

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION
CLOSING DATE: 21 June 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 Sanitation's 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 exceed 5mb) 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 pertaining to Senior Management Services (SMS) posts will be subjected to a technical and competency assessment and a pre-entry certificate obtained from the National School of Government is required prior to the appointment. (Individuals who have completed the course already, and who are therefore in possession of a certificate are welcome to submit such, however it is not required that an applicant submit such when applying for the post prior to the closing date. The link for the completion of the course for the certificate for the pre-entry into SMS can be found on <http://www.thensg.gov.za/training-course/sms-pre-entry-programme/>. 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 COMMUNITY LIAISON OFFICER REF NO: 210621/16

BRANCH: CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICE: MPUMALANGA

SALARY: R316 791 PER ANNUM, (LEVEL 8)

CENTRE: BRONKHORSTPRUIT

REQUIREMENTS: A National Diploma or Degree in Social Sciences, Development studies or Natural Sciences in water resource management. Project management will be an advantage. Three (3) to five (5) years' experience in Public Participation or Community Development. A valid driver's license. (Attach a copy). Working knowledge of the National Water Act, and understanding of the Department's role and policies with respect to water resource management. Willingness to travel. Computer literacy skills. Project and programs co-ordination. Good verbal and written communication skills. Negotiation and facilitation skills.

DUTIES: Ensure the establishment of Water Management Institutions. Oversight of the Water Management Institutions, Water Service Authorities and Water Service Providers. Be responsible for public participation processes for establishment of Water Management Institutions (WMI) e.g. Institutional Reform and water resources: in the establishment of CMAs and Regional Water Utility. Be responsible for change management and capacity building for WMI on an ongoing basis. Responsible for the effective operation/ management of Catchment Management Forum/ and represent the Directorate in inter-governmental forums. Promote, support and facilitate the implementation of financial assistance to resource poor farmers for water use development. Co-ordination of the process of identification and prioritization of projects for DWS financial assistance. Monitor and evaluate the implementation and application process of DWS financial assistance to resource poor farmers. Assist with evaluation of financial assistance applications and project proposals. Assess the impact of DWS financial assistance on socio-economic development of resource poor farmers. Co-ordinate reports from the region. Liaise with other Government Departments on agricultural water use development for resource poor farmers. Align DWS financial support programme with other Government Department on agricultural water use development for resource poor farmers. Align DWS with financial support programme with other Government agricultural support programmes. Represent the Department on a wide range of Provincial and National forums; this will include active participation in the coordinating committee on Agricultural Water (CAAW) meetings in all the provinces. Assist with management of other rural livelihoods improvements support programmes such as rain water harvesting for family food production and other household uses. Promote water conservation and efficient water utilization through the authorization process. Compile reports for the directorate.

ENQUIRIES: Mr. Shibambu S Tel No: 013-759 7326 / Ms. Mkhwanazi FM Tel No. 013-759 7515 / Ms. Ngwamba PC Tel No. 013-759 7446 / Mr. Nkosi SG Tel No. 013-759 7335

APPLICATIONS: Bronkhorstpruit: Please email your applications quoting the relevant reference number to MPRecruitIE@dws.gov.za for attention: Ms. Mkhwanazi FM.