. Follow instructions given to you on the day of the multiple-choice test to indicate your interest in such Selective Certification. Your Class B Commercial Driver License will be checked by CUNY at the time of appointment. If you are appointed through Selective Certification, you must maintain your Class B Commercial Driver license for the duration of your employment.

Medical Requirement for Selective Certification for Class B Commercial Driver License: Medical guidelines have been established for the position of Oiler. Candidates who request Selective Certification for a Class B Commercial Driver License will be examined to determine whether they can perform the essential functions of the position of Oiler. Where appropriate, a reasonable accommodation will be provided for a person with a disability to enable him or her to take the examination, and/or perform the essential functions of the job.

Drug Screening Requirement for Selective Certification for Class B Commercial Driver License: You must pass a drug screening in order to be appointed, and if appointed, you will be subject to random drug and alcohol tests for the duration of your employment.

Selective Certification for Certificates of Fitness: If you have a certificate of fitness for sprinklers, standpipe, or fire guard, issued by the New York City Fire Department, or a Pool Operators certificate issued by the New York City Department of Health, you may be considered for appointment to positions requiring these certificates through a process called Selective Certification. If you qualify for Selective Certification, you may be given preferred consideration for positions requiring these certificates. Follow instructions given to you on the day of the multiple-choice test to indicate your interest in such Selective Certification. Your certificates will be checked by CUNY at the time of appointment. If you are appointed through Selective Certification, you must maintain your certificates for the duration of your employment.

The above Selective Certification requirements may be met at any time during the duration of the list. If you meet this requirement at some future date, please submit a request by mail to: DCAS Bureau of Examinations - TEEG, 1 Centre Street, 14th Floor, New York, NY 10007. Please include the examination title and number, your social security number and which Selective Certification you are requesting on your correspondence.

This examination is for positions with The City University of New York (CUNY) only. If you would like to apply for Oiler in City agencies, you must submit a separate application and fee for Exam. No. 4010 from October 2, 2013 through October 22, 2013.

List Termination: The eligible list resulting from this examination will be terminated one year from the date it is established, unless extended by the CUNY Vice Chancellor for Human Resources Management.
SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS:

Make-up Test: You may apply for a make-up test if you cannot take the test on the regular test date for any of the following reasons:

1. compulsory attendance before a public body;
2. on-the-job injury or illness caused by municipal employment;
3. absence for one week following the death of a spouse, domestic partner, parent, sibling, child or child of a domestic partner;
4. absence due to ordered military duty; or
5. a clear error for which the Department of Citywide Administrative Services or the examining agency is responsible.

To request a make-up test, contact the Exam Support Group in person or by mail at 1 Centre Street, 14th Floor, New York, NY 10007, as soon as possible and provide documentation of the special circumstances that caused you to miss your exam.

Penalty for Misrepresentation: Any intentional misrepresentation on the application or examination may result in disqualification, even after appointment, and may result in criminal prosecution.