

NATIONAL EMPOWERMENT FOUNDATION (NEF)

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN SASKATCHEWAN - CANADA

An employer with several locations in Saskatchewan is recruiting Mauritian nationals to work as John Deere Agricultural and Outdoor Power Equipment Service Technicians, whose main task will be performing basic/complex diagnostics, service repairs and maintenance work.

Candidates should:

- i. Be physically capable to perform the required duties and be willing to make a long term commitment;
- ii. Be willing to engage in recommended training in Mauritius before departure to Canada;
- iii. Have a NC3 Certificate in Tractor and/or Heavy Vehicles Mechanics;
- iv. Minimum of 5 years of experience working on agricultural equipment, with 2 years on newer John Deere model or similar agricultural equipment (warranty and/or factory training and certification is an asset);
- v. Be experienced with electronic diagnostic systems and strong computer skills for ongoing training;
- vi. Have experience and training in advanced hydraulic systems;
- vii. Be highly competent in replacement and repair of a wide range of agricultural equipment and components - engines, hydrostatic and transmission systems - as well as certified manufacturer training for warranty repair on various types of equipment;
- viii. Have a good level of fluency in English both written and spoken; and
- ix. Have a valid driver's license.

Additional Information

- i. Selected candidates will be paid between \$22.00 to \$24.00 CAD per hour, subject to skill, ability and market conditions. Compensation will also consist of an earned incentive, full benefit package (health, dental, long and short term disability, and prescription drugs, pension plan) as well as a retirement savings plan after three months of continuous service.
- ii. The employers will make deductions of approximately 33% from the employee's salary as per Canadian law.
- iii. Selected candidates will be entitled to 3 weeks paid vacation per year after one year of continuous service.
- iv. The employer will meet the cost of the flight for the selected candidates and they will ensure that affordable and proper accommodation is available, which will be paid for by the employee.

Mode of Application:

Interested candidates are requested to collect and submit application forms at the following points:

- **National Empowerment Foundation**, 7th Floor, Garden Tower, La Poudrière Street, Port-Louis,
- **Employment Information Centres in Port Louis**, Triolet, Mapou, Rivière du Rempart, Rose Hill, Quatre Bornes, Curepipe, Vacoas, Quartier Militaire, Central Flacq, Rose Belle, Mahebourg and Riviere des Anguilles, and at Port- Mathurin in Rodrigues **and**
- **Employment Division, Ministry of Labour, Industrial Relations and Employment**, 11th Floor, Sterling House, Lislet Geoffroy Street, Port-Louis.

Completed forms should be submitted together with one copy of: (i) Birth Certificate; (ii) National Identity Card; (iii) Marriage Certificate (if applicable); (iv) Academic and technical qualifications; (v) Letters of reference from employers; and (vi) Clean Certificate of Morality.

The deadline for the submission of application forms is **Wednesday, 21st August 2013, 16:00** at latest.

Further information about the job profile can be obtained at the National Empowerment Foundation and at the EICs.

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