

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION CLOSING DATE: 13 May 2024

NOTE: Interested applicants must submit their applications for employment to the address specified on each post. Applications must be submitted using the newly implemented Z83 form obtainable on the Department of Water and Sanitations website, under career opportunities or the DPSA website, under vacancies in the Public Service (point 4) and should be accompanied by a comprehensive CV (with full particulars of the applicants' training, qualifications, competencies, knowledge & experience). All required information on the Z83 application form must be provided. Other related documentation such as copies of qualifications, identity document, drivers license etc need not to accompany the application when applying for a post as such documentation must only be produced by shortlisted candidates during the interview date in line with DPSA circular 19 of 2022. With reference to applicants bearing professional or occupational registration, fields provided in Part B of the Z83 must be completed as these fields are regarded as compulsory and such details must also be included in the applicants CV. For posts requiring a drivers license, annotate such details on CV. Failure to complete or disclose all required information will automatically disqualify the applicant. No late, applications will be accepted. Shortlisted candidates will be subjected to suitability checks (SAQA verification, reference checks criminal and credit checks). SAQA evaluation certificate must accompany foreign qualification/s (only when shortlisted). Applications that do not comply with the above-mentioned requirements will not be considered. All shortlisted candidates pertaining to Senior Management Services (SMS) posts will be subjected to a technical and competency assessment and a pre-entry certificate obtained from the National School of government is required prior to the appointment. Candidates will be required to complete a financial disclosure form and undergo a security clearance. Foreigners or dual citizenship holders must provide a police clearance certificate from country of origin (only when shortlisted). The Department of Water Sanitation is an equal opportunity employer. In the filling of vacant posts, the objectives of section 195 (1) (i) of the Constitution of South Africa, 1996 (Act No: 108 of 1996) the Employment Equity imperatives as defined by the Employment Equity Act, 1998 (Act No: 55 of 1998) and relevant Human Resources policies of the Department will be taken into consideration. Correspondence will be limited to short-listed candidates only. If you do not hear from us within three (3) months of this advertisement, please accept that your application has been unsuccessful. Faxed or e-mailed applications will not be considered. The department reserves the right not to fill these positions. Women and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply and preference will be given to the EE Targets.

POST: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OFFICER REF NO. 130524/16

BRANCH: PROVINCIAL OPERATIONS: FREE STATE: WATER AND SANITATION SERVICES SUPPORT:

CAPACITY BUILDING

SALARY: R308 154 per annum (Level 7)

CENTRE: Bloemfontein

REQUIREMENTS: A National Diploma / Degree in Social Sciences: Community Development and or/ Development studies. The disclosure of a valid unexpired driver's license (candidates should be able to drive). Computer proficiency. One (1) to three (3) years' experience in the handling of projects and programmes including experience in the public service, stakeholder management and community development. Good communication, liaison, interpersonal, presentation, report writing and networking skills. Sound knowledge of the principles of community development and service delivery. Knowledge of the National Water Act 1998 and Water Services Act 1997. Willingness to travel extensively and work long hours.

DUTIES: The successful candidate will be responsible for the coordination and implementation of the Water and Sanitation Education Programme which includes the South African Youth Water Prize, Baswa Le Meetse, Project Intervention, Aqua Enduro, Public Speaking and Curriculum Support Programmes. Mobilize participation of stakeholders for the successful delivery of the programme at provincial level. Liaise with stakeholders. Support Local Government on issues of water and sanitation services. Compile and present the monthly progress reports. Attend and participate at national meetings and planning sessions. Be prepared to work occasionally over week-ends and after hours.

ENQUIRIES: Ms. P Sobuwa, Tel No: 051 405 9000

APPLICATIONS: Free State (Bloemfontein): Please forward your application quoting the relevant reference number to Provincial Head, Department of Water and Sanitation, Private Bag 528, Bloemfontein, 9301 or hand deliver at Department of Water and Sanitation, Corner Charlotte Maxeke and East Burger Streets, Bloem-Plaza Building, Second floor. For Attention: Ms. Z Gwetyana