

Job ID: 392
Job Title: Senior Purchasing Manager
Degree Requirements: Bachelors Degree (Business, Supply Chain or related field)
Years of Experience: 5 - 7
Type of Position: Direct Hire
Location: North Alabama
Salary Range: Depends on your Experience & Expertise
Travel Required: As Required to Perform Duties (Domestic & International)

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In today's world let your potential employers want to know what your **US IMMIGRATION STATUS** is { Citizen, Permanent Resident / Green Card }. Please state this on your resumé.

We are working with a Manufacturing plant in North Alabama to identify outstanding Senior Purchasing Manager candidates with experience and expertise finding and developing the best suppliers from Domestic and International sources.

The client has an excellent Benefits program.

Relocation assistance may be available for the right candidate.

MUST HAVE REQUIREMENTS for this position are:

- * Bachelors Degree (Business, Supply chain or related field) - An equivalent combination of education & experienced may be considered
- * 5 – 7 years as a Senior Leader in Purchasing or Logistics in the Automotive arena
- * 5 years leading Direct Reports
- * 5 – 7 years experience & Expertise negotiating \$1 million + contracts with multiple suppliers
- * 5 – 7 years with Material Resource Planning (MRP) systems (SAP, Plex, QuickBase)
- * Knowledge of implementation of Lean & Six Sigma programs
- * Have an excellent understanding of financial statements (Balance Sheet, Cash Flow, P & L)

PLUSSES in this position are:

- * Launching new MRP Systems will be a big plus
- * Fluency in Korean
- * APICS certification

Reporting to the Plant Manager, the RESPONSIBILITIES of this POSITION INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED to:

- * Develop and maintain a purchasing strategy minimizing total cost related to: external goods and services
- * Selection of qualified suppliers
- * Negotiate long term agreements
- * Train & lead purchasing staff
- * Lead the annual process of purchase price reduction by setting clear targets for high spend accounts
- * Ensure updated forecasts are sent to suppliers as required in negotiated agreements
- * Approve direct / in-direct material purchases
- * Managing direct material inventories
- * Expedite production material that shows immediate need
- * Work closely with other departments ensuring proper specifications needs & costs are met prior to creating a new supplier agreement
- * Inventory control – Vendor managed inventory, automated material distribution
- * Develop and interpret BOM's (Bills of Material)
- * Solve practical problems while working with a variety of variables in situations where only limited standardization exists
- * Interpret a variety of instructions furnished in written, oral, diagram or schedule form
- * Development & Optimization of Purchasing Processes

If you meet these requirements and wish to be considered for this position, send your résumé, that **includes what your employers do to make their money**, to us in a Word document without Headers / Footers, or Text Boxes at Resumes AT PinnaclePlacementGroup.com mentioning the **Job ID** and the **Job Title** in the subject line of your email.

*** ALL CLIENTS REQUIRE, BACKGROUND CHECKS & DRUG TEST AS A PART OF PRE- EMPLOYMENT HIRING PROCESS.**

In your email or cover letter, please provide us a short narrative detailing your experience and expertise as it applies to this position. Also, please provide us with your *MINIMUM* salary requirements.

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