



water & sanitation

Department:
Water and Sanitation
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION
CLOSING DATE: 19 September 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: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR: FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING REF NO: 190925/04

BRANCH: WATER AND SANITATION SERVICES MANAGEMENT: KZN CD: PROVINCIAL OPERATIONS KZN

SALARY: R468 459 per annum (Level 09)

CENTRE: Durban

REQUIREMENTS: A relevant tertiary qualification in Financial Management at NQF level 07. Three (3) years supervisory experience in the area of Financial Accounting. The disclosure of a valid unexpired driver's licence. Knowledge of Treasury Regulations, financial regulations, Public Finance Management Act and budget control. Knowledge of Cash Accounting. Good managerial skills, good written and verbal communication skills, good presentation skills and excellent interpersonal relations. Knowledge and practical experience in BAS and PERSAL. Principles and practice of Financial Accounting processes in Government. Computer literacy.

DUTIES: Verify and approve payment transactions. Maintain master file information. Manage liabilities and commitments within budget constraints. Consolidate General ledger reconciliations. Prepare Quarterly and Annual Financial statements. Consolidate and reconcile payroll data and prepare statutory and other payroll returns. Management of the Human Resources in the Unit. Assessing the Performance of Officials in the unit (PMDS).

ENQUIRIES: Ms N Nyanginsimbi, Tel No: (060) 587 5455

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