

The client is a large, well established, well known, profitable company. This company is restructuring their supply chain department created the need for a key player:

Senior Commodity Buyer

The supply chain person is responsible for pricing, negotiating long term contracts ensuring delivery from vendors, review bid proposals, and settle contracts, oversee contracts with outside manufacturers and key vendors.

- Negotiate pricing and determine contracts for key commodities, raw materials, packaging.
- Inventory management
- Set up vendor managed inventory systems
- Collect quote, solicit bids and make decision.
- Assess economic conditions for commodity items.
- Manage continuous improvement supplier performance.
- Reduce total supply chain cost.

Experience:

- BS degree or equivalent experience in relevant commodities
- 5+ experience procuring and managing vendors
- Proven negotiating skills
- History of negotiating and managing large packaging commodity contracts
- Track record of supply chain cost reduction
- Knowledge of MRP
- Experience indentifying qualifying and certifying new suppliers globally
 - Familiarity with KANBAN and LEAN is helpful but not required
 - Familiarity with food industry is helpful but not required

Location : 190/290 MA area

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