



REPUBLIC OF NAMIBIA

MINISTRY OF MINES AND ENERGY

VACANCY

The Ministry of Mines and Energy invites suitably qualified candidates to apply for the following vacant position:

POSITION 5

DIRECTORATE PETROLEUM AFFAIRS

DIVISION: EXPLORATION, PRODUCTION AND PROMOTION

1X POST: Chief Geoscientist Grade 5

Salary Scale: N\$400 001 – N\$478 220

Housing Allow: N\$13 080 pa

Transport Allow: N\$7 680 pa

Minimum Requirements: A relevant Honours Degree (or equivalent qualification) on NQF Level 8, with six (6) years appropriate experience. A post graduate degree in a petroleum related fields (geology, geochemistry or geophysics) will be an advantage.

Additional Requirements: Sound knowledge of the Namibian petroleum industry is expected. Experience in conducting scientific petroleum exploration research, petroleum data interpretations and knowledge of the geographic information system together with basin analysis understanding is required. The successful candidate should be willing to adhere to safety and confidentiality requirements, practical and creative, able to work with minimal supervision, able to accept and execute responsibilities efficiently.

Key Responsibilities:

- To evaluate the hydrocarbon potential of the different basins onshore and offshore Namibia.
- Undertake geostatistical estimation across broad spectrum of oil and gas resources.
- Providing input and QA/QC for regional Play Based Exploration work performed by petroleum operators.
- Participating in exploration technical reviews aimed to ensure technical excellence and consistency of petroleum exploration deliverables.
- Management of unconventional reservoirs (tight gas, shale gas, CBM) explorations projects.
- Assess risk, uncertainty & resource potential on petroleum projects.
- Provide input to the planning & execution of exploration drilling, testing programs and production of hydrocarbons.

Applications must be Namibian citizens and/or public servants. Applications (Government employment application form (156043) obtainable at all Government Offices) together with a

comprehensive Curriculum Vitae and certified copies of educational qualifications must be submitted to:

The Permanent Secretary
Ministry of Mines and Energy
Private Bag 13297
Windhoek

Attractive range of benefits includes 13th cheque, pension fund, medical aid scheme, assistance with relocation expenses, vacation and sick leave. ***Racially disadvantaged persons, women and people with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.***

NB: Kindly note that all foreign qualifications should be evaluated by the Namibian Qualifications Authority (NQA). All Public Servants should forward the applications via their respective Human Resources Department.

Closing Date: 7 May 2018

Enquiries: Human Resources Division: Ms. Martha Kavijene / Mr. Ruiga Kakia
Telephone: 061-284 8111

Only candidates who meet the requirements will be contacted.