



## water & sanitation

Department:  
Water and Sanitation  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

### DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION CLOSING DATE: **24 April 2025**

Note: Interested applicants must submit their applications for employment to the address or email address specified on each post (all documents must be submitted in **one** in PDF attachment/s, **size not exceeding 10mb**) Subject title on the email must indicate the **reference number** of the post. Applicants should forward applications to the correct email address of the post as incorrect emailed applications will not be considered. 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, 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. 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. The successful candidates will be appointed in terms of section 76 of the National Water Act, Act 36 of 1998.

#### POST: CHIEF INDUSTRIAL TECHNICIAN – MECHANICAL (SPECIALIST CONTRACT)

REF NO: 24042026/E05

CHIEF DIRECTORATE: CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT

SALARY: R 582 444 per annum (Salary Level 10)

CENTRE: Mzimvubu Water Project – Ntabelanga Dam

REQUIREMENTS: A National Diploma / Degree in Mechanical Engineering. Six years relevant experience. Knowledge of mechanical plant and equipment used in dams. Mechanical systems maintenance skills. Technical report writing skills. Project planning and supervision. Safety and risk management. Computer and engineering software skills. Team leadership and coordination. The disclosure of a valid unexpired driver's license.

DUTIES: The incumbents will be responsible for supervising the installation and maintenance of mechanical equipment. Provide technical support during construction of dams and water schemes. Monitor mechanical performance and reliability of plant and equipment. Conduct inspections. Ensure the mechanical equipment operates safely and efficiently. Assist engineers with installation and commissioning of mechanical systems. Lead and supervise Artisans, Technicians, and maintenance teams. Ensure compliance to Occupational Health and Safety Act.

ENQUIRIES: Mr IM Maseko Tel No: (017) 720 1668

APPLICATIONS: Must be submitted using the newly implemented Z83 and a comprehensive CV to the Department of Water & Sanitation (Construction East) emailed to [RecruitmentCEast@dws.gov.za](mailto:RecruitmentCEast@dws.gov.za)

FOR ATTENTION: Ms NS Khanyile (Recruitment & Selection)