



# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY JOB CLASS SPECIFICATION

## AGRICULTURAL MARKET DEV SPECIALIST

Job Number: 20001591

Job Code: 82060V000101

Job Group: 8200 - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Job Established: 06/16/1982

Job Revised: 05/16/2008

Grade: 11	Salary (MIN - MID):	<b>Special Entrance Rate:</b>
	\$13,581-\$17,990 - Hourly	NONE
	\$2,206.92-\$2,923.38 - 37.5 Hr. Monthly Salary	NONE
	\$2,354.04-\$3,118.28 - 40 Hr. Monthly Salary	NONE

### **PROBATIONARY PERIOD:**

This job has an initial and promotional probationary period of 6 months. For additional information refer to: <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/101/001/325.htm>.

### **CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOB:** *Characteristics of a job are general statements indicating the level of responsibility and discretion of positions in that job classification. These are not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Plans, organizes and implements concepts of agricultural marketing systems, and directs activities related to agricultural market development; and performs other duties as required.

### **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**

#### **EDUCATION:**

Graduate of a college or university with a bachelor's degree in agriculture, business administration, economics, marketing or a related field.

#### **EXPERIENCE:**

Must have three years experience in sales or marketing fields.

#### **Substitute EDUCATION for EXPERIENCE:**

NONE

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Additional experience in sales or marketing fields will substitute for the education on a year-for-year basis.

#### **SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (AGE, LICENSURE, REGULATION, ETC.):**

NONE

**EXAMPLES OF DUTIES OR RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOB CLASSIFICATION:** *Examples of duties or responsibilities are not to be construed as describing what the duties or responsibilities of any position shall be and are not to be construed as limiting the appointing authority's ability to assign, or otherwise alter the duties and responsibilities of a position. This is not intended to be an exhaustive list.*

Provides professional assistance and guidance in development of new markets of agricultural products. Analyzes existing agricultural market systems for refinement. Collects information on products available for domestic and foreign markets. Assists in communication of information between producer and processor. Assists in setting up producer cooperatives to ensure adequate supply and quality of agricultural products. Researches, analyzes and implements the efficient movement of agricultural products.

**UNIQUE PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:**

**TYPICAL WORKING CONDITIONS:** *Incumbents in the job will typically perform their job duties under these conditions.*

Work typically involves extensive contact with the public. Travel may be required.

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**

Upon appointment, employees in this class may be required to maintain a valid driver's license and required to drive a licensed vehicle. This status may be necessary for the length of time in this class. If this is necessary it will be listed in the specific position description for that position. Applicants and employees in this job title may be required to submit to a drug screening test and background check. Applicants and employees in positions which perform job duties that may require contact with offenders in the custody or supervision of the Department of Corrections or with youth in the care, custody, or supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice must meet qualifications pursuant to the federal Prison Rape Elimination Act, 28 C.F.R.115.17 and 115.317.

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