



## water & sanitation

Department:  
Water and Sanitation  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

EXTERNAL VACANCY CIRCULAR  
DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION  
CLOSING DATE: 26 May 2023 @16H00

Note: Interested applicants must submit their applications for employment to the address specified on each post. Applications must be submitted using the newly implemented Z83 form obtainable on the Department of Water and Sanitation's 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 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 and 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 on Specialist Contract in terms of section 76 of the National Water Act, Act 36 of 1998.

POST: PRINCIPAL ENGINEER (Specialist Contract)  
BRANCH: INFRASTRUCTURE MANAGEMENT  
CHIEF DIRECTORATE: CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT  
SALARY: R 527 298.00 per annum (Level 10)  
CENTRE: Construction South (Clanwilliam Dam)

REF: 26052023/S03

REQUIREMENTS: must be in possession of degree in mechanical engineering or relevant equivalent qualification. Must have six (6) years post-graduation experience in construction, dam building and roadworks environment. Professional registration at least as candidate engineer. Must have professional knowledge of safety aspects with experience in integrated HSE&Q management systems in an engineering environment. Must have advanced skills regarding the performance of engineering technical duties in the maintenance and operation of various equipment. Project management experience. Must have good interpersonal relations. Must have good communication skills and the ability to interact at all levels both internally and externally. Must have a code EB driver's licence.

DUTIES: The incumbents will be responsible for planning and allocation of resources within different sections that contribute to larger projects or for a smaller project requiring minor resources. Compile weekly and monthly project report progress. Responsible for junior staff and day to day supervision and in-house training and also responsible for contractors. Monitor expenses related to projects for which he is directly responsible. Liaises with support functional areas to arrange for supply chain, human resources, and finance needs. Design equipment, systems, structures, and installations. Give guidance and advice to other personnel, consultants, and independent contractors. Compile quantity list of tender purposes. Construct and develop new/existing equipment.

ENQUIRIES: Mr. NJ Meyer Tel No: 021-872 0591

APPLICATIONS: Paarl (Office): Department of Water and Sanitation, Private Bag X3042, Paarl, 7620 OR hand deliver at 6A Voortrekker Street, Clanwilliam, 6135

FOR ATTENTION: Mr NJ Meyer