PROVINCIAL ADMINISTRATION: NORTH WEST DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

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the Premier, Private Bag X129, Mmabatho, 2735 or hand delivered at the Directorate of Human Resource Practices and Administration, Ground Floor,

Ga-rona Building or can be emailed to recruitment2@nwpg.gov.za

CLOSING DATE : 05 December 2025, (Applications must have reached the Office by 16h30 pm

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MANAGEMENT ECHELON

POST 43/205 : HEAD OF DEPARTMENT (HOD) REF NO: NWP/OOP/2025/79

(5-year Fixed-Term Contract)

SALARY : R1 813 182 per annum (Level 15), (all-inclusive remuneration package

consists of a basic salary, the State's contribution to the Government Employee's Pension Fund and a flexible portion that may be structured i.r.o. the applicable rules) plus non-pensionable Head of Department's allowance

equal to 10% of the all-inclusive remuneration package.

CENTRE : Mmabatho

REQUIREMENTS: An appropriate post-graduate qualification (NQF 8) as recognised by SAQA. A

minimum of ten (10) years' experience at Senior Managerial Level. Applicants who do not possess SMS Pre-Entry Certificate shall be considered for shortlisting and interviews, but the successful candidate shall not be appointed before successfully obtaining the certificate (SMS Pre-Entry/Programme) offered by the National School of Government. Information can be accessed via this link: https://www.thensg.gov.za/training-course/sms-pre-entry-programme/. Core management competencies: Strategic capability and leadership skills, Client orientation and customer focus, Financial

management, People management and empowerment, Communication, Project and programme management. Change management, Knowledge management and service delivery Problem solving and analysis, Knowledge of MS Word, MS Excel and MS PowerPoint.

DUTIES Provide effective, efficient management and administration in the Department.

Provide strategic direction and leadership for the department. Ensure effective utilisation and training of staff. Maintain sound labour relations and discipline of staff. Ensure proper use, care and maintenance of state assets and resources. Render sound financial management in the department, including serving as an Accounting Officer of the department. Implement all laws and policies applicable to the department, any other function that may in law be entrusted, assigned, or delegated to an Accounting Officer and or Head of Department. Manage and Oversee Agricultural Regulatory and Technical Services, Agricultural Development and Farmer Support Services and Integrated Rural Development Services and Provide technical support on Public Private Partnership projects. Liaise with and co-ordinate partnerships with other government, non-governmental institutions and other partners.

Ms. Yvonne Modubu Tel No: (018) 389 5638 **ENQUIRIES**

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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