



Renewable Energy Projects Manager

CEF SOC

CEF (SOC) Ltd is involved in the search for appropriate energy solutions to meet the energy needs of South Africa, The Southern African Development Community (SADC) and the sub-Saharan African region, focussing on clean energy options as well as fossil fuels as per the mandate from the Department of Energy. It also manages the operation and development of the oil and gas assets of the South African government including strategic crude oil assets and management. CEF controls entities with commercial and developmental roles, housed in eight operating subsidiaries.

The **Renewable Energy Projects Manager** will lead and manage the activities and resources of Renewable Energy Projects section to ensure appropriate renewable energy solutions are identified, evaluated, funded and project managed until sustainable. To manager all Renewable Energy Programs and projects.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

- Bachelor's degree in Engineering or Natural Sciences or equivalent qualification.
- Project Management qualification will be an added advantage
- Master's in Business Administration /Leadership will be an added advantage
- A minimum of eight (8) years relevant and demonstrable experience of which 5 years in a project managerial role of capital projects, preferably in the energy sector
- A record of delivering results in complex project in Africa.
- In-depth knowledge of the Energy value chain particularly renewable energy.
- Experience in managing a (renewable) energy project development process.
- Experience in developing waste to energy projects
- Understanding of the South African renewable energy sector
- Understanding the national environmental management policy and regulatory framework
- Understanding the permitting and licensing requirements for energy projects
- Critical skills: analytical ability, creativity, communication, influencing, negotiation and leadership

MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE:

- Develop and implement CEF Renewable Energy (RE) strategy to ensure that planning of the section is aligned to EPD strategic objectives and the broader organisation' strategic deliverables.
- Lead and manage the Renewable Energy section of CEF and set the necessary policies, rules and regulations in place to ensure proper and effective RE Projects delivery.
- Identifying and executing Renewable Energy projects for CEF;
- Leading the negotiations for CEF's participation with other project partners;
- Manage renewable energy programmes or complex projects by combining business strategy and project management techniques in order to implement the business strategy and to deliver organisational breakthroughs
- Procuring the necessary CEF approvals for CEF participation in renewable energy initiatives;
- Manager the budgets of the RE projects to ensure effective and efficient functioning and cost control.
- Monitor, recommend and implement corrective measures to rectify deviations/acts contrary to budgetary provisions, financial regulations, audit requirements and departmental procedures
- Develop execution strategies and negotiate commercial terms for Renewable Energy capital projects

PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES (CRITICAL FOR SUCCESS)

- High level of integrity, initiative and passion;
- A team player who is assertive and confident;
- An individual with stature and presence who demonstrates emotional maturity; and

The appointed candidate may be required to undertake security vetting clearance

Closing Date: 14th September 2018

Please submit a detail Curriculum Vitae (CV) to NthabisengMa@cefgroup.co.za