



EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT

POSITION:	Section Manager: Mechanical
REFERENCE NO.:	DY26/04/03
JOB GRADE:	D3
LOCATION:	Dockyard, Simons Town, Cape Town

PURPOSE OF THE JOB

To manage the Mechanical Section in order to deliver to the client engineering services of maintenance, fault diagnosis, repair, manufacturing and operational capability enhancement, testing, setting to work, alignment, acceptance trials and engineering changes of ships and submarine' s Mechanical Systems, and certify systems operation for vessel combat readiness.

CRITICAL PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES

- To manage the delivery of the engineering services in terms of surveys, testing and diagnostics as well as the maintenance and repair of marine vessels and associated mechanical equipment.
- Resource estimating, planning, scheduling, directing and controlling work and projects within the section.
- Manage section resources for optimum performance to meet or exceed set targets in terms of Safety, Health and Environment, Maintenance and Asset Management, Project Management and Budgets.
- Evaluating Systems performance against set standards and specifications as well as initiating corrective, preventative and proactive measures for optimum performance.
- Formulate personnel development plans to meet current and future needs.
- Develop section plans in line with the overall business plan.
- Perform engineering investigations and implement technological processes and upgrades.
- Leading, supporting and motivating personnel within the LRA and company policy framework.

QUALIFICATIONS

- B. Eng/ B. Sc. in Mechanical Engineering degree.

Added advantage:

- Post-graduate Project Management qualification
- A GCC and/or registration with ECSA

EXPERIENCE

- At least 7-9 years post qualification experience in maintenance and repairs in a marine or related engineering environment.
- Minimum 2 years management experience.
- Sound technical Knowledge in the Maintenance and repairs of Mechanical systems.

- Project management experience will be an added advantage.

SPECIAL PROFICIENCY/SKILLS

- Leading and deciding.
- Interacting and presenting.
- Collaboration.
- Knowledge of the Labour Relations act.
- Sound strategizing abilities, problem solving and analytical abilities.
- In depth technical knowledge in product systems management and logistic engineering.
- Maintenance Management skills.
- Project Management.
- Quality orientated with good analytical skills.
- Problem solving and report writing skills.
- Computer literate in terms of Microsoft Office and computerised
- Maintenance packages.
- Customer, Cost and Safety Conscious

The closing date for applications is **23 April 2026**. Late applications will not be considered.

To apply, send your application to careersdy@armscor.co.za.

NB: All applicants must indicate reference number of the position they are applying for in the subject heading.

Short-listed candidates will be subjected to reference checking, verification of personal data and security clearance as part of the selection process. In line with Armscor's commitment to compliance with the Employment Equity Act, preference will be given to suitable candidates from designated groups. ***People with disabilities are encouraged to apply.***

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