POSITION TITLE: Equipment Technician

POSITION LOCATION: Sparks, NV

POSITION DESCRIPTION:
Panasonic Energy of North America (PENA) is collaborating with Tesla Motors, Inc. in a large-scale, advanced battery manufacturing facility known as the Gigafactory near Reno, Nevada, which is known for its quality of life and expansive outdoor adventures. The PENA mission is to make the vision of affordable electric vehicles a reality by production of the world’s safest, highest-quality, and lowest-cost batteries.

PENA is seeking an Equipment Technician to join the team and contribute to the effort of creating a clean energy society and change society’s use of and perceptions of electric power. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Analyzing problems, planning, and executing countermeasures for achieving operation improvement of production equipment
- Executing or modifying equipment to correspond to a new product
- Extracting problems from equipment or electrical drawings
- Summarizing previous troubles with the equipment to better solve future problems
- Performing highly diversified duties to install and maintain production machines and plant facilities and equipment
- Providing emergency/unscheduled repairs of production equipment during production
- Performing mechanic skills, including, but not limited to, mechanical, electrical, pneumatic, hydraulic, troubleshooting, and repair of production machines
- Diagnosing problems, replacing or repairing parts, testing, and making adjustments
- Performing regular overhaul of machines and equipment
- Performing a variety of electrical, PLC, and programming maintenance and functions
- Using a variety of hand and power tools, electric meters, and materials handling equipment in performing duties
- Complying with safety regulations and maintaining clean and orderly work areas
- Other duties may be assigned

BASIC QUALIFICATIONS:

- High school diploma or GED and completion of a craft apprenticeship (or an equivalent number of years of education and production maintenance experience)
- More than five years of manufacturing experience
- Experience in conducting maintenance on advanced production machinery
- Strong hydraulic, pneumatic, mechanical, and industrial skills
DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Experience working with facilities HVAC systems
- Previous background with PLC programming and troubleshooting
- Experience in machine shops is strongly desired

HOW TO APPLY:
Interested applicants should apply online.