DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION

CLOSING DATE: 19 February 2021

Note: Interested applicants must submit their applications for employment to the e-mail 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 as well as copies of qualifications and Identity document (all documents must be submitted in one email in a PDF format. The attachment/s, may not exceeding 10mb) Subject title on the email must clearly display the reference number of the post applied for. Applicants should forward applications to the correct email address of the post as wrong emailed applications will not be considered. No late, applications will be accepted. Original/certified copies must be produced by only shortlisted candidates during the interview date. A SAQA evaluation report must accompany foreign qualifications. Applications that do not comply with the above mentioned requirements will not be considered. All shortlisted candidates for SMS posts will be subjected to a technical and competency assessment. A pre-entry certificate obtained from the National School of Government (NSG) is required for all SMS applicants. 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. 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 two (2) months of this advertisement, please accept that your application has been unsuccessful. 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: CHIEF ENGINEER (GRADE A): DAM SAFETY REGULATION REF NO. 190221/01

BRANCH: REGULATION

SALARY: R 1 042 827 per annum (All-inclusive OSD package)

CENTRE: Pretoria (Head office)

REQUIREMENTS: An Engineering degree (B Eng / BSc (Eng) or relevant qualification in Civil Engineering. Six (6) years post qualification experience in the Water Engineering field. Compulsory registration with ECSA as a Professional Engineer (Attach proof of registration). A valid drivers licence. (Attach a copy). Willingness to travel throughout South Africa for the execution of some of the duties. Extensive dam engineering experience related to design, flood hydrology, construction, management and safety of dams. Knowledge of the water sector and relevant legislation. Sound interpersonal, conflict resolution and leadership skills. Computer literacy and strong verbal and written communication skills.

DUTIES: Investigate, analyse and recommend classification of dams. Evaluate and investigate engineering aspects of license applications for the construction of new dams, alteration of existing dams, first filing and operational aspects of dams. Monitor the safety evaluation and investigation reports and carry out risk assessments. Follow up on dam safety betterment work with owners of dams. Develop/maintain guidelines and policies on dams with safety risk. Liaise with regional officials, dam owners, professional engineers and the public. Give presentations and advice on dam safety matters and legislation. Supervise and train Engineering Technicians as required. Generate reports and statistics to measure progress with the Dam Safety Programme.

ENQUIRIES: Mr WM Ramokopa, Tel No: 082 328 4189

APPLICATIONS: Head Office (Pretoria): Please email your applications quoting the relevant reference number to Recruitment@dws.gov.za For Attention: Ms. L Mabole