JOB POSTING

JOB TITLE:	**SILVICULTURE FORESTER (C3)**
DEPARTMENT:	**FORESTRY**
LOCATION:	**WITTELSBOS PLANTATION – TSITSIKAMMA – EASTERN CAPE**
REPORTING TO:	**PLANTATION MANAGER – WITTELSBOS**

POSITION OBJECTIVE

An exciting opportunity has arisen for a qualified Silviculture Forester to oversee silvicultural operations at our Wittelsbos Planation in Tsitsikamma, Eastern Cape, reporting to the Plantation Manager.

Key deliverables

The Silviculture Forester will be responsible for the management and achievement of operational and financial targets according to the approved annual budget. Responsible for all Silviculture Operations, inclusive but not limited to weeding, planting, pruning, environmental control, fire management and contractor management at the Wittelsbos Operations. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required.

Minimum Job Requirements:

- Degree or Diploma in Forestry (National Diploma or BSc Degree)
- Must have at least 3 years' experience as a Silviculture Forester.

Additional Requirements

- Specialized firefighting knowledge.
- GIS (Geographical Information Services).
- Sound knowledge of all relevant legislation with specific emphasis on the Forests Act and the Veldt and Forest Fire Act.
- Knowledge of the OSHACT, accident investigation, Labour Relations Act, mentoring and coaching of staff etc.
- Knowledge of environmental related issues, such as FSC chain of custody.
- Financial and software specific knowledge i.e. budgetary control, Micro Forest and related software training.
- Able to manage risks and occupational health and safety.
- Basic computer literacy.
- Must have a valid driver's license.
- People management experience
- Ability to manage change and improve on current systems
- Impeccable discipline and attendance record

Housing : Housing available
Closing date : 5 November 2026

Please submit CV and qualifications to Marshall@mto.co.za or Jacquesw@Mto.co.za
For more information about the MTO Group visit: www.mto.group

Filling of this position will be done in terms of the requirements of the Company's Employment Equity Policy and Plans. If you do not receive a response from us within 21 working days of the closing date, please be advised that your application was unsuccessful

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