

## Farm Worker / Machine Operative at BH Estates

## About the company

BH Estates is a leading farming and renewable energy business in Northern Ireland. With a 90-year history behind us we farm across Northern Ireland and operate renewable energy assets including one farm based Anaerobic Digester in Dundonald. We also undertake industrial research projects in nutrient management, anaerobic digestion, and on local farms and AD plants and are keen to continue this work, integrating this into our current and future farming and AD operations.

We are looking for a Farm Worker / Machine Operative to join our team in a role based from Dundonald but may require travel across Northern Ireland.

## About the farm worker / machine operative role

We have an exciting opportunity for an additional farm worked and machine operative to join our team to work on our mobile separation equipment, our AD plant and in our dairy, beef and arable farming enterprises.

This role would be well-suited to candidates looking for a hands-on role involving a mix of operating and managing farm and AD plant machinery, especially slurry related machinery. You will be given the opportunity to learn the managing of systems to control an AD plant and maximise the biogas yields of the digesters and electricity produced by the engines and will also work on the farms in Co. Down.

This role also requires the candidate to operate a large mobile screw press separator, which will be used principally on third party farms across Northern Ireland to process and separate slurry into a liquid and solid fraction, with the solid fraction being hauled to an AD plant. Alongside previous mechanical or electrical engineering skills or experience, previous experience of operating mobile plant machinery such as a telehandler or loading shovel would be highly desirable, as well as an appreciation of key safety aspects of managing slurry.

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## Job Information and Our Benefits

- · Permanent, full-time
- · Probationary period of 6 months
- 21 days holiday plus bank/public holidays (29 days in total)
- Discretionary bonus
- · Pension scheme
- Salary range commensurate with experience
- Based in 28 Carrowreagh Road, Dundonald, BT16 1TS
- · Requirement to be willing to travel

Please ring **02890480285** and ask for the Farm Manager to get an application form or email your CV across to jobs@bhestates.com.

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