SERGEANT

This is responsible supervisory law enforcement work for the Clark County Sheriff's Department.

Employees occupying positions within this class are responsible for organizing, directing and evaluating an assigned shift of five to fifteen employees. Duty assignments may be as follows:

PATROL DIVISION:

Sergeants normally rotate annually among three patrol shifts of graveyard, swing shift 12-4, and day shift. Primary duties are field supervision, evaluation of personnel, direction of operations in the field, coordination of preliminary crime scene investigations on major crimes, and the investigative supervisor on all crimes when the detective unit is not involved. Other routine duties include scheduling, activity reporting, inspections of personnel and equipment, completion of special reports or assignments as required.

SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS UNIT:

Sergeants normally have the opportunity to rotate through an assignment with the special investigations unit. Primary duties include first line supervision if SIU investigators, lead investigator and supervisor of narcotics, vice, intelligence and other crimes as assigned by the Sheriff. This is generally an undercover assignment for a maximum of four years. Other routine duties are consistent with Patrol Sergeant duties.

DETECTIVE SERGEANT:

Another assignment normally received on a rotating bases. This Sergeant is the investigative supervisor on all major person crimes including homicide, rapes and major assaults. This position is responsible for supervision of all detective personnel, the crime analysis unit, and directs patrol investigative resources at major crime scenes. Other duties include the routine administrative duties consistent with Patrol Sergeants.

OUALIFICATIONS

United States Citizenship or Lawful Permanent Resident required.

Five (5) years experience as a law enforcement officer as defined in Section 41.26.030 of the Revised Code of the State of Washington, with the last two (2) years of service immediately preceding application as a Deputy with the Clark County Sheriff's Department; high school education and State Basic Law Enforcement School, or other recognized police academy or school;

-OR -

Four (4) years experience as a law enforcement officer as defined in Section 41.26.030 of the Revised Code of the State of Washington, with the last two (2) years of service immediately preceding application as a Deputy with the Clark County Sheriff's Department; successful completion of two (2) years college and State Basic Law Enforcement School, or other recognized police academy or school;

OR -

Three (3) years experience as a law enforcement officer as defined in Section 41.26.030 of the Revised Code of the State of Washington, with the last two (2) years of service immediately preceding application as a Deputy with the Clark County Sheriff's Department; successful completion of Bachelor Arts, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Education degree, and Basic Law Enforcement School, or other recognized police academy or school.

Basic Law Enforcement School requirement may be waived on petition to the Commission if it can be shown that the officer was not afforded the opportunity to attend.

Above requirements must be met by final date for filing of applications.

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