



## **Employment Opportunity – Grower 2**

**PRT Harrop, Nelson, BC**

**PRT Growing Services Ltd. is the largest producer of container grown tree seedlings in North America.**

**Location:**

PRT Harrop

**Position Description:**

The Grower 2 will be responsible for the following:

- to assist with the production of quality forest seedling crops by applying effective forest nursery practices and principles;
- to operationally assist, co-ordinate and train forest nursery workers in required nursery work activities;
- to keep neat and accurate records including computerized record keeping systems;
- to operate computerized and other control systems;
- to maintain, repair and upgrade nursery facilities and ensure proper maintenance of equipment in use;
- follow a company directed IPM program, applying pesticides as needed;
- weekend work and shift work will be required.

**Qualifications:**

The minimum qualifications for the position will be the successful completion of two certificates in horticulture. Applicants must hold a BC driver's license, and be capable of obtaining a pesticide applicator certificate. Applicants must also be able to operate greenhouse equipment and climate control systems, to coordinate and supervise operational tasks, to work with minimal direct supervision, and to provide basic maintenance of facilities and equipment. Candidates may be required to pass written and practical tests to demonstrate that they have the required qualifications, skill, experience, ability, competence and efficiency for this position.

**Location:**

PRT Harrop is located 28 kilometers outside the town of Nelson on the west arm of Kootenay Lake. The area is nestled in the rugged Selkirk Mountains of southeastern British Columbia located in the beautiful West Kootenay region, halfway between Vancouver and Calgary. Thanks to the mild climate, you can ski without freezing in the winter and fish without scorching in the summer. This makes Nelson a paradise for outdoor sports enthusiasts. The terrain and abundant snow make for amazing skiing, snowboarding, snowmobiling and snowshoeing in the winter. As the snow melts away in the spring, the landscape becomes a mecca for golfing, hiking, fishing, climbing, mountain biking and bird watching

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**Salary:**

\$24.12 / hour

**Start Date:**

ASAP

**Closing Date:**

February 15, 2022

**Applications:**

To learn more about this exciting opportunity, or to apply, please visit the career page of our prt.com website.

*Thank you for applying; however only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted*