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Head - Operations

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Current Remunerations
SAR 336000 (INR 65.5 Lac) PA + Housing,
Medical and Bonus.

Skills

Auto-CAD. Solid-Edge.

Proficient in Financial Aspects of the Business

Proficient in ERP System

Well versed with Lean Management aspects.

Six Sigma Green Belt.

Certified Internal Auditor from DNV for ISO9000-2001.

Having More than 24 years of experience and around 18 Years in the field of Electrical Wiring Accessories where I started from being a key player in the field of Design and Development and from there excelled to be An Operations Executive using my experience and knowledge as an advantage for the Organization's Growth. My Objective is to be a successful leader in operations management where I can utilize my potential and capabilities to achieve the organizational objectives and seize the opportunities for professional development. At the same time excel in the field of Operations and Engineering and obtain world class position where I can use my Technical Skills and Innovative ideas and learn and grow in terms of knowledge and Experience.

Career Highlights

2014-08 present

Operations Head - Alf Wiring Accessories/ Circuit Breaker.

Alfanar Electrical Systems. Riyadh. KSA

Alfanar Group was established in 1405 H/1985G, for electrical manufacturing and trading, electrical engineering, procurement and contracting and building systems (Precast, Aluminum, Ceramic and Wood). alfanar headquarter is located in Riyadh, KSA and there are several branches across the kingdom, also there are some overseas branches in Middle and Far East (Egypt, Syria, UAE, Qatar, Iraq, Kuwait, India, Pakistan and China). Alfanar electric is the industrial arm of alfanar, manufacturing a variety of low, medium and high voltage electrical construction products. Alfanar electric operates several industries in Riyadh, Jubail (Saudi Arabia), Dubai (UAE) and London (UK). We have a development and engineering center in Chennai (India).

Define and execute Operational Programs in line with Strategic plans and Annual Operating Objectives.

Meet the Executive Leadership at least monthly to review and evaluate KRAs.

Partner with other leaders to establish Strategic Plans and Objectives.

Direct and control the activities of Production Planning, Production, Maintenance, Manufacturing and Logistics.

Implement appropriate HR strategies and actions within the Business.

Responsible for managing day-to-day operations and core functions of operations in order to achieve and maintain Operational Excellence.

Establish and communicate Business Objectives and assignments.

Identify creative ways to reduce Cost by streamlining processes and systems.

Monitor departmental Cost and Cost Trends and continuously striving to improve value.

2009-04 -2014-08

Deputy General Manager- Operations and D&D

Nipa International Pvt. Ltd. Gurgaon. India

An ISO 9001-2000 standardized certified company, strategically located in Gurgaon, it has grown into a leading manufacturer & exporter of Electrical Wiring Accessories to eminent global brands with due conformance to the British & Indian standards. It is the largest Electrical wiring accessories manufacturer in India having clientele like CRABTREE INDIA LTD affiliation with HAVELL'S Dorman Smith Ltd, SCAME (ITALY), LARSEN & TOUBRO, PHILIPS, Schneider, Wipro, LUMINOUS AND MK India Ltd. It is one of the few companies where the product is developed and launched from concept level. It has a team of experts who render services in the field of designing, Mould making, Moulding, and press tools for a large range of electrical switches, sockets, accessories, plastic/metal items and special applications. Handling all operations like Production Planning, Production, Press shop, Assembly Shop, Maintenance, Tool Room, R&D, and Testing Lab etc.

Providing customer support and also Technical and Commercial handling of prestigious customers like Philips, Larsen & Toubro, Havells Anchor and Scame.

Documentation and system management relating to all APQP activities. Support Internal Control.

Enhancing the value of Engineering competency and innovation. Managing VAVE activities. Facility Planning.

Designing and manufacturing of Electro-Mechanical Products and components comprising all Plastic, Sheet Metal, BOP etc., and Press Tools namely, Combination Tools, Cut and Carry Tools, Compound Tools. Bending Dies etc.

Working towards productivity improvement through modifying programs & introducing latest cutting tools and combination tools to reduce cutting time.

Design of jigs and fixtures to improve quality and productivity.

Product Development/Inspection & Control

Managing end to end product development, right from ascertaining material requirements for development activities on shop floor to Tool designing, manufacturing and facility planning. Interface with BIS, BS testing labs for product validation.

Interfacing with vendors for cost effective, timely sourcing of quality material.

Developing tools as per predefined specifications.

Designing of custom made gauges and measuring tools.

Process Engineering/ Quality

Ensuring in process compliance by monitoring processes, identifying any defects and making changes for final scale up and handover to production department.

Analyzing various processes/applications and recommending modifications & equipment calibrations to enhance operational efficiency.

2007-11 - 2009-05	Future Shop - BBY Canada Future Leader - Product Expert
2002-02 - 2007-10	Nipa International Pvt.Ltd.Gurgaon Senior Manager - Design and Development
2001-01 - 2002-01	Krishna Maruti Ltd. Senior Engineer - Product Engineering
1998-01 - 2000-12	Krishna Engineering Works Ltd. Senior Engineer - Production and Development
1996-09 - 1998-12	Delphi Automative Systems Pvt. Ltd. Engineer - Product Development

Technical Credentials

1992-08 -	T.R.T.C Tool Room & Training Centre (An Indo-Danish
1996-08	Institution), New Delhi. India

Professional Abridgements

More 24 years' of Cross-cultural experience in the areas of Operations, Product Designing and Development in Automobile & Modular Switches Industry.

Six Sigma Greenbelt. Done a project on plant layout and PPC for enhancing floor space.

Successfully completed Internal Auditor course from DNV for ISO9000-2001. Handled the role of Management Representative for two years.

Adept in managing Process Engineering operations involving Facility Planning, conducting Time Study & Process Development.

Well versed with all aspects of Machining and Production.

Resourceful in handling breakdown and preventive maintenance of machinery, equipment, and Tools and Dies.

Distinction of having spearheaded Tool Rooms with a work force of more than 50 employees. Efficiently worked on complete EWA (Electrical Wiring Accessories) Modular Range for Larsen & Toubro, Philips, Scame, and Crabtree as well as in auto component sector which involves complete Product Designing, Tool designing and all R&D related activities.

Have conducted APQP trainings at BBY Canada and NIPA International, India.

An effective communicator with strong relationship management, coordination, people management, analytical and problem-solving skills. Capacity to meet and beat deadlines. Ability to relate to people across hierarchical levels for smooth project execution.

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Strong analytical & negotiation skills.

Excellent Team Management.

Remarkable leadership skills

References

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