

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION

APPLICATIONS : Centre: Durban Please forward your application quoting the reference

number to The Provincial Head: KwaZulu-Natal, Department of Water and Sanitation. P.O. Box 1018, Durban, 4000 or hand-deliver to 88 Joe Slovo Street (previously Field Street), Southern Life Building, 9th Floor, Durban. **For**

attention: The Manager (Human Resources)

CLOSING DATE : 20 April 2018 TIME: 16h00

POST : CONTROL ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICER: WATER USE GRADE A: REF

NO: 200418//03

OPERATIONAL INTEGRATION: DURBAN

SD : PROTO CMA: USUTHU NORTH (WTE)

SALARY: R439 917 per annum

CENTRE : Durban

REQUIREMENTS: A four year degree in Natural Science / Environmental science or equivalent

qualification. Six (6) years post qualification experience. A valid drivers' licence. Knowledge of research and development methodology. Extensive experience in the environmental and water management field, waste management, industries, urban development and mining, including the Department's water use authorization process i.e. SFRA. A clear understanding of the Department's role and policies with regard to water resource management. Knowledge of the National Water Act 36 of, 1998 and related policies, strategies and guidelines. Understanding the principles of Integrated Water Resource Management. Knowledge of Human Resources and Financial Management policies. Innovative thinking, negotiating, networking, managerial and good communication (verbal and written) skills. The willingness to travel extensively and work irregular hours. Technical report writing, Professional judgement and Data analysis skills. Mentoring and decision making skills. Financial and team leadership management skills. Creativity and Problem solving. Computer literacy.

People management and Conflict Management skills.

DUTIES: Liaise with clients and other stakeholders to obtain outstanding information

during Water Use Licence Authorisation (WULA) assessments. Assess and evaluate socio economic and environmental information with regard to Stream Flow Reduction Activity (SFRA) water use licence application. Conduct GPS surveys of plantation and wetland areas. Inspect and evaluate field conditions where plantations are proposed. Liaise with other authorising departments on SFRA issues. Draft the record of recommendations (RoRs). Draft licence conditions to control/mitigate the negative impacts of water uses. Supervise junior staff in the field of SFRA Hydrological assessment.

ENQUIRIES : Mr SO Naidoo, Tel: (031) 336 2700