Appendix 1 : Glossary - Explanation of Abbreviations, Codes & Values

Client Name : (redacted) Case ID# : (redacted)

Notes regarding GED, aptitude, coordination and dexterity ratings:

Cognitive Aptitudes	Perceptions	Coordination/Dexterities
R =Reasoning	S=Spatial Perception	K =Motor Coordination
M =Math	P=Form Perception	F=Finger Dexterity
L=Language	Q=Clerical Perception	Md=Manual Dexterity
		E=Eye-Hand Coordination

(Levels shown below are to be interpreted with respect to estimated general population norms)

GED (General Educational Development)

6 (Above Average) = the top 20%

5 (High Average) = 60-79%ile

4 (Mid Average) = 40-59%ile

3 (Low Average) = 20-39% ile

2 (Below Avg.) = 6-19%ile

1 (Very Below Avg.) = bottom 5%

Aptitudes

- 5 (Above Average) = the top 20%
- **4** (High Mid- Average) = 50-79%ile;
- 3 (Low Mid-Average) = 20-49%ile
- **2** (Below Avg.) = 6-19%ile
- 1 (Very Below Avg.) = bottom 5%

Notes regarding physical demand capacity and environmental tolerance ratings:

Physical Demands

- 1 Lift, Carry, Push, Pull, Sit, Stand, Walk
- 2 Climb (Stairs, Ladders, Scaffold)
- 3 Bend, Stoop, Crouch, Squat, Kneel
- 4 Reach, Handle, Finger, Feel
- 5 Talk/Hear, Write Orders, Write Phone Messages
- 6 See Close-up, See Far-away

Environmental Tolerances

- 1 Weather
- 2 Extreme Cold
- **3** Extreme Heat
- 4 Damp, Humid, Wet
- 5 Noise
- 6 Hazards, Heights
- 7 Dust, Fumes, Odors, Mist, Gas

Exertion Levels

- 5 (Very Heavy Duty) = more than 100#
- 4 (Heavy Duty) = 51# to 100#
- 3 (Medium Duty) = 21# to 50#
- **2** (Light Duty) = 11# to 20#
- 1 (Sedentary) = 0 # to 10 #

Durations

Occasional = up to 1/3 of the workday

Frequent = 1/3 to 2/3 of the workday

Continuous = more than 2/3 of the workday (Source: U.S. Department of Labor / BLS)

Other Vocational Codes

DOT – Dictionary of Occupational Titles code

VQ – Vocational Quotient: An indicator of job difficulty

TS – Transferable Skills Percentage

VA – Occupational Values & Needs Agreement

VIPR- Vocational Interest Personality Reinforcer (Work-Personality) Type

\$Avg - Average wage

Starting – Average starting wage

SVP – Specific Vocational Preparation: 1= Short Demo Only; 2 = Up to 30 Days; 3 = 30 to 90 days; 4 = 90 to 180 days; 5 = 6 to 12 months; 6 = 1 to 2 years (Cert./AA/AS); 7 = 2 to 4 years (AA/AS/BA/BS); 8 = 4 to 10 years (MA/MS/PhD/MD); 9 = over 10 years (Post-Doc. & some Board Certifications).

(Source: U.S. Department of Labor, FLDEO & McCroskey Vocational Quotient System)

Regarding DOT Job-Title Data:

Ratings at critical level (VQ=/>103/110;TS =/>40/60;VA%=/>70/80) are bolded; VIPR=ENFP.

VIPR = ESTP & ESFP are bold/highlighted; **VIPR** = Any 3 of ESTP & ESFP are bolded.

Titles containing 4 bolded (or 3 bold/highlighted) values are bold/highlighted.

Titles containing 3 bolded (or 2 bold/highlighted) values are bolded.

Notes:

Enter DOT Code into any search engine for job definition.

Enter Job Title into mynextmove.org for additional information.

Regarding Labor-Market Data:

Potentially 2024-2032 2023 2023 Suitable Local Entry Growth Local Tng Exp.. Occupations.(w-SOC.Code) Wage Wage Rate > . Openings. Rqmt 6,7 1 2 3 4 5

Notes:

Entry Wage figures =/> \$16/hour are bolded; =/> \$19/hour are also highlighted.

Experienced Wage figures =/> \$26/hour are bolded; =/> \$42/hour are also highlighted.

Growth rates =/> 8% are bolded.; =/> 10% are also highlighted.

Annual openings =/> 1K are bolded; =/> 6K are also highlighted.

Training Requirements (see * below)

Titles featuring 3 bolded values are bolded.

Titles featuring 4 bolded values are bold/highlighted.

Training Requirements:

A: associate degree

B: bachelor's degree

HS: high school diploma or GED

M+: master's, doctoral or professional degree

NR: no formal educational credential required

PS: postsecondary non-degree award