CAREER OPPORTUNITY FOR AUTO MECHANICS AND AVIATION MECHANICS BUS MAINTAINER CHASSIS (Bus Mechanic)

Exam #: 5101 Application Deadline: May 15, 2015

Type of Test: Practical Skills Test

Exam Date: Starting June 10, 2015 (subject to change)

Application Fee: No application fee (The fee will be waived for this exam only. Application fees may apply to future exams)

SALARY: The current minimum salary is \$28.75 per hour increasing to \$33.82 after six years for a 40-hour work week. This rate is subject to change. This position offers paid vacation/sick days and holidays; a pension plan, comprehensive health plan, and deferred compensation plan; and a free NYC Transit transportation pass.

JOB DESCRIPTION: Bus Maintainers Chassis maintain, inspect, test, diagnose, overhaul, and repair all vehicle systems, components and accessories to industry work standards (e.g., engine, electrical, brake, HVAC, multiplex electronic, body, and structure). They perform various physical activities (e.g., work in all weather conditions, climb on top of buses and into maintenance pits, respond to horns and warning bells, and distinguish colors). They may be required to work various shifts including nights, weekends and holidays.

QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS: (1) Five years of full-time journey-level experience repairing automobiles, trucks, buses or aircraft; or (2) three years experience as just described plus two years of auto/aviation mechanic helper/trainee experience, or graduation from an approved vocational high school or post-secondary trade school with a major course of study in the automotive or aircraft repair field.

DRIVER LICENSE REQUIREMENT: At the time of promotion, you must possess either:

- 1. A Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with a passenger endorsement and no disqualifying restrictions; or
- 2. A Motor Vehicle Driver License valid in the State of New York and a Learner Permit for a Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with a passenger endorsement and no disqualifying restrictions. Your appointment will be subject to the receipt of a Class B Commercial Driver License valid in the State of New York with a passenger endorsement and no restrictions at the end of a special training course in bus operation.

MEDICAL/DRUG SCREENING: You must pass a medical examination and drug screening in order to be appointed.

THE TEST: You will be given a practical skills (hands-on) test designed to measure your ability to use tools, read schematics, install, repair, and adjust vehicle components; and trouble shoot electrical systems. A score of 70 will be required to pass the practical skills test. Your score will determine your place on the eligible list.

TO APPLY FOR THIS EXAMINATION: Forward a resume that includes details of your work experience and education. Include dates of employment and indicate if experience is full time or part time. Send to: Exams2@nyct.com. Please indicate Bus Maintainer Chassis, Exam #5101 in the subject line.

Qualified candidates will receive additional information in the mail regarding special test accommodations due to religious or disability reasons along with an admission letter to the test. Additional requirements may apply.