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South Valley WorkSource Center to Hold Job Recruitment for Kinkisharyo

PALMDALE – The South Valley WorkSource Center (SVWSC), located at 38510 Sierra Highway in Palmdale, will host a special job recruitment for Quality Technicians at the Center on Thursday, Feb. 5 for rail manufacturing company Kinkishayro International, LLC, now operating in Palmdale.

Job recruitment for military veterans will be held from 9 to 10 am. Recruitment for the general public will be held from 10 am to 3 pm.

Qualified applicants should possess the following knowledge, skills and abilities:

- Ability to use the following equipment:
 - Digital multimeter (DMM or DVOM) (*required*)
 - Megohmmeter
 - High Potential/Dielectric Withstanding Voltage (DWV) tester
 - Current/Ammeter (*required*)
- Knowledge of design techniques, including working with schematic diagrams, blue prints, drawings and models
- Ability to follow procedures, conduct tests, and evaluate results
- Ability to problem solve and troubleshoot low-voltage direct current distribution systems
- Knowledge of safety practices and hazards associated with high and low-voltage alternating and direct current (AC/DC) systems

Salary range is \$16/hr to \$22/hr depending on experience.

Interested parties must bring copies of relevant resume and come dressed for success; or email resumes to vortiz@goodwill.socal.com. Detailed job descriptions are available at www.cityofpalmdale.org/jobs.

For more information, please contact Veronica Ortiz at 661/265-7421 or Kari Blackburn at 661/267-5125.

About The South Valley WorkSource Center

The South Valley WorkSource Center (SVWSC) brings job seekers and employers together for no-cost placement and recruitment services and offers a host of vital workforce development programs and services to the community. Job seekers receive career counseling, assistance securing interviews and employment opportunities, and access to workshops, skills training, computers and job search tools. Businesses receive specialized screening and recruitment services. The center functions to reduce unemployment and positively impact the community through the power of work.

The no-cost services offered at the SVWSC are provided through the Federal Workforce Investment Act (WIA) and the City of Palmdale. The WIA provides the framework for a national workforce preparation and employment system. Programs authorized by WIA are provided at the local level to individuals in need of those services, including job seekers, dislocated workers, youth, incumbent workers, veterans, new entrants to the workforce, persons with disabilities and employers.

The City of Palmdale has contracted with Goodwill Southern California (GSC) as the operating agency for the South Valley WorkSource Center.

About Goodwill Southern California

Last year, Goodwill Southern California (GSC) served 107,802 individuals with disabilities and vocational disadvantages, including 7,140 businesses, and placed 9,596

people in new jobs through programs and services offered at four WorkSource Centers and 23 job service sites, including three multi-service campuses throughout Los Angeles (north of Rosecrans Ave.), Riverside and San Bernardino counties. GSC supports its mission of “Transforming lives through the Power of Work” through operations at 69 retail stores and 44 attended donation centers. To find a Goodwill location near you please call 1 (888) 4-GOODWILL or visit www.goodwillsocal.org.

For more information, call 661/265-7421 or visit our Web site at www.cityofpalmdale.org/business/svwc.

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