Security Guard: Security Guard I

Guards, patrols, and polices industrial premises to protect property and personnel against fire, theft, vandalism, illegal entry, and other hazards. Periodically tours premises; examines doors, windows, and gates to ensure that they are secure; observes departing personnel to guard against thefts of company property; inspects equipment and stores to ascertain if tampering has occurred; reports irregularities; sounds alarm; and permits authorized persons to enter property. Examines credentials of persons desiring entrance to restricted areas. May be required to direct traffic on company premises. May use force of arms to carry out assignments.

Knowledge

Little or no knowledge of the job. Moderate understanding of general job aspects and some understanding of the detailed aspects of the job.

Supervision Received

Close supervision involving detailed instructions and constant checking on work performance.

Consequence of Errors

Errors can be easily and quickly detected within the immediate work unit and would result only in minor disruption or expense to correct.

Contacts

Contacts are primarily within immediate work unit. Contacts involve obtaining or providing information requiring little explanation or interpretation.

Minimum Education and Experience

High school and 1 year of experience.