

# VACANCIES NOTICE



DR. KENNETH KAUNDA DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, SITUATED IN ORKNEY HEREBY INVITES QUALIFIED CANDIDATES TO APPLY FOR THE BELOW MENTIONED POSITIONS

DIRECTORATE: COMMUNITY HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

POSITION: SENIOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONERS (Besituated around Dr Kenneth Kaunda District (Matlosana area x2), (JB Marks area x1)

#### **PRACTITIONER**

**SALARY POST LEVEL: R 568.848 - R515.136 POST LEVEL 5** 

### **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**

- 1. National Diploma in Environmental Health (NQF level 6 and above)
- 2. At least 3-5 years working experience in Environmental Health field
- 3. Grade 12
- 4. Registration with the Health Professions Councsil of South Africa (HPCSA).
- 5. Research and report writing skills
- 6. Computer literacy.
- 7. Thorough knowledge of relevant Environmental Health and Municipal legislation.
- 8. Valid unendorsed Driver's license.

#### **KEY PERFORMANCE AREAS:**

- 1. To identify, evaluate, monitor and control all factors in the environment that can potentially affect the health and well being of communities.
- 2. Implement the following functions:

Water quality monitoring

Food control

Waste Management

Health Surveillance of Premises

Surveillance and prevention of communicable diseases

Vector Control

**Environmental Pollution Control** 

Disposal of the dead

Chemical safety

- 3) Monitor proper refuse collection, storage and disposal, including sewage industrial effluents, health – care risk waste and hazardous waste by means of sampling, analysis and investigations to promote general waste hygiene.
- 4) Investigate and follow-up complaints (including noise).
- 5) Control disposal, exhumations and re-burials of the dead by licensing and monitoring undertakers premises, embalmers, storage places for bodies, cemeteries and crematoria to ensure safe and hygienic disposal of the dead
- 6) Keeping up statistical data, records and files to ensure a user- friendly database for reference purpose with regard to the aforementioned listed functions.
- 7) Prevent and investigate outbreak of communicable diseases.
- 8) Conduct environmental education as well as health and hygiene promotion.
- 9) Enforce Municipal By-laws and Policies related to Environmental Health.

DIRECTORATE: COMMUNITY HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

POSITION: POLLUTION CONTROL OFFICER

SALARY POST LEVEL: R 568. 848 - R515. 136 POST LEVEL 5

## MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

- Honors / Degree in Environmental Management / Environmental Health / Environmental Science.
- 2. Grade 12

- 3. At least 3-5 years' working experience in Environmental Pollution Control.
- **4.** Broad knowledge and understanding environmental management and pollution control issues.
- 5. A qualification as Environmental Management Inspector (EMI) will be an added advantage.
- 6. Technical skills in emissions inventory development, dispersion modelling and database management (air quality)
- 7. Understanding of EIA and AEL processes.
- 8. Research and report writing skills
- 9. Computer literacy
- Thorough knowledge of relevant Environmental Management and Municipal Legislation is necessary.
- 11. Valid unendorsed Driver's license.

#### **KEY PERFORMANCE AREAS**

- Identify, evaluate, monitor and control all factors that can have potential harm to the environment.
- Co-ordinate matters pertaining to Environmental Pollution and management within the Municipality.
- Facilitate, coordinate, attend (and lead where required) relevant air quality management, climate change and environmental management forums and meetings.
- 4. Compile and submit Provincial Air Quality Reports.
- Coordinate the application process and issuing of Atmospheric Emission Licenses and review existing air and water licenses / permits to ensure compliance with environmental legislation.
- 6. Ensure the determination and setting of local emission standards.
- 7. Develop appropriate training manuals and programmes and conduct environmental education and capacity building programmes in the area of Environmental Pollution Prevention and climate change.
- 8. Comment / Input on the and review the applications and processes of environmental impact assessment / reports.
- Liaise with municipalities, the public and stakeholders, including business and industry on environmental rights, responsibilities, programmes and performance
- 10. Request and evaluate pollution abatement plans from emitters using technology based on Best Available Technology or the Best Practicable Environmental Option from industry and/or emitters in the district.
- 11. Propose and develop air quality & climate change plans, policies, instruments and tools to support the district environmental policy and to address air quality and climate change issues within the district. Ensure implementation thereof.
- 12. Interact with various stakeholders including local municipalities and assist with capacitating and educating them on air quality and climate change considerations.
- 13. Provide support in terms of the interpretation and enforcement of environmental legislation and regulations.
- Develop and implement Municipal By-laws and Policies related to Environmental Management.

## CLOSING DATE OF APPLICATIONS: 20 AUGUST 2025 @ 12H00

Prescribed application form is available on the website and the Record Section. Certified copies of original certificates not older than 6 months must be attached to the CV. Applicants with International qualifications must ensure that the qualification is SAQA accredited. All applicants will be subjected to a vetting process. The Municipal Council reserves the right to make an appointment on any of these positions. Dr Kenneth Kaunda District Municipality is an equal opportunity employer. All enquiries must be directed to the Human Resource Manager on 018 473 8000/21.

Please note that no faxed or emailed applications will be considered. If no response is received within 3 months of closing date, consider your application as unsuccessful.



