



VOLKER STEVIN POSITION PROFILE

Position:	Distributor Operator	Status:	Seasonal - Hourly
Company:	Volker Stevin Contracting Ltd.	Location:	Calgary, AB
Division:	Roads	Supervisor:	Roads Foreman

Is this Safety Sensitive position?	Yes
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Volker Stevin Canada and its subsidiaries across **Western Canada** are dedicated to providing the highest level of quality services in the areas of: construction, project management, highway maintenance, civil works and bridge construction, maintenance and rehabilitation expertise, and asphalt/aggregate plants and pits.

In anticipation of our client’s needs, we strive to build and maintain long term relationships based on safety, quality, value, trust, and timely service. In addition to upholding professionalism, integrity, honesty, and fairness in our relationships with our clients, professional associates, subcontractors, and suppliers we ensure the longevity of the Company while sustaining growth and profitability.

Holding a moral obligation to a safe, environmentally responsible work environment we model safety excellence as our way of life – where individual professional growth is the foundation for company growth. Our culture of building and maintaining successful partnerships instills confidence in achieving both employee and client goals.

Position Rationale

Reporting to a Foreman, a Distributor Operator is responsible for efficient operation of asphalt distributor and maintenance of acceptable level of workmanship and productivity to support the asphalt paving and base crews. This is achieved by spraying various asphalt-based tack coats before paving operations to help asphalt adhere to the road structure.

Position Accountabilities

Equipment Operation:

- Operate tack truck and other equipment in a safe manner.
- Perform daily maintenance and safety checks of equipment.
- Load tack truck oil from tank.
- Fill asphalt and burner tanks, clean and set spray bars, clean excess asphalt out of tanks.
- Understand and follow directions from supervisors as to required work area and emulsion distribution rates.
- Before heating the oil, ensure that all valves are in the off position, the oil completely cover the heating pipes, and truck controls are set for proper circulation and ventilation.



- Constantly monitor temperature, heat oil within confines of recommended temperature.
- Spray oil in designated areas.
- Perform daily maintenance checks and report any mechanical or safety issues to supervisors.
- Monitor vehicle performance, fluid levels, and mechanical fitness.
- Work with the asphalt paving crew when distributor is not required.
- Train new employees in safe and efficient operation of the tack truck.
- Operate other heavy equipment and conduct other construction related duties as required.

Technical Knowledge:

- Knowledge of tack truck and other road construction equipment.
- Knowledge of road construction materials, road construction processes and industry requirements.
- Understanding of equipment controls and electronics.

Customer Service:

- Demonstrate professionalism.
- Have a sense of urgency to meet deadlines.
- Accomplish goals in team environment.

Working Environment / Conditions:

- Ensure work is performed in various settings, which could include inclement temperature extremes, exposure to fumes, gases or airborne particles and exposure to various fluids and chemicals.
- Must be physically capable to repetitively lift and carry a minimum of 40 lbs. on a regular basis.
- Attend daily Field Level Hazard Assessments (FLHA).

Safety:

- Actively engage in Volker Stevin Canada’s culture of Safety Excellence.
- Engage senior management on an ongoing basis regarding safety activities and successes.
- Remain visibly committed to the safety excellence way of life by:
 - Participating in all relevant safety training.
 - Attending weekly safety meetings.
 - Actively participating in worksite inspections as delegated.



Position Requirements

Qualifications & Experience:

- High-School Diploma or G.E.D. preferred.
- Class 3 Or Class 5 driver’s license with air endorsement.
- Minimum 5 to 7 years’ experience within the road construction industry.
- 3 to 5 years’ experience operating tack truck is required.
- Physically able to perform duties (lift 50 to 100 lbs., e.g. – physical ability assessment upon interviewing).
- Previous heavy construction industry experiences an asset.