**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY MANITOBA CONSERVATION**

**AND WATER STEWARDSHIP**

**Advertisement Number: 31931**

**POSITION: Seasonal Fisheries Technician (RS1) – 2 positions**

**Location:** Thompson, MB

**Length of Employment:** 1 Seasonal position – 26 weeks in length

 1 Seasonal position – 16 weeks in length

**Salary Range:** $17.90 - $21.45 per hour – plus remoteness allowance.

**Closing Date: 4:00 pm May 3rd, 2016**

**DUTIES:**

* Under the supervision of the Regional Fisheries Technician, the incumbent will be responsible for conducting fish assessment field studies on various lakes throughout the Northeast, Northwest and Central Regions.
* Set and lift gill nets.
* Identify and sample fish according to established standards.
* Ensure that data is collected and recorded in an accurate manner.
* Maintain and clean equipment.
* Work with limited supervision.
* Establish and maintain effective working relationships with other staff and resource users (e.g. local fishermen, aboriginal resource boards, consultants, etc).

**QUALIFICATIONS**

**Essential Qualifications:**

* A minimum of one year of post-secondary education in natural resource management or the biological sciences.
* Experience with recording and reporting of technical data and the demonstrated ability to maintain accurate written records.

**Desired Qualifications**

* Valid First Aid Certificate.
* Pleasure Craft Operator Card.
* Experience handling boats, including an understanding of boating safety.
* Experience working with aboriginal communities and/or organizations.

**CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT**

* Must be legally entitled to work in Canada.
* Must possess and maintain a valid Manitoba Class 5 driver’s licence or equivalent
* Must be physically capable to perform the duties required of the position.
* Must be willing and able to work for extended periods in the field, weekends and 10-4 shifts as/when required.

**TO APPLY:**

Application forms can be obtained at any Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship District or Regional office.

Applications for the following positions will be received at:

Manitoba Conservation and Water Stewardship

Fisheries

Box 28, 59 Elizabeth Drive

Thompson MB, R8N 1X4

Fax: 204-677-6359

**Employment Equity is a factor in the selection process. Applicants are requested to indicate in their covering letter or application if they are from any of the following groups: women, Aboriginal people, visible minorities and persons with disabilities.**

**We thank all who apply and advise that only those selected for further considerations will be contacted.**