LANSERIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

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INTERNAL VACANCY – APRON DEPARTMENT

An opportunity has become available for **3x GSE Operator**, reporting to **Apron Supervisor**. The successful incumbent will be based at Lanseria International Airport.

AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY AND REQUIREMENTS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

The Ground Support Equipment (GSE) Operator is responsible for operating and maintaining a variety of equipment used on the airside to support aircraft ground handling. This role ensures the safe, timely, and efficient movement and service of aircraft while adhering to all airport and airline safety regulations.

- Operate a range of GSE, including Belt Loaders, Aviramps, Motorized Stairs, Passenger Aid Units (PAU), Ground Power Units (GPU) and Air Start Units (ASU).
- Position and remove GSE to and from aircraft as directed by Guide Man.
- Assist in the handling and boarding of PAU passengers (Passengers with Reduced Mobility).
- Conduct daily inspections of equipment to ensure operational readiness and report defects promptly.
- Always follow standard operating procedures and airport safety rules.
- Report and highlight potential or actual hazards to the Line Manager/Supervisor promptly.
- Clean and maintain apron equipment and work areas in line with company standards.
- Complete all required documentation and checklists accurately.
- Perform any other duties or tasks as may be reasonably assigned from time to time.

PRIMARY QUALIFICATIONS, SKILLS & EXPERIENCE:

- Minimum 3 years' airport or ground handling experience.
- Matric (Grade 12) or equivalent.
- Valid driver's licence with a clean record.
- Airside induction, Dangerous Goods, and AVSEC/Part 109 compliant.
- Able to use two-way radio communication effectively.
- Experience operating ground support equipment (GSE) preferred.
- Physically fit; able to lift heavy items and work in all weather conditions.
- Able to work under pressure and flexible to work shifts, including nights and weekends.
- Must meet airside clearance and background check requirements.
- Strong time management and communication skills.

COMPETENCIES REQUIRED:

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- **Safety Awareness:** Demonstrates thorough knowledge of airside safety protocols and operates with caution.
- **Technical Aptitude:** Comfortable using and inspecting mechanical equipment; able to recognize faults.
- **Reliability:** Punctual, responsible, and committed to fulfilling shift obligations.
- **Communication:** Clear verbal communication skills for coordination with team members and flight crews.
- **Problem Solving:** Quickly identifies and reacts to issues that may impact operations.
- **Team Collaboration:** Works effectively in a team environment; assists others to meet operational goals.
- **Adaptability:** Remains flexible in changing environments and operational demands.
- **Attention to Detail:** Follows detailed procedures precisely, especially during safety-critical tasks.
- **Customer Focus:** Provides respectful and helpful assistance to all passengers, including those requiring special care.

APPLICATIONS

Applications with a covering shortened CV must be submitted to **Careers@lanseria.co.za** by the closing date of **12 November 2026.**

Only Internal LIA candidates will be considered. No late applications will be accepted. Should candidates not be notified of the outcome of their applications within 7 days of closing date, they should please regard their applications as unsuccessful.

Lanseria International Airport is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer.