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Confidential Position Overview

Vice President – Information Technology

ASLON is conducting a search for a Vice President of Information Technology for a leading global manufacturer of highly engineered equipment.

COMPANY Our client manufactures equipment used in the production, storage and end-use of hydrocarbon and industrial gases. The majority of their products are used throughout the liquid gas supply chain for purification, liquefaction, distribution, storage and end-use applications, the largest portion of which are energy-related. The Company has domestic operations located across the United States and an international presence in Asia, Australia and Europe.

OPPORTUNITY The VP of Information Technology will be challenged to connect a worldwide network of services offered and will be charged to develop the strategy and the staff to accomplish their goals. This position is an integral part of an executive leadership team responsible for directing an organization generating approximately \$550M in sales. With a two-pronged growth initiative, both organic and inorganic, the executive team has been charged to grow the organization from \$550M to \$1.8B over the next five years, while growing EBITDA margin.

RESPONSIBILITY The VP of Information Technology will lead and coordinate all aspects of the organization's technology department, including systems design, programming, installation, training and operation. This person will provide recommendations that will enable Chart to design highly optimized business processes and deploy platforms and applications that would support the automation of these processes on a global basis. The new VP of Information Technology will also continue the worldwide rollout for the next phase of J D Edwards Enterprise One for ERP and financial systems.

QUALIFICATIONS The candidate selected for this position will be a forward-thinking IT leader with a minimum of fifteen years of overall progressive experience with a strong business acumen and strategic sense who is able to keep his or her eye on the big picture. This role requires a minimum of five years in a technology management role and a proven track record working for a \$500M to a \$1B+ multi-entity manufacturing corporation that has global reach. Experience with systems integration in an acquisition environment will be vital. Experience rolling out an ERP system on a global level is also important and JD Edwards experience will be a big plus. The candidate must have an undergraduate degree in a technology or related area and an MBA is preferred. The compensation includes an attractive salary and incentive bonus program at target, along with a competitive benefits package as well as relocation if necessary.

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