Tuvalu Government – Job Description



Position Title:	Mineral Officer	
Level and Salary:	T1 - T3	\$15,448 - \$29,287
Ministry and Department:	Natural Resources Development	Lands and Survey
Location:	Funafuti	
Reports to:	Director of Lands and Survey	

JOB PURPOSE:

This position is responsible for the management of the department's engagement with mineral resources potential assessments.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES: (list no more than 6 key responsibilities not tasks)

- 1. Manage all information and exchange of information at a National level
- 2. Manage and Monitor GIS Inventory Database
- 3. Manage a Network of Pacific Islands and Regional and International bodies governing Seabed activities.
- 4. Manage and Monitor all marine activities within the EEZ and in the AREA

MAIN DUTIES AND OUTCOMES: (list duties/tasks and outcomes of the responsibilities)

- 1.1 Determine and maintain a record of costs through liaising with land owners, Kaupule and other stakeholders.
- 1.2 Coordinate consultations with stakeholders on relevant issues in the Foreshores and Land Reclamation Act 1969 and other related legislation.
- 2.1 Develop and update an inventory in GIS MapInfo format of all sand and gravel extractions.
- 2.2 Develop and maintain an inventory in MapInfo of all deep sea mineral data for the Tuvalu EEZ.
- 3.1 Develop relationships with relevant organization such as SPC and SPREP
- 3.2 Develop and maintain relations with other Pacific Island Countries with similar issues such as Kiribati and Marshall Islands

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- 4.1 Analyze and assess all proposals for research within EEZ as well as proposed programmes of work in the AREA and report to the Director of Lands and Survey.
- 4.2 Assist the Director in establishing possible partners to secure a programme of work in the Clarion Clipperton Fractured Zone.
- 4.3 Any other duties that is required of him/her by the Director from time to time

MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS:

Degree in Earth Science, Environment Study and other related fields AND

At least (3) years working experience in a technical and management position.

DESIRABLE REQUIREMENTS:

Good written and oral communication skills (Tuvaluan and English)
High-level attention to detail and accuracy
Sound Microsoft Office and computer skills and able to process information in MapInfo
Ability to liaise with a range of stakeholders
Sound time management skills