



## EXTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT

Applications are invited for the permanent position of

### **TECHNICIAN – LEVEL 1 (X2 POSITIONS)**

at uShaka Sea World's Technical Department

The core responsibilities will include:

- To ensure the continuous operation of Life Support System (LSS) equipment and systems, by conducting mechanical, electrical and instrumentation maintenance on all LSS equipment and plant, as and when assigned to do so by Technical Management.
- To ensure the reliability of SAAMBR's vehicles through regular inspections and maintenance.
- To assist with LSS operations, as and when assigned to do so.
- Perform routine mechanical, electrical, and instrumentation maintenance on LSS systems.
- Monitor and maintain water quality systems in line with operational parameters.
- Complete maintenance job cards and maintain accurate records.
- Identify faults and escalate issues where required.
- Support emergency response to system failures.

Minimum requirements for the position:

- Grade 12 / N3 / NQF Level 4 (preferably in a technical or engineering field) is essential.
- National Trade Test Certificate as a Fitter or Electrician is essential.
- 1 – 3 years of plant experience is essential (preferably in a water treatment or similar environment).
- A valid Code B driver's licence is essential.
- Must have own transport or be able to reach the site within 1 hour after hours.
- Competent computer literacy, including MS Word and MS Excel, is essential.

Additional competencies and attributes:

- Strong problem-solving and analytical skills.
- Ability to work independently and within a team environment.
- Good communication and interpersonal skills.
- High level of integrity, responsibility and attention to detail.
- Willingness to work after hours, weekends and in operational environments (including heights and confined spaces).
- Physically fit and capable of performing demanding technical tasks.
- Willingness to be multi-skilled and to grow within the organisation.

Submit your Curriculum Vitae and letter of motivation by either:

- E-mail: [recruitment@saambr.org.za](mailto:recruitment@saambr.org.za)
- Hand Delivery: The South African Association for Marine Biological Research 1 King Shaka Avenue, Durban

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SAAMBR is a Non-Profit Company and a member of: IUCN (World Conservation Union) and WAZA (World Association of Zoos and Aquaria)

Accredited member of AAWHC (African Association for Wildlife in Human Care)

ORI is academically affiliated with the University of KwaZulu-Natal

**THE CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS IS 25 JUNE 2026**

Appointments will be made in line with SAAMBR's employment equity requirements. In line with the Protection of Personal Information Act, all personal information submitted as part of your application will be used solely for recruitment purposes and handled in a lawful, responsible, and confidential manner. SAAMBR reserves the right not to make an appointment.

Only potential short-list candidates will be contacted. Should you not have heard from us by 16 July 2026, please consider your application unsuccessful.

