

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Legislative Director

The Missouri Public Service Commission is seeking a responsible professional to coordinate and direct legislative affairs.

Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: representing the Commission before the legislature, industry-related organizations and other government agencies; developing and implementing strategies to accomplish the Commission's legislative and budgetary goals; establishing and maintaining strong relationships with legislators, stakeholders, other policymakers and their staff; monitoring, analyzing and reporting on state and federal legislation affecting the Commission, Commission–regulated utilities and legislation on topics that may become issues before the Commission; coordinating and participating in testimony before legislative committees; coordinating the Commission's response to legislative requests; and corresponding with individual legislators.

Other duties include, but are not limited to: maintaining a working knowledge of utility regulation; participating in policy development and research; attending the Commission's regular agenda meetings and local public hearings; establishing and maintaining relationships with rural electric cooperatives, city governments and county commissions; and representing the Commission at special events. This position will require irregular hours, evening and weekend work as well as statewide travel, including overnight.

Minimum Qualifications: A Bachelor's degree and experience in one or more of the following fields – political science, engineering/utility operations, law or public policy; and two years of experience as a lobbyist, legislative liaison, or in a position involving Missouri legislative affairs is required. Advanced degree preferred. Experience in utility regulation and legislation is preferred. Graduate work in the specified educational areas may be substituted on a year-for-year basis for the required experience.

Starting annual salary range is \$50,000 – \$75,000 with a potential increase at the end of a successful probationary period. To be considered for this position, please submit an application, a resume, a copy of each transcript from all colleges/universities attended, a technical writing sample, and professional references to the MO Public Service Commission, Reference Number AD040718, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, MO 65102 or via e-mail to pscjobs@psc.mo.gov. This position will remain open until filled. For additional information please visit http://psc.mo.gov/General/Career Opportunities.

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