



water & sanitation

Department:
Water and Sanitation
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION
CLOSING DATE: 30 September 2022

NOTE: Interested applicants must submit their applications for employment to the address specified on each post. Applications must be submitted using the newly implemented Z83 form obtainable on the Department of Water and Sanitation website, under career opportunities or the DPSA website, under vacancies in the Public Service (point 4) and should be accompanied by a comprehensive CV (with full particulars of the applicants' training, qualifications, competencies, knowledge & experience). All required information on the Z83 application form must be provided. Other related documentation such as copies of qualifications, identity document, drivers license etc need not to accompany the application when applying for a post as such documentation must only be produced by shortlisted candidates during the interview date **in line with DPSA circular 19 of 2022**. With reference to applicants bearing professional or occupational registration, fields provided in Part B of the Z83 must be completed as these fields are regarded as compulsory and such details must also be included in the applicants CV. Failure to complete or disclose all required information will automatically disqualify the applicant. No late, applications will be accepted. A SAQA evaluation certificate must accompany foreign qualification/s (**only when shortlisted**). 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 (**only when shortlisted**). 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 three (3) 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: ENVIRONMENT OFFICER PRODUCTION GRADE A – C (WATER USE AUTHORISATION PROCESSING)

REF NO: 300922/08

BRANCH: PROVINCIAL COORDINATION AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION: NORTHERN CAPE DIV:
PROTO CMA LOWER ORANGE AREA

SALARY: R 276 831 per annum (OSD) (Offers will be based on proven years of experience)

CENTRE: Upington

REQUIREMENTS: A National Diploma or Degree in Natural Science or equivalent. Practical experience in the field of water quality management will be an added advantage. A valid driver's license. Good computer literacy and writing skills. Understanding of the National Water Act 1998, the Water Services Act 1997, and related Environmental legislation e.g., NEMA. Knowledge of industrial, agricultural, and mining processes. Practical knowledge on wastewater treatment process and related technologies will serve as an advantage. Knowledge of Water Quality Management with an understanding of prevailing principles of in Integrated Water Resource Management and Catchment Management will be additional requirement. Good communication skills (both written and verbal). Willing to travel extensively and work irregular hours.

DUTIES: Processing of water use license applications in water management areas. Provide comments on environmental impact assessments, environmental management reports and development applications in the lower orange management area. Liaise with stakeholders in the water sector and other government departments. Serve on various committees. Conduct regular compliance monitoring at mines, industries, agricultural activities, local authorities, etc. Conduct site inspections in relation to Water Use License Applications. Undertake water resource monitoring and special investigations. Prepare reports and interpret water quality monitoring results.

ENQUIRIES: Mr. S Cloete, Tel: 054 338 5800

APPLICATIONS: Northern Cape (Upington): Please forward your application, quoting the relevant reference number to The Provincial Head, Department of Water and Sanitation, Private Bag X5912, Upington, 8800 or hand-deliver to our offices in Louis vale Road, Upington. For Attention: Mr. TT Sithole