



**DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

Reference : S4/1
To : ALL HEADS OF DEPARTMENT: LIMPOPO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT
Subject : ADVERTISEMENT FOR PLACEMENT OF UNEMPLOYED AGRICULTURAL GRADUATES 2026/2027 AND 2027/28 FINANCIAL YEARS

LIMPOPO PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT: DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT VACANCY CIRCULAR NO. 03 OF 2026.

Limpopo Department of Agriculture and Rural Development is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer with clear employment equity targets. Women and people with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

APPLICATIONS : Applicants must quote the relevant reference number on the application and forward to the below addresses.
Mopani District: The Director Mopani District Limpopo Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Private Bag X577, Giyani 0826 or hand delivered to: Old Parliamentary Building, Giyani 0826.
Waterberg District: The Director Waterberg District Limpopo Agriculture and Rural Development, Private Bag X1048, Modimolle 0510 or hand delivered to: NTK Building, Modimolle 0510.
Capricorn District: The Director: Capricorn District, Limpopo Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Private Bag X28, Chenespoort 0745 or hand delivered to: Block 28 Next to Traffic Government offices: Lebowakgomo.
Sekhukhune District: The Director: Sekhukhune District, Limpopo Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Private Bag X01, Chenespoort 0745 or hand delivered to: Block 27 Next to Traffic Government offices: Lebowakgomo.
Vhembe District: The Director: Vhembe District, Limpopo Department of Agriculture and Rural Development, Private Bag X2247, Sibasa 0970 or Physical address: Handed in at Makwarela Government offices.

CLOSING DATE : 13 February 2026 @ 16H00

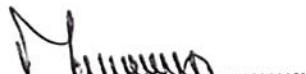
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NOTE : Limpopo Department of Agriculture and Rural Development invites one hundred and thirty-five (135) Limpopo Province based unemployed graduates in possession of a minimum diploma/degree qualification in agriculture-related fields recognised by South African Qualification Authority (SAQA) to apply for a fixed term contract as Unemployed Agricultural Graduates for a period not exceeding twenty-four (24) consecutive months. Applicants must utilize the most recent Z83 application for employment form as issued by the Minister for the Public Service and Administration in line with Regulation 10 of the Public Service Regulation, 2016, as amended, failure to do so will results in disqualification. The Z83 form must be completed in a manner that provides sufficient information about the candidate and the post he or she applies for by completing all relevant fields. The declaration must be signed in order for an applicant to be considered. The following must be considered in relation to the completion of the new z83 form by the applicants: All the fields in Parts A, B, C, and D must be completed. In Part B, all fields must be completed in full except the following; South African applicants need not provide passport numbers, If an applicant responds "no" to the question "Are you conducting business with the State or are you a Director of a Public or Private Company conducting business with the State?" then the answer to the next question "In the event that you are employed in the Public Service, will you immediately relinquish such business interests?" can be left blank or indicated as not applicable. A "not applicable" or blank response will be allowed on the question "if your profession or occupation requires official registration, provide date and particulars of registration", if you are not in possession of such registration. Noting there is limited space provided for Part E, F & G, applicants often indicate "refer to Curriculum Vitae (CV) or see attached", this is acceptable as long as the CV has been attached and provides the required information. If the information required is not provided in the CV, the applicant may be disqualified. It must be noted that a CV is an extension of the application of employment Z83, and applicants are accountable for the information that is provided therein. The question related to conditions that prevent re-appointment under Part F must be answered (Applicants currently employed by the public service do not need to complete the section). The application must include only completed and signed Z83 form and a recently updated comprehensive CV (with detailed previous experience). Certified copies of Identity Document, Senior Certificate and the highest required qualification as well as a driver's license where necessary, will only be submitted by shortlisted candidates to HR on or before the date of the interview date. The applicant may submit additional information separately where the space provided on z83 form is not sufficient. Applicants who apply

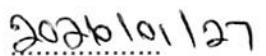
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for more than one position are requested to submit separate applications for each position they wish to apply for. Correspondence will be limited to short-listed candidates only due to the large number of applications we envisage to receive and if you have not heard from us within 90 days of the closing date, please accept that your application has been unsuccessful. However, should there be any dissatisfaction, applicants are hereby advised to, within 90 days, request reasons from the Department for any administrative action which has adversely affected them in terms of section 5(1)(2) of the Promotion of Administrative Justice Act 3 of 2000. By virtue of applying, you are consenting that the department subject you to personnel suitability checks e.g. the verification of educational qualifications, previous experience, citizenship, reference checks, financial checks and security vetting. Candidates with foreign qualifications are advised to attach SAQA accreditation of their qualifications. As per DPSA directive on human resources management and development for public service professionalization volume 1, "All shortlisted candidates, including SMS, shall undertake two pre-entry assessments. One must be a practical exercise, and the other must be an Integrity (Ethical Conduct) Assessment". Failure to comply with the above requirements will result in the disqualification of the application. Successful incumbents will be expected to sign a performance agreement within three months of the assumption of duty and be required to disclose their financial interest in accordance with the prescribed regulations. Failure to comply with the above requirements will result in the disqualification of the application. The Department reserves the right not to make any appointment for the advertised posts. The employment decision shall be made based on the Employment Equity Plan for the Department. Note: Due to austerity measures, the department will not carry any related costs (transport, accommodation, and meals) for candidates attending interviews.

Note: The full contents of the advertised posts will be posted on the following websites: www.lard.gov.za / www.Tplimpopo.gov.za and Departmental social media.



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HEAD OF DEPARTMENT



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Limpopo Department of Agriculture and Rural Development presents one hundred and thirty-five (135) opportunities of Unemployed Agricultural Graduates on farms or enterprises for entrepreneurial development through the comprehensive agricultural support programme (CASP) as follows.

DISTRICT	NAME OF FARM / ENTERPRISE	LOCATION OF THE FARM / ENTERPRISE	TYPE OF COMMODITY	NUMBER OF GRADUATES REQUIRED	REFERENCE NUMBER
SEKHUKHUNE DISTRICT	ANB Operations (PTY) LTD Indigo Naranja	Burgersfort	Citrus	8	LDARD SEKH1/1/2026
	Mmamosokolo Farm	Phaahla	Crop & Animal	2	
	Kgapane Nature Produce	Mafarafara	Crop	2	
	Rosle Boerdery	Groblerdal	Citrus & Blueberries	4	
	Rahlagane Table Grapes	Moganyaka	Table grapes	2	
	Rametse Farming Enterprise	Matlala Ramoshebo	Crop	2	
	Nezvonix Pty Ltd/Kopano	Boskop	Citrus	2	
	Malan Terblanche Boerdery	Toortskaal	Citrus	4	
	Manini Holdings	Ephraim Mogale	Citrus and crop	3	
	Schonbee Landgoed	Elias Motsoaledi	Subtrops	6	
MOPANI DISTRICT	Mabunda Citrus	Xitlakati	Citrus	8	LDARD MOP2/1/2026
	A hi Tirheni Mqekwa	Daniel Ravalela	Crop	2	
	Duvadzi	Mbhedle	Crop	2	
	Sebenza Agri Investment	Houtspruit	Citrus & Subtrop	4	
	Soleil citrus	Houtspruit	Citrus	4	
	SEDA	Greater Giyani	Crop	2	
	Mooiwater 187 LT / Bob Trust	Greater Letaba	Crop	2	
VHEMBE DISTRICT	Mauluma Boerdery	Levubu	Subtrop crops	3	LDARD VHE3/1/2026
	Tshivhase Agridam	Khubvi Damani	Subtrop crops	2	
	Caroline Farm	Travena/ Tshikhudini	Crop	1	
	Mudau MM Farm	Tshamutavha	Crop	2	

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	Mukhuba Farm	Mangodi	Crop	2	
	Tshavumba Farm	Zwigodini	Crop	1	
	Vyeboom Poultry	Vyeboom	Animal	1	
	Utopia Boerbok stud	Levubu	Animal	2	
	Mabila Farm	Malavuwe	Animal	1	
	Golele Farm PTY LTD	Kutama Sinthumule	Crop	1	
	Onay family Farming	Travena/ Tshikhudini	Crop	1	
	Vision family Farming	Mukhomu	Crop	1	
WATERBERG DISTRICT	Bakone Golden Nest Poultry	Mookgophong	Crop & Animal	2	LDARD WAT4/1/2026
	MJM Bakone Group	Mogalakwena	Crop & Animal	2	
	Baradipelo Farmers	Modimolle	Crop & Animal	3	
	Diwe Farming	Haakdoring Thabazimbi	Crop & Animal	2	
	Isivuno	Bela Bela	Crop & Animal	1	
	Monyetla Holdings	Modimolle	Crop & Animal	1	
	Moromo Poultry	Bela Bela	Poultry & Crop	3	
	MSS Agriculture	Bela Bela	Crop	2	
	Redsky	Mookgophong	Poultry	2	
	Seoketja	Mogalakwena	Animal	2	
	Settlers Agric School	Bela Bela	Crop & Animal	3	
	TATS Greenery	Modimolle	Crop & Animal	6	
	Thabanyane Farm	Modimolle	Poultry	2	
CAPRICORN DISTRICT	ZB Plantations	Magatle	Crop	2	LDARD CAP5/1/2026
	MC Junior Farming	Myngenoegen	Crop	2	
	ZB Estates	Mogoto	Citrus &Crop	5	
	Zwoda Farming	Makweng	Crop	2	
	Lehlowedi Farm	Avon	Crop	2	
	Mazeli farming	Avon	Crop & Animal	2	
	Nkukeng Veg Project	Mohodi	Crop	2	
	Dithapelo holdings	Avon	Animal	2	
	Van Der Nakeng	Mohofi	Animal	2	
	Wilben Animal Production	Alldays	Animal	2	
	Altever Farm	Ga-Kibi	Crop	2	
	Elimark Boerdery	Morebeng	Crop & Animal	2	

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REQUIREMENTS

- Grade 12 plus an appropriate NQF level 6 qualification (Diploma/ Degree) in Agriculture related fields or relevant equivalent qualification as recognized by SAQA.
- Limpopo based unemployed graduates will be given priority.
- Applicants must be entering internship/ developmental programme in government for the first time.
- Applicants applying for this programme who have already participated in an internship/ developmental programme in government with a PERSAL number with experience of 12 or more consecutive months, must be automatically disqualified.
- Unemployed graduates from Colleges of Agriculture and those with diplomas in agriculture will receive first priority and will constitute a minimum of 80% of the total intake.
- Only South African unemployed graduates with the above-mentioned qualifications will be considered.
- Targeted beneficiaries should be 50% to a maximum of 55% women, 80% youth (18-35yrs), 20% unemployed graduates between 36-40yrs and 3% persons living with disabilities.
- Private studies will not be permitted during the two-year participation in the programme.
- Applicants must be willing to work abnormal hours.
- Successful applicants will be offered fixed term contract for a period not exceeding twenty-four (24) consecutive months on farms or enterprises for entrepreneurial development and to gain practical experience and a better understanding to start an Agri-Business.
- Placement will be done according to the departmental needs and in the district where the applicant is residing.

DUTIES:

Farm Management, Scouting, Disease control, dipping, dosing, identification of livestock, spraying, Record keeping. Packaging of agricultural produce. Loading and offloading of agricultural produce. Marketing of agricultural produce. Identification of new markets for agricultural produce. Supervision of workers. Development of farm plans and production plans etc.

REMUNERATION

Stipend: R 7 860,50 per month.

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ENQUIRIES:

Mopani District: Ms. Malatji MA and Matlou MT Tel No: (015) 811 9837 or (015) 811 1189.

Capricorn District: Ms. Sebatjane LD Tel No: (015) 632 8609 or Mr. Masera TN Tel No: (015) 632 8625 or Ms. Maredi BR (015) 632 8610

Waterberg District: Ms. Kekana RM Tel No: (014) 717 4949 or Mr. Nkoko KA Tel No: (014) 717 3298/1077

Vhembe District: Mammburu TD Tel No: (015) 963 2005 or Rathogwa MM Tel No: (015) 963 2007.

Sekhukhune District: Sekhukhune District: Ms. Laka MA, Ms. Lepulana S or Ms. Mphahlele RS Tel No: (015) 632 7000