

## Vacancy Announcement



### **KALAHARI CONSERVATION SOCIETY**

#### ***ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMMES OFFICER***

KCS is a membership-based non-governmental organization. Since its establishment in 1982 the Society has been active in the field of biodiversity and Wildlife conservation. It undertakes conservation research, runs environmental stewardships programmes nationally and promotes stakeholder participation in the management of natural resources. The Society is currently looking for a suitable candidate for the position of Environmental Programmes Officer (EPO).

The KCS EPO is responsible for the development, control and management of KCS Outreach and Environmental programmes.

The Environmental Programmes Officer,

- Coordinates KCS Community Based Natural Resources Management activities
- Identify research projects on the physical environment and water resources nationally
- Develops proposals and sources funding for the implementation of physical environmental projects
- Act as technical advisor to the KCS Environmental Education programme
- Provides technical backstopping to the activities of the KCS Branches, and represents KCS in relevant conservation forums.

The successful candidate,

- has not less than **6 years experience** and proven passion for Natural Resources Management/ Conservation ,
- has a Degree in Environmental Science, Wildlife Conservation or a related discipline,

- has proven experience in working with Donors, Government, NGOs and the Private sector,
- has proven project development and management skills,
- has strong analytical and strategic planning ability,
- is able to function as member of a dynamic and multi-cultural team of professionals,
- is self-motivated, able to travel extensively, work independently and
- Has a valid drivers licence

The KCS offers an attractive salary package commensurate with qualification and experience and including Medical aid (50/50) and pension. Botswana citizens will be given preference. Females are encouraged to apply.

Applications with a detailed CV should be received by 8<sup>th</sup> July 2011 addressed and marked as follows: The Chief Executive Officer, KCS EPO Post, P.O. Box 859, Gaborone, Botswana. E.mail: [Baboloki@kcs.org.bw](mailto:Baboloki@kcs.org.bw)/ [Admin@kcs.org.bw](mailto:Admin@kcs.org.bw)