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COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE

**TWO TECHNICIANS (Chemical)
(PEROMNES GRADE 10)
ONE-YEAR FIXED-TERM APPOINTMENT
POLLUTION RESEARCH GROUP
SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING
HOWARD COLLEGE CAMPUS**

REF NO.: PRG2/2017

The Pollution Research Group (PRG) in the School of Engineering is an externally-funded team of professional researchers working on multidisciplinary research projects in the urban and industrial water and sanitation sector.

The Pollution Research Group currently holds a grant from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to provide laboratory and field testing support to other grantees working on sanitation solutions. During 2017, four reinvented toilet prototypes will undergo engineering testing in Durban. Due to the level of support particularly required for this upcoming Engineering Field Testing platform (EFT), PRG are looking to recruit two Technicians to assist their laboratory team.

The successful candidates will report to the Group's two Senior Technicians and Principal Technician.

Minimum Requirements:

- 3 year tertiary education qualification which can be applied in the field of work described above (non-Engineering qualification)
- 1 year work experience in a laboratory or relevant environment

Knowledge:

- Analytical chemistry and laboratory techniques
- Familiarity with the Occupational Health Safety and Environmental Act and related regulations governing work within a hazardous environment

Short-listed candidates may be required to undergo a skills test.

The annual fund salary is R179,544. A medical aid and provident fund subsidy is offered. The package includes a 13th cheque on top of the fund salary.

Appointment to this post will be on the January 2012 Conditions of Service.

The closing date for receipt of applications is 31 May 2017.

Applicants are required to complete the relevant application form, which is available on the vacancies page of the University website at <http://vacancies.ukzn.ac.za/Home.aspx>

Please send completed forms ONLY (i.e. no CVs) to Kerry Philp philpk@ukzn.ac.za.

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