

## ALASKA ! LAND OF OPPORTUNITY

You have been given the opportunity to make \$1,147 a day for 90 days if you are willing to work on the Alaskan North Slopes for the ALASKA-SINO-SOVIET-HEAVY-OIL-LIBERATION-ENTERPRISE-SYNDICATE. They want teams of 2 people to live and work for 90 days, straight with no breaks, in a very remote pumping and monitoring station. You will be isolated for the full 90 days at 50 below 0, 24 hours a day with your partner.

You will work in a comfortable and pleasant structure for two people, each with their own bedroom, and sitting room (with your own TV), sharing a common kitchen, bathroom and "living room" which contains a reading library, a VCR library, a pool table and a ping-pong table. What would you pack to take with you? What else would you want the company to provide?

The stations cannot be computerized on site, or remote for that matter, due to the instantly changing and constantly variable weather conditions and other environmental problems such as earthquakes. Howling blizzards strike in minutes with winds up to 110 miles an hour. You will have to monitor / regulate / shut-down oil flow as needed to maintain the physical integrity of the pumping station.

If you are interested in this, (and by the way, tax-free!) job, you will want to interview your potential room-mate about this 3-month living together period.

Given that relationships have two dimensions;

1. CONDITIONS, which are non-negotiable, set, and irrevocable
2. CONTRACTS, which are negotiable, not set, and changeable,

Then, what questions will you ask that will give you the information that you need to know in order to make these \$103,230 big ones and have an OK time with a stranger room-mate?

### INTERVIEW QUESTIONS - PACKING LIST - REQUESTS OF THE COMPANY

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YOU DEFINE REALITY BY WHAT YOU KNOW, WHAT YOU BELIEVE, AND WHAT YOU DO ABOUT IT.