CANDIDATE SPECIFICATION



JOB TITLE	Manufacturing Operative – Upholstery/Seat Assembly
REPORTING TO	Supervisor
DEPARTMENT/SUB DEPARTMENT	Upholstery, Bombardier
LOCATION	Southend-on-Sea

OVERALL PURPOSE

To carry out various manufacturing functions within the Upholstery Manufacturing cell. To build/assemble all levels of seats from minor mechanical assemblies, riveted structures and major mechanical assemblies. Some packing of seats may be required.

PRINCIPLE ACCOUNTABILITIES

- To cut parts into complete kits referencing drawings, templates, work instructions and/or samples,
- To shape foam using cutting tools,
- To use various adhesives, bonding a variety of parts to create built up product and finished parts (applied by spatula, brush and spray gun),
- To work with a selection of small hand tools, including scissors and knives,
- To cover build up parts with various materials, including cloth and leather,
- To dress sewn covers to assembly cushions,
- To assemble major riveted seat structures,
- To assembly major seat mechanical assemblies,
- To assemble minor mechanical assemblies,
- To strip down and repair customer returned products,
- To support team members with other tasks as and when necessary,
- To work within guidelines / instructions to ensure traceability is maintained,
- To ensure quality of product is always to the highest standard,
- To carry out any reworks deemed necessary by Management, Supervision or Inspection,
- To keep any machinery / tools in a clean and regularly oiled condition and report any faults to the Supervisor
- To carry out duties in a proper and efficient manner, act wholeheartedly in the interest of the Company at all times and to comply with the Company Rules and Regulations,
- Responsible for ensuring that a high standard of housekeeping is maintained,
- To help create and maintain a safe working environment and observe the published Health and Safety procedures,
- To carry out any other tasks where reasonable and relevant, when required.

This is not an exhaustive list.

QUALIFICATIONS	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
GCSE English and Maths (or equivalent) at grade C or above	✓	
Engineering related qualification		✓

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EXPERIENCE/ SKILLS	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
Experience in the aerospace and/or engineering industry		✓
An ability to read engineering drawings	✓	
Competency using hand tools	✓	
Demonstrable practical skills	✓	
Riveting knowledge		✓
1 years' experience working in Upholstery		√
1 years' experience of working in a Manufacturing environment	✓	
Ability to use small hand tools, including scissors and knives	✓	
Experience of foam building/shaping		✓
Ability to work independently while collaborating in a team environment	✓	
Ability to work under pressure and to deadlines	✓	
PERSONAL SKILLS	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
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