



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** : **ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICER (PRODUCTION): WATER USE
AUTHORISATION GRADE A-C (X 4 POSTS) REF NO: 200418/10**
- SD** : **PROTO CMA: MVOTI SOUTH (WTE)**
- SALARY** : **R240 015 per annum**
- CENTRE** : **Durban**
- REQUIREMENTS** : National Diploma in Environmental Management or Natural Sciences. A valid driver's license. (Certified copy must be attached). Sound knowledge of integrated water resource management and water resource protection. Knowledge and understanding of the water sector: relevant legislations (NWA, CARA, NEMA and MPRDA) together with related policies, regulations, guidelines, tools and procedures. Excellent communication skills including verbal, report writing, presentation skills. Good interpersonal skills as well as the ability to work in a multi-disciplinary team. Willingness to work irregular hours and under pressure as well as travel country-wide. Ability to liaise and network.
- DUTIES** : Assess completeness of WULAs and conduct site inspections. Liaise with clients and other stakeholders to obtain outstanding information during WULA assessments. Request scientific input within the Department using specified templates. Assess and evaluate Hydrological and Environmental information with regard to licence applications. Assist in the development of policies and guidelines for the implementation of National Water Act (NWA), 36 of 1998, in relation to the water use sector. Final assessment of information submitted by Water Use Licence Applicants and input from internal specialists. Drafting record of recommendations (RoRs) and resultant decision documents. Draft licence conditions to control/mitigate the negative impacts of water uses. Assist on responding to queries from clients within and outside the department. Determine agricultural water use requirement for different crops. Generate water use tables. Capture verified water use data and update Department's Water Use Registration Management Systems (WARMS). Assist with generating, managing and distributing communication letters to water users. Provide monthly status of verified water use. Keep and update web based database with validation and verification information. Filing correspondence with the clients. Support and provide reports to the Manager.
- ENQUIRIES** : Mr. SO Naidoo, Tel (031)336 2700.