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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN QUEBEC - CANADA

A number of employers in the meat processing sector of Quebec are recruiting Mauritian nationals to work on a 2 year contract in pork processing units, to perform the following duties: (i) slaughter animals; (ii) disassemble and prepare carcass for processing; (iii) slice and handle meat; (iv) pack meat and animal products; and (v) clean and sanitize production area.

Candidates should:

- (i) Be a male aged between 26 and 39 years
- (ii) be at least 155 cm
- (iii) have at least passed the Certificate of Primary Education (CPE)
- (iv) be fit to perform strenuous duties and to work at odd hours
- (v) have knowledge of French and be able to communicate in French without problems

REMUNERATION AND BENEFITS

- (i) Selected candidates will be paid between CAD \$10.25-\$12.00 per hour, as a starting salary. Pay will increase at intervals throughout the contract according to the terms of the collective bargaining agreement.
- (ii) The employing companies will make deductions of approximately 25% from the employee's salary as prescribed by Canadian law (including Income Tax, Employment Insurance, Union Fees, etc.).
- (iii) Selected candidates will be entitled to two weeks paid vacation leave per year after the first year of work.

Additional Information

- (i) Shortlisted candidates will go through a pre-selection and final selection exercise conducted by the employer.
- (ii) The employer will meet the cost of round trip air ticket of the selected candidates
- (iii) Employers will ensure that affordable and proper accommodation to be paid by employees is available.
- (iv) Overall costs for visa and medical examination will have to be met by the selected candidates.

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

- **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**
- **National Empowerment Foundation**, 8th Floor, Garden Tower, La Poudrière Street, Port-Louis, 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 two recent passport size photographs in colour, and 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 applying is **Monday, January 24th, 2011 16:00** at latest.

Additional information is available at the National Empowerment Foundation.

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