

Position Description

Position Title:	Supervisor
Reports to:	General Manager/Operations Manager
Location:	Marlborough

Role Purpose

The role of the Supervisor is to manage and oversee vineyard workers in the field and to ensure the continued efficient operation of the company. Supervisors will be required to carry out any other general tasks as required from Manager and/or Directors of Vinepower from time to time.

Key Accountabilities

Key Area of Accountability	Re	esponsibilities/Results	Weighting
People Management and Supervision	•	Day to day managing and supervision of vine yard workers out in the field	25%
	•	Completes appropriate induction and training of vineyard workers (such as pruning, young plant work, bud rubbing, wire lifting etc)	
	•	Settles any day to day employee disputes and refers on to Manager any major employee grievances	
	•	Directs vineyard workers to appropriate avenues, such as immigration, accommodation contacts etc where required	
	•	Drives workers to and from vineyards daily	
	K	ey Results:	
	•	Positive feedback from vineyard workers	
	•	Vineyard work is completed to a standard where constant supervision is not required	
	•	Happy workers with no disputes	

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Health and Safety Procedures	Ensure that health and safety procedures are implemented and that a worker takes reasonable care for his or her own health and safety	25%
	In particular, supervisors will:	
	 Identify and report any new hazards to Health and Safety Advisor and assist with implementing controls in your workplace 	
	 Ensure all personal protective equipment (PPE) is allocated and used appropriately 	
	 Ensure employees are trained in how to complete their job safely 	
	 Promptly report any accident, incident or near miss to the Health and Safety Advisor/Management 	
	 Assist with accident/incident investigations to prevent recurrence 	
	 Encourage employee involvement by talking and listening to your workers when identifying hazards and risks 	
	 Act as the co-ordinator in the event of an emergency in the vineyard, or as required 	
	 Monitor the safety performance of any contractor or sub-contractor 	
	Key Results:	
	Hazards identified and notified	
	 Employees and sub-contractors using personal protective equipment (PPE) 	
	No injuries in the workplace	
Quality Control	Determines vineyard work with supervisor before a job begins and that the job description is understood	25%
	 Ensures all paper work is up to the appropriate quality standard – book work, Health and Safety etc 	
	 Ensures vineyard workers are working to the required minimum wage and investigates issues where this is not happening 	

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	Where vineyard work is not up to quality standards completes work to ensure the right quality standard is appropriate, consults with management regarding this	
	Consults with Management regarding the termination of employment of vineyard workers if not making minimum rate following appropriate company procedures	
	Key Results:	
	Clients are happy and company receives repeat business	
	Established quality standards are maintained	
	Vineyard workers are making minimum wage or more	
General Administration and other Work	Ensures day to day attendance sheets, schedules, timesheets and drive sheets are accurate and up to date	25%
	Reports any maintenance and repairs that are required	
	Keeps company work vehicles clean and tidy	
	Conducts and reports weekly vehicle maintenance checks such as oil and water etc, on own van and workers vans	
	Advises Operations Manager if there is not enough equipment for a job	
	Carries out any other general duties as directed by Manager and/or directors of Vinepower such as painting, general vineyard work, gardening etc	
	Key Results:	
	Office staff are comfortable and happy with completed paperwork	
	Completes general duties with no complaints and to required standards	
	Company vehicles are maintained to required standards and kept clean and tidy	

Physical Demands

Required to lift up to 20kgs or more Required to walk distances of 20-30 metres carrying heavy loads Required to work in cold/frosty situations

Essential Skills/Competencies/Experience/Qualifications

- 1-3 years experience in the field
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Good communication skills
- Good understanding of different cultures and backgrounds
- Good basic common sense
- A team player
- Well organised
- Confident in dealing with conflict able to be honest and up front, confront the people involved and solve the problem promptly

Key Relationships:

Internal

- Company Directors
- General Manager, Operations Manager and Health and Safety Advisor
- Other Supervisors
- Vineyard workers
- Administration staff

External

- Vinepower clients
- Applicants for positions
- External bodies such as Immigration Department