



## water & sanitation

Department:  
Water and Sanitation  
**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA**

DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION  
CLOSING DATE: 28 November 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.

POSITION: RISK OFFICER (ENTERPRISE RISK MANAGEMENT) REF NO: LOCMA 05

SALARY: R582 444 per annum (Level 10)

CENTRE: Polokwane (Limpopo-Olifants Catchment Management Agency)

REQUIREMENTS: A relevant tertiary qualification in Risk Management/Auditing/Economics at NQF7. Registration as a Certified Risk Management practitioner/professional, Certified Internal Auditor, Certified Fraud Examiner. A minimum of 4 years' experience obtained in Risk Management practices at a middle managerial level. Knowledge and experience of risk mitigation processes, knowledge of the broader risks management guidelines and standards. Knowledge and understanding on Human Resource Management Legislation, policies, practices and procedures, Public Finance Management Act (PFMA), Treasury Regulations and guidelines, Public Service Anti-corruption Strategy and anti-corruption and fraud prevention measures, Knowledge of equal opportunities and Affirmative action guidelines and laws, Knowledge of administrative and clerical procedures and systems, Principles and practice of financial accounting, Framework for managing performance information, business strategy transaction and alignment, Problem solving and Analysis, People and Diversity Management, Client Orientation and Customer Focus, Communication, Accountability and Ethical Conduct.

DUTIES: Development and implementation of Enterprise Risk Management (ERM) framework: Participate in the development of the risk management framework, implement the risk management plan, support the establishment of the risk management philosophy and culture in the organization, advocate and promote risk management in the agency (awareness activities). Supervise, facilitate and advise on the risk management assessment process: facilitate Enterprise-Wide Risk Assessments, conduct risk identification, analysis and evaluation with strategic partners within the Vaal-Orange Catchment Management Agency. Initiate the updating of LOCMA's risk register for conformity of objectives to improve effectiveness of the entity. Engage stakeholders within business units with the sole purpose of extracting information to integrate within the draft risk reports as per identified risks for mitigation. Develop proposals to determine the scope of allocated internal audits. Monitor and review the identified risk response activities: continuous monitoring of the risk environment. Monitoring the implementation of the progress of activities to address risks as agreed on revising risk response activities. Conduct Risk Education, Training and benchmarks; Initiate awareness sessions on risks and provide training to educate internal clients on ERM principles. Conduct workshops on risks mitigation processes for implementation within LOCMA. Conduct research and benchmark on best practices with recognised institutions pertaining to risk assessment methodologies.

ENQUIRIES: Ms Fanisa Lamola, Tel No. 083 273 2494

APPLICATIONS: All applications to be submitted online on the following link: <https://erecruitment.dws.gov.za/>

**NOTE:** The Limpopo-Olifants Catchment Management Agency is a Public Water Resource Management Agency, established in line with the provisions of the National Water Act, 1998 (Act no 36 of 1998) (NWA) and National Water Policy for South Africa. It is an entity of the National Department of Water and Sanitation. Employees appointed in the CMA have similar employment terms and conditions as those of employees appointed in terms of the Public Service Act, though not employed in terms of the Public Service Act.