

POSITION DESCRIPTION

National Fisheries Authority

AM6024 - Executive Manager - Fisheries Management

The National Fisheries Authority (NFA) is a non-commercial Statutory Authority established under the Fisheries Management Act 1998 on 1st January 2001.

NFA is responsible for the sustainable management and facilitation of fisheries resources development in Papua New Guinea with an aim to maximise economic benefits to the stakeholders.

The Authority is inviting **exceptional candidates** to apply for this Executive Management position:

EXECUTIVE MANAGER - FISHERIES MANAGEMENT

The Executive Manager, Fisheries Management reports directly to the Directorate/Deputy Managing Director for Technical Operations for the implementation of the Fisheries Management Act by strengthening and expanding fisheries management capacity and capabilities through research for providing the best scientific and economic advice.

Key Responsibilities:

- Strengthen fisheries development as a core mandate to maximize net economic returns from fisheries resources for Papua New Guinea community
- Establish procedures with individual fishery managers that enable each principal fisheries area to be regularly reviewed
- Produce quarterly reports that analyze the state of the fishery and when necessary, recommend actions that may be required to better ensure the Governments sector objectives are met
- Compile economic, scientific and other relevant information to better enable development and application of sensible fishery management strategies
- Monitor and comment on the effect of Government policy on fisheries management including the interests of stakeholders
- Undertake wide consultation with sector stakeholder groups and regional interests and agencies to obtain and validate information and opinion relevant to fisheries management.

Expected Competencies:

- Degree in fisheries, economics, business or planning. Preference for a post graduate degree or diploma in policy development or planning
- Minimum of 5 years' experience at a senior level in policy development or planning with at least 2 years work in a fisheries or resource management context
- Proven technical experience in either fisheries planning, policy development, fisheries management or fisheries project management
- Clear understanding of the policy development process and the analytical parameters which can be applied to monitoring the impact of fishery activity on fish stocks, marine resources and economic development
- Demonstrated capacity to coordinate a fisheries management planning process
- Computer literacy including working skills in word processing, spreadsheets, and use of diagrammatic information summaries such as charts and graphs
- Excellence in oral and written communication with a proven ability to produce sound reports and discussion papers within limited time frames
- Understanding of bio-economic principles as applicable to fisheries policy development and monitoring and fisheries management planning.

An attractive remuneration package commensurate with qualifications and experience is on offer for the right candidate.

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Applications close COB Friday 19th August 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 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