



water & sanitation

Department:
Water and Sanitation
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION
CLOSING DATE: 30 September 2024

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'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 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. For posts requiring a drivers license, annotate such details on CV. Failure to complete or disclose all required information will automatically disqualify the applicant. No late applications will be accepted. Shortlisted candidates will be subjected to suitability checks (SAQA verification, reference checks criminal and credit checks). 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. 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. Faxed applications will not be considered. 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 (X2 POSTS)

REF NO. 300924/05(A) X1 POST EAST LONDON

REF NO. 300924/05(B) X1 POST GQEBERHA

BRANCH: PROVINCIAL OPERATIONS: EASTERN CAPE: DIV: UMZIMVUBU TSITSIKAMMA CATCHMENT
MANAGEMENT AGENCY SD: WATER USE AUTHORIZATION.

SALARY: R 580 551 per annum (OSD)

CENTRES: East London / Gqeberha

REQUIREMENTS: A four (4) year degree or equivalent qualification in Natural/Environmental Sciences. Six (6) years post-qualification experience. The disclosure of a valid unexpired driver's license. Computer literacy. Extensive experience in integrated water resource management and water use authorisations. Knowledge and understanding of the water sector: relevant legislations (NWA, CARA and NEMA, MPRDA) together with the related policies, regulations, principles and guidelines, skills and experience in management of human resources. Excellent communication skills including verbal, report writing, presentation skills. Sound interpersonal skills, conflict, project management, problem solving, negotiation and facilitation skills as well as the ability to work in a multi-disciplinary team. Willingness to work abnormal hours and under pressure as well as travel extensively. Proven liaison and networking skills especially as they relate to Corporative Governance and stakeholder engagement.

DUTIES: Assist in implementation of policies, strategies, and guidelines in terms of National Water Act (NWA), 36 of 1998, regarding water use authorisations. Supervision of staff. Assist in the evaluation of water use authorisation applications, reports and other documents submitted in accordance with legislation relevant to Water Use Authorisations. Quality check completeness of (RoRs) and resultant decision documents. Support staff in liaising with clients and other stakeholders to obtain outstanding information during WULA assessments. Promote water conservation and efficient water utilisation through the authorisation process. Support staff in requesting of scientific inputs within the Department using the specified templates. Participate in the Water Use Authorisation Assessment Advisory Committee (WUAAAC). Facilitate training and development of staff. Final assessment of documents submitted by Applicants and input from internal specialists. Assist in responding to queries from clients within and outside the

department. Support catchment management forums and bilateral meetings with stakeholders. Assist in supporting Water Tribunal cases and related court cases. Support Review and amendments of water use authorisations.

ENQUIRIES: Mr F Khoza Tel No. 043 701 0342

APPLICATIONS: Eastern Cape(East London / Gqeberha): Please email your application quoting the relevant reference number to ECRecruit@dws.gov.za or hand deliver at the 2 Hargreaves Avenue, Old SABC Building, King William's Town 5600 or post to Private Bag X 7485 King Williams Town 5600 For Attention: Ms PN Tshevu Tel (043) 604 5372

NB successful candidate will be appointed by the Umzimvubu Tsitsikamma Catchment Management Agency.