



environmental affairs

Department:
Environmental Affairs
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

- APPLICATION:** Must be submitted on a Z83 form with a copy of a comprehensive CV, certified copies of qualifications and ID document in order to be considered, and forwarded for the Director-General, Department of Environmental Affairs, **Private Bag X4390, Cape Town, 8000 or hand-deliver to 14 Loop Street, Cape Town.** The National Department of Environmental Affairs is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer. It is the applicant's responsibility to have foreign qualifications evaluated by the South African Qualification Authority (SAQA). Correspondence will be limited to successful candidates only. If you have not been contacted within three 3 months after the closing date of the advertisement, please accept that your application was unsuccessful. The Department reserves the right not to make an appointment.
- POST:** **DIESEL MECHANIC – MARION/GOUGH/SANAE
BASE (APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN MONTHS CONTRACT)**
- REF:**
- SALARY:**
- CENTRE:** **CAPE TOWN**
- REQUIREMENTS:** A National NTC 3 certificate or relevant comparable qualification, with a minimum of three years post trade experience. Competency in diesel engine and generator maintenance, diagnostics, repairs and overhaul, with knowledge of engine management systems, experience in operating electronic diagnostic tools as well as the ability to interpret results. The candidate has to be familiar with good workshop practices, correct use of basic workshop tools and an understanding of current work, health and safety policies. It would be an advantage if there is experience on earthmoving and material handling equipment. The incumbent must be computer literate, have good verbal and written communication skills and the ability to work in a team.
- DUTIES:** The incumbent will be responsible for maintenance and operation of the power generators and related equipment. Maintenance and repairs of air-conditioning, refrigeration-, water reticulation- and waste water systems. Replacement and repair of mechanical pumps and valves as well as pipe fitting. Maintenance and all repairs of forklift, telescopic cranes, portable generators and transfer pumps. Operate forklift and cargo handling equipment. Maintenance of field huts and field equipment. The incumbent will report to the base engineer and will be part of the technical team, led by the base engineer, which has to perform any additional base related technical functions. Prepare monthly and annual reports, do stock-takes to order spares and equipment and do other common "non-technical" duties performed by expedition members.
- NOTE:** The incumbent will be required to execute duties at the Marion/Gough/SANAE Base and associated buildings and field huts, and adhere to the health, safety and environmental requirements. The location may affect both the physical and mental well-being of the incumbent, their family and close relationships. In addition you will often be called upon to work long hours in extreme conditions on duties unrelated to your function. Shortlisted candidates will be subjected to screening

and security vetting to determine their suitability for employment. Appointment will be dependent on passing a prescribed medical examination.

Closing Date:

ENQUIRIES:

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