

POST : **ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICER (PRODUCTION) GRADE A (3 POSTS)**
(WATER REGULATION: COMPLIANCE MONITORING AND ENFORCEMENT)

SALARY : R194 289 per annum

CENTRE : Bloemfontein

REF : 240415/09

REQUIREMENTS : National Diploma in Environmental Management or Natural Sciences. Minimum of two years post qualification experience in the water and waste water environment will serve as an added advantage. A valid driver's license. Computer skills including MS Office suite and related computer packages. Excellent presentation skills. Good communication skills. A solid understanding of the National Water Act, 1998, the Water Services Act, 1997, and related Environmental legislation. Recommendations: Dispute resolution skills. Be able to manage programs and projects. Be able to negotiate. Self motivated with good interpersonal communication skills at all stakeholder levels. A good understanding of the Department's Validation and Verification process.

DUTIES : Implement and monitor compliance of water programs in the water sector. Plans and coordinate intervention for poor performance in the water sector. Apply policies strategies on Water Regulation to ensure that principles and legal aspects are complied with by all water users as set up in the national Water Act and National Water Services Act. Provide professional advice to Local Authorities, mines, industries and the agricultural sectors. Evaluate Environmental Management Plans, Environmental Impact Assessments to ensure protection of the water resources. Address non compliances to conditions of Water Use licenses. Perform general and audit inspections throughout all sectors within the Free State Provincial Office's area of responsibility. Applicant must be willing to travel long distances and work long hours.

ENQUIRIES : Mr. W Grobler, tel: (051) 405 9000

APPLICATIONS : Please forward all applications for the **centre: Bloemfontein** quoting the reference number to: The Provincial Head, Department of Water and Sanitation, Private Bag X 528 Bloemfontein 9300 or hand deliver to 2nd Floor, Bloem Plaza Building, c/o Charlotte Maxeke & Eastburger Streets, **For attention:** Ms P Shabe