



water & sanitation

Department:
Water and Sanitation
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION
CLOSING DATE: 29 January 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 **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: CONTROL ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICER GRADE A: IRRIGATION AGRICULTURE SCHEMES WATER LOSS CONTROL REF NO: 290121/16
BRANCH: PLANNING AND INFORMATION
SALARY: R 495 219 per annum (OSD)
CENTRE: Pretoria (Head office)

REQUIREMENTS: A four (4) year degree or equivalent qualification in Natural or Environmental sciences. Six (6) years post qualification experience preferably in environmental and/or water management. A valid driver's licence. (Attach a copy). Computer literacy. A clear understanding of the department's role, policies and regulations with respect to water resource management and protection. Knowledge of the National Water Act, 36 of 1998 (NWA), policies and regulations, strategies and relevant environmental legislation. Understanding water control measures such as dam control, water abstraction, quota allocations within the schemes, water supply, distribution and measurement in the irrigation schemes and river systems. Innovative thinking, negotiating and networking stakeholder engagement skills. Proven managerial and communication skills. Knowledge of Human Resource policies. A clear understanding of transformation in the Public Service.

DUTIES: Set Water Conservation and Water Demand Management targets through the development of water management plans for the irrigation schemes. Contribute towards coordination, presentation, evaluation and reporting of water control training programs. Conduct and administer water use efficiency audits and submission of monthly water use efficiency accounting report. Prepare consolidated quarterly and annual water losses reports for the irrigation schemes within the water management areas. Give advice to problems with regard to water supply, water abstraction control and initiate remedial steps. Host regular workshops with water control personnel and conduct joint inspections on irrigation water schemes. Participate in the irrigation agriculture broader research and technology transfer projects. Contribute towards strategic and business planning for the Sub Directorate: Water Loss Control and Demand Management.

ENQUIRIES: Mr T Masike, Tel No: 012 336 6793.

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