Company Information:
J.D. Heiskell Holdings, LLC is among the top privately held trading companies in the USA and is the country’s fourth largest feed manufacturing company by volume. The culture is driven by relentless pursuit of the highest standards of integrity, accountability, professionalism, excellence and innovation.

Position: Logistics/Transportation Dispatcher
The Company is seeking additional members for its freight dispatching teams in several facility locations. The dispatch team sources and schedules truck freight of bulk commodities for the location merchandisers. The majority of freight shipment will be in the Midwest, West, and Southwest, and involve hauls of 200 to 700 miles. This position requires intensive communication both internally and externally to meet required shipping deadlines – internal communication with the location merchandisers, dispatch staff and merchandising assistants, and external communication with vendors and freight carriers. About 90% of time will be spent making contacts via phone, fax, email and other electronic communication.

Position Responsibilities:
- Monitor freight markets, negotiate rates and convey freight market information to the rest of the team.
- Communication of available freight to potential carriers.
- Reviewing required shipments, prioritizing delivery needs, and coordinating responsibility among the freight team.
- Assume and maintain existing freight relationships.
- Cultivate new freight relationships and identify opportunities to extract value from those relationships.
- Research freight rates and new shipping lanes as requested by the merchandiser.
- Solicit load numbers from merchandisers/vendors.
- Dispatch loads within the JDH Track and Ship program.
- Prepare & send freight confirmations via fax/email/text as required.

Position Qualifications:
- Superior communication and problem solving skills, and proficiency in email and Excel and Word applications.
- Ability to prioritize delivery deadlines, and multi-task in a fast paced environment.
- Previous experience in transportation of agricultural products is helpful, but not required.
- The ability to read indications of supply and demand, and be able to negotiate favorable terms as market conditions allow.
- Self-motivated and prepared to take calls outside of normal business hours.
- Able to develop working relationships with individuals having a broad range of personalities and experience.
- Knowledge of freight rates and freight lanes is a plus.
- Bachelor’s degree or higher – prefer transportation, logistics, or supply chain.
- All applicants must be willing to relocate.

Compensation:
- Base Salary – TBD and commensurate with skill and experience levels
- Full Benefits – 401K, Health, Dental, and Vision Insurance, Flex Spending, Life Insurance, Disability Coverage

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