



water & sanitation

Department:
Water and Sanitation
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION

- APPLICATIONS** : Centre: Mbombela Please forward all applications quoting the reference number to: The Department of Water and Sanitation, Private Bag X 11259 Mbombela,1200 or hand deliver at Prorom Building, Corner of Brown and Paul Kruger Streets, Mbombela **For attention:** Mr MJ Nzima
- CLOSING DATE** : 08 June 2018 TIME: 16h00
- POST** : CONTROL ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICER (GRADE A) REF NO: 080618/05
OPERATIONAL INTEGRATION MPUMALANAGA, SD: RESOURCE PROTECTION
- SALARY** : R439 917 per annum (OSD)
- CENTRE** : Mbombela
- REQUIREMENTS** : A four-year degree or equivalent qualification in Natural Science and/or Environmental Science. Six years post-qualification experience. Knowledge of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act 36 of 1998) and all water-related and relevant Environmental Management legislation and policies. Sound knowledge of all aspects and processes related to Resource Directed Measures and Integrated Water Resource Management. Experience in River Health Monitoring. Knowledge and understanding of the tools developed for Reserve determination. Proven ability and experience to write and interpret technical and scientific reports and documents. Management and negotiation skills. Ability to work productively in an environment consisting of multi-disciplinary internal and external Department of Water and Sanitation staff and stakeholders. Computer literacy. A valid driver's licence (certified copy must be attached). Good communication (verbal and written), presentation and report writing skills. Able to provide technical and scientific support to other Department of Water and Sanitation functions as well as the ability to capacitate and act as a mentor and supervisor to junior staff. Good interpersonal skills. Ability to interact with communities and stakeholder groups.
- DUTIES** : Implementation of the National Water Act, 1998 with focus on Resource Directed Measures (RDM). Implementation and co-ordination of the Adopt-a-River Initiative (ARI), River Health Monitoring, monitor low confidence reserves including running hydrological and other relevant models where necessary. Organize field trips and assist with the preparation of the required supportive technical information as well as the writing of technical and other reports. Liaise with the National office on Adopt-a-River Initiative, reserve determination and implementation, River Health Programmes and other Programmes. Liaise with internal and external stakeholders regarding Resource Directed Measures initiatives, especially Adopt-a-River Initiative. Integrate reserve determinations with other Department of Water and Sanitation functions within the Regional Office such as licence applications and provide general technical and scientific support. Develop Terms of Reference and manage Public Service Providers. Participate in capacity building programmes and mentorship programmes for junior staff. Prepare monthly and quarterly reports. Manage and ensure effective financial planning for water resource management.
- ENQUIRIES** : Mr S Kheva, tel no. 013- 759 7313