

## **POSITION DESCRIPTION**

Water PNG Ltd

### **AM5057 - Manager Public Relations**

*Water PNG Limited (WPNGL) is a State-Owned Entity that became corporatized on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017 by virtue of the National Water Supply and Sanitations Act 2016. We are committed to delivering safe water and sanitation services to the people of Papua New Guinea. As we transition into the new company, we are embracing new ways of doing business to ensure we achieve our three strategic themes, "Building the Business, Operational Excellence & Innovation and Delighting the Customer". The following vacancy now exists within the organization, at the Head Office, Port Moresby.*

WPNGL is inviting exceptional candidates to apply for the role of:

#### **MANAGER - PUBLIC RELATIONS**

Reporting to the Managing Director, the Manager Public Relations is responsible for leading, planning and directing Public Relations activities to create and maintain favourable image for Water PNG Limited. The role involves inter-government relations activities, media coverage, publicity, image and marketing functions of the company.

This includes regular and timely media publications to inform customers and general public through all media forums on Water Supply & Sanitation business, programs, projects including the sectoral reform initiatives undertaken by company in accordance with WPNGL's corporate plan and statement of corporate intent, statutory regulations and reporting requirement.

#### **Expected Competencies:**

- Bachelor's degree in Social Science in Media or Journalism, Public Relations or related field. Post graduate qualification would be an added bonus
- 10+ years management experience and exposure at senior management role in a large corporate environment
- Prior operational and strategic experience in private sector dealing with stakeholder engagement
- Proven operational knowledge in advocacy or public policy required with exceptional knowledge in developing public relation
- Excellent verbal & written communication skills including interpersonal and negotiation skills
- Have exposure to both print, television & social medial coverages with strong analytical & problem-solving skills
- Strategic thinker, innovative, commercial awareness, analytical and customer focused with good planning & organizational skills
- Proficient with MS Office Suite or related software with ability to lead winning teams.

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**Applications close COB Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

**Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted**

To apply for this position:

- Download and complete the Application Form from <http://www.vanguard.com.pg>.
- Email the application to [recruitment@vanguard.com.pg](mailto:recruitment@vanguard.com.pg) together with a copy of your CV in MS Word format.

**Note: Do not include copies of any other documents. You will be asked to provide the originals of certificates etc if you are selected for Interview**