



water & sanitation

Department:
Water and Sanitation
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION
CLOSING DATE: 6 October 2025

NOTE: Interested applicants must submit their applications via the online link <https://erecruitment.dws.gov.za/> Other related documentation such as copies of qualifications, identity document, driver's 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 on the online Z83 must be completed as these fields are regarded as compulsory. 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 qualifications (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 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: SURVEY TECHNICIAN PRODUCTION GRADE A - C (MAINTENANCE) REF NO: 061025/03

(Re-advertisement, applicants who have previously applied must re-apply)

BRANCH: INFRASTRUCTURE MANAGEMENT: CENTRAL OPERATIONS DIR: OPERATIONS CENTRAL

SALARY: R391 671 - R586 665 per annum (OSD) (Offer will be based on proven years of experience)

CENTRE: Bloemfontein

REQUIREMENTS: A National Diploma in Survey or Cartography or relevant qualification. Three (3) years post-qualification survey experience in technical survey Topographical, Hydrographical, Cadastral, Engineering Surveys for design and construction, Precise Deformation, Aerial and Survey ground control and Control surveys. Compulsory registration with the South African Geomatics Council (SAGC) as a Survey Technician/Surveyor. A valid unexpired driver's license. Knowledge of GPS, echo sounders (Hydrographic system), total stations, and levels. Computer literacy with proven computer skills in respect of operating systems; CAD and Survey calculation packages in particular Model Maker, Surpac, and MS Office, Hypack and Trimble Business Centre. Experience in boat handling and outboard motors will serve as an added advantage. (Drivers Licence Code EB or Higher will serve as an added advantage).

DUTIES: Perform Topographical, Hydrographical, Deformation, other surveys, and ad hoc tasks. Able to take control of survey teams in the field. Make use of computer equipment to produce final maps and reports. Perform duties away from the office and must be able to travel excessive distances. Able to work under pressure to provide survey reports and final drawings within the prescribed time frame. Good communication skills to communicate with the public, colleagues, and clients.

NOTE: Candidates may be subjected to a skills and knowledge tests.

ENQUIRIES: Mr. LI Radebe Tel No 051 405 9000

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