

## PRESIDENT ISAIAS AFWERKI RETURNS HOME

President Isaias Afwerki has returned home in the morning hours of Sunday, concluding a fruitful five-day first official visit to the Russian Federation.

During his stay in Russia, President Isaias Afwerki met and held extensive discussion with President Vladimir Putin and other senior Russian government officials on strengthening bilateral relations and cooperation between Eritrea and the Russian Federation, as well as on global issues of interest to the two countries.

At the meeting the two leaders held, President Vladimir Putin said that the first official visit of President Isaias to the Russian Federation will contribute highly to the development of bilateral ties. President Isaias, for his part, urged Russia to play its due role with peace and justice aspiring peoples to ascertain the transition to a civilized international order.

President Isaias Afwerki and his delegation also visited the Kremlin's historical buildings and heritage.



During his visit, President Isaias was provided with a briefing on the historical buildings of the Kremlin, the heritage and paintings, as well as the places of worship it holds.

President Isaias and his delegation also visited the Treasure

Museum, which displays more than 40 thousand items of exceptional heritage, including costumes, ornaments, documents, and war materials of the Russian Tsars.

President Isaias and his delegation also visited the Diamond Fund

Collection Museum, which displays a variety of minerals.

The Presidential delegation included Mr. Osman Saleh, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Ambassador Zemed Tekle, Commissioner of Culture and Sports.



### ASMARA MARATHON TO BE HELD ON 11 JUNE



The Commission of Culture and Sports announced that the annual 'Asmara Marathon' will be held on 11 June.

Ambassador Zemed Tekle, Commissioner for Culture and Sports, said that the marathon will also include 10 km race for women and athletes from six countries are expected to take part.

The event will also include mass sport.

According to Mr. Efreem Tekeste, President of the Athletics Federation, athletes from Ethiopia, Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania and South Sudan are expected to arrive in Asmara on Friday and monetary prizes will be awarded to winners up to the sixth place.

Mr. Taddese Gebru, Chairman of the Athletics Federation, also said that the mass sport will be participated by Government officials, diplomats, students and Government employees as well as the public.

### REGULAR MEETING OF THE NATIONAL INSURANCE CORPORATION OF ERITREA

The National Insurance Corporation of Eritrea held its 19th regular meeting on June 3 at the Asmara Palace Hotel.

Mr. Gebrebrhan Mihreteab, Board Chairman of the Corporation, reported that in 2022 the corporation had registered a growth of 8% and called for reinforced efforts to develop the

agricultural project in Shambuko.

In his report, Mr. Paulos Tekleab, acting manager of the corporation, indicated that compared to previous years, the corporation has witnessed fewer accidents. He said the corporation recorded 88.3 million Nakfa in profit from service sales and that group life insurance has increased

from 1% in 2018 to 8% in 2022.

The National Insurance Corporation of Eritrea manages an insurance company in South Sudan with minority shareholding, re-insurance shares in Kenya and Nigeria, a share in the animal fodder processing plant in Adi-Sogdo, and engages in other trade activities.



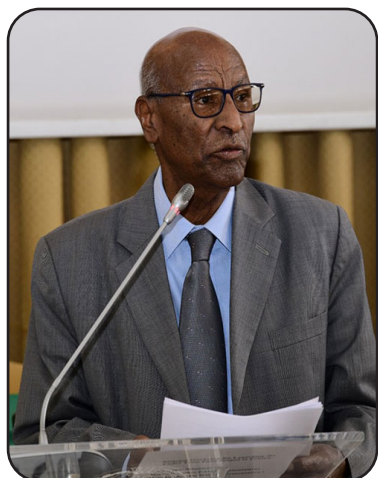


## Ministry of Agriculture Conducts a National Workshop for Launching Codex Trust Fund Project in Eritrea

The Ministry of Agriculture jointly with the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Representative in Eritrea conducted a National Workshop to Launch Codex Trust Fund Project in Eritrea on the 2nd of June, 2023 under the theme; "Food Standards save life". During the workshop which was attended by senior government officials, representatives of UN organizations and diplomatic corps, experts, food processors and the like, the Minister of Agriculture Mr. Arefaine Berhe pointed out that the main goal of the three-year project is to enhance the profile, management, knowledge of Codex work in Eritrea. He confirmed that the Ministry will extend full support to the implementation of the project to achieve the intended goal.

In his remarks, Mr. Arefaine stressed the importance of a harmonized national policy frameworks that can avoid the duplication of efforts, while at the same time enhancing the achievement of maximum utilization of resources in a very rational cost-effective way. In this regard, the Ministries of Agriculture; Marine Resources; Health; Trade and Industry; Land, water and Environment and Eritrean Standards Institution are expected to play their due roles; the Minister underscored.

Minister Arefaine finally emphasized the need for close



**Mr. Arefaine Berhe**

work relationship with the Codex Alimentarius to enhance the country's capacity on developing appropriate national food safety standards. Food and Agriculture Organization Representative in Eritrea, Ms. Esther Lusepani on her part mentioned that Codex Alimentarius was established by the FAO and WHO in 1963 to address consumers' protection and fair practices in Food Trade. Eritrea became a member of Codex Alimentarius in 1996 and the workshop was held to deepen awareness among the different stakeholders and the population in general.

According to Ms. Lusepani, the FAO/WHO funded Codex Trust Fund (CTF2) project has shifted from a primary focus on supporting physical participation in Codex meetings, to helping build strong, solid and sustainable national capacity to engage in

codex.

At last, Ms. Esther Lusepani said that she believes Eritrea will make best out of this project in building national Codex capacities, raising awareness on Codex, and monitoring and evaluation and observing the Codex procedures.

Mr. Tekleab Misghena, Director General of the Regulatory Services Department, speaking about the objectives and programs of the project, highlighted that the National Codex Committee is now established from eight government bodies; and will



**Ms. Esther Lusepani**

work to realize the goals of the project. Finally, Mr. Tekleab

commended the support extended from the government bodies and development partners to make the launching workshop a success. .

During the one-day workshop, papers on Knowing Codex; National Codex Activities in Eritrea; Quality Assurance for Fish and Fishery Products; Codex Trust Fund Project 2A were presented by relevant experts. After comprehensive discussions on the papers; participants passed important recommendations.

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## LOCAL NEWS

### WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY OBSERVED

World Environment Day, 5 June, was observed in Asmara at the National Confederation of Eritrean Workers Hall under the theme "Beat Plastic Pollution".

In his keynote address, Mr. Tesfay Gebreselasie, Minister of Land, Water and Environment, expressed on the significance of integrated effort of the public, the world and Governments in avoiding the erroneous use of plastic material that are causing adverse effects on the environment as well as on humans.

Minister Tesfay also called on every Eritrean as well as Government and public institutions to refrain from buying and frequenting the use of plastic material as well as throwing them

in all over the place.

Noting on the adverse effect on the health of the public and animals, the Government of Eritrea issued a proclamation on 2002 to ban the use of plastic particles; Minister Tesfay said that due to entering the plastic material to the country cross border the expected success could not yet be registered.

At the occasion, Ms. Aster Redaezghi, Head of Environmental Management and Supervision at the Ministry, gave briefing on the plastic pollution and its solution.

Mr. Vincent Omuga, Acting Representative of the UN Resident Coordinator, on his part, noting that plastic pollution has become one of the greatest global challenges,

commended the decisive measure that Eritrea is taking to ban and restrict the use of plastic.

Ms. Nashida Sattar, Acting Representative of the UNDP in Eritrea, also said that about 22% of the causes for diseases are directly

linked to environmental factors.

At the event financial awards has been provided to winners of the general knowledge competitions as well as to six women that contributed in controlling the environmental pollution.



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## SpotLight

# Environmental Protection: A Key to Sustainable Development

*Simon Woldemichael*

The world, rich and poor, is currently facing serious environmental problems such as land degradation, loss of biodiversity, and pollution of air, water and soil caused by many factors. This global problem that threatened the quality of life of the entire humanity has led to serious concern worldwide, which culminated to action at global level. Environmental problems are among the trans-boundary issues that are seldom local or national and hence require collective and coordinated action.

From the outset, Eritrea recognizes that environmental protection is necessary to achieve sustainable development. The poverty reduction strategy identified that environmental degradation disproportionately impacts the poor. Environmental protection and natural resource conservation holds central place in the fight against poverty. The main objective of the National Environmental Management Plan (NEMP) is to enhance Eritrean environment that can sustain a healthier population, free from deprivation and free to attain the highest possible standard of living.

Plastic pollution, among other pollutants, has become ubiquitous around the world and its negative impact is visible more than any other time in history. World Environment Day is the largest global event celebrated by international community on June 5. The event was first celebrated on 5 June 1973, and this year marks its 50th anniversary. World Environment Day 2023 is hosted by Cote d'Ivoire under the theme "Solutions to Plastic Pollutions." Most plastics are designed to be used once before

being discarded, and include plastic bags, cutlery, straws, and so on. All these single use plastics are highly visible on land and marine environment. Researchers has estimated that about 80% of plastic stranded on coastlines or at the sea bottom are single use plastics.

Governments around the world have adopted different policy initiatives to reduce single use plastic pollution. Eritrea has begun to implement policies to curb environmental pollution right after independence. Eritrea ratified the Convention on Biodiversity in 1995 and adopted a "National Code of Conduct on the Environment" that shows deep respect for the natural environment. Eritrea also is credited for having legislation that bans the use plastic to address the environmental problems posed by single use plastics. "Regulations to prohibit the production, importation, sale or distribution of



of Eritrea including revoking the business license of the person who violates the provisions.

As part of its commitment to sustainable development Eritrea has ratified the three most important environmental United Nations

such proclamation to mention. Article 11 of this legal notice is devoted to waste disposal and management and stated that "Every urban and rural administrative authority shall establish efficient waste management systems and safe dumping sites in their locality." Concerning to the management and handling of hazardous waste, article 14 of the proclamation has classified and listed out the hazardous wastes.

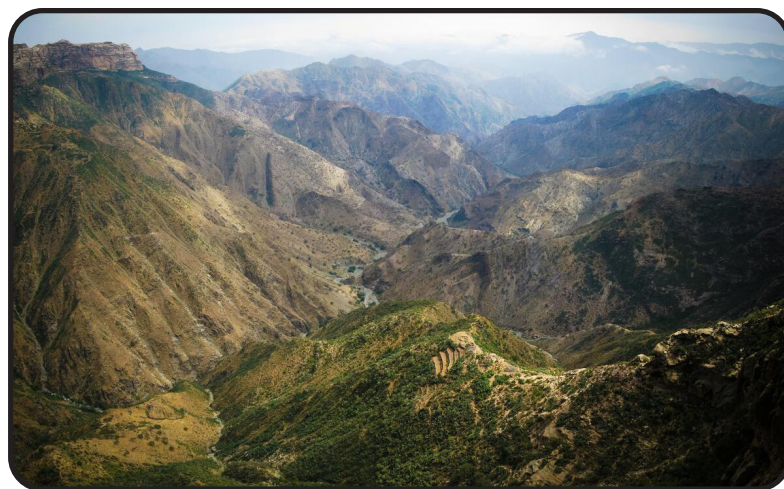
The Eritrean Environment Protection, Management and Rehabilitation Framework Proclamation No. 179/2017 is another legal notice published with the objective to establish the foundation of environmental management and protection laws and provide the institutions and legal instruments for their implementation and enforcement. It is also aimed to advance an environmental policy framework consistent with sustainable development. These proclamations are intended to protect the biotic factors such as human beings, plants, animals, microbes, etc. and abiotic factors such as air, water and soil. To reverse the adverse environmental problems, various measures such soil and water conservation, area closures, afforestation, rehabilitation of degraded areas have been undertaking by the government in collaboration with local communities.

The Eritrean Government recognizes that environmental protection is necessary to achieve poverty reduction and sustainable development. The National Charter of Eritrea (1994) specified that "We are committed to economic growth, but in conjunction with social justice and the protection of the natural environment." This principle is also reflected in the Eritrea's Macro Economic Policy

which stated that "Environmental consequences of every intended investment will be studied as a necessary component of the overall feasibility of the venture."

The document perceived the protection of the environment as a major factor in ensuring sustainable development and promised to protect the country from environmental hazards. The government is cautious in making sure that poverty alleviation should not damage the environment and improving environmental conditions can help reduce poverty. Environmental protection has significant contribution to the overall development of the country. Economic growth can only be meaningful if it ensures the promotion of an economically, socially and environmentally sustainable future.

Plastic waste causes a plethora of problems when it leaks into the environment. The economic, health and environmental damage caused by plastic waste is vast. Eritrea, a country that bans single use plastic bags, can effectively counter the causes of plastic pollution and become the cleanest nation if all the environment related regulations are properly and continuously enforced. Nevertheless, to tackle the roots of the problem, the government need to improve waste management practices and introduce behavioral change on consumers, retailers and traders. Financial incentives for research and development of alternative materials is by far the best possible solution to the current crisis. It's impossible to develop a nation without making an impact on the environment. Pollution is also a weapon of mass destruction that ruins life and economy. Life can only be healthier when we keep the natural environment safer.



thin plastic bags in Eritrea- Legal Notice No 63/2002" is one such legislative ban. Article 2 of the proclamation prohibited to produce, import, sell or distribute any plastic bags of high density or low density polyethylene product not exceeding two millimeter in thickness. Any person who contravenes the regulation shall be punished in accordance with the Penal Code

conventions, namely: Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD), Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) and Convention to Combat Desertification (CCD). Its strong commitment to environmental issues is revealed in the various proclamations issued during the past independence years. Environmental Management Regulations NO.127/2017 is one





# Development

## "Self-Reliance is the Way to Our Success"

Mussie Efreim

"Self-reliance is the way to our success" has been the motto of the EPLF since the early stages of its formation. In addition to meeting the requirements of the revolution, the EPLF began providing social services such as health care and basic education to inhabitants in the liberated areas while it was still operating at a small scale during the armed struggle.

Of course, the concept of self-reliance is not new one to the Eritrean society; it has been practiced from ancient times, and begging and dependency has always been frowned upon and considered a disgrace in the society. And through the principle of self-reliance, the EPLF has been able to achieve a lot before and after Eritrea's independence.

Rahba Handicrafts and Innovation Department, which was formed in 1974 during the armed struggle, began its operations with minimal resources by repairing guns and radios. When the department's human resources began to grow steadily following the influx of professionals from all over the country and abroad to join the

revolution, a basement infrastructure was built beneath the hills at Bleiqat to accommodate the growing needs of the department. The structure had to be underground to avoid bombardment by airplanes. With the liberation of numerous cities in the 1970s, the department continued to flourish across the liberated areas. Workshops were established in Dekemhare, Ginda, Segeneiti, and other liberated towns, and they all provided public services. Furthermore, the department set up a big laboratory in Keren and began producing saline, alcohol, and other basic medical supplies for use at health centers within the reach of the EPLF.

Following EPLF's strategic withdrawal in 1978, the department built its headquarters in Ararib (Orota), where it was based for ten years until Eritrea's independence. The Innovation Unit made progress over the years, and the year 1984 was a turning point in its history. That year was special because it marked the founding of the Innovation Commission and the opening of Nakfa Technical School.

The opening of the school made it easier for the freedom fighters to improve their skills and get involved

in numerous technical occupations, making a significant contribution to the enterprises that were blossoming during the revolution. Many fighters who joined the revolution with no profession or education enrolled in technical courses and made significant contributions to the success of the organization. On-going on-the-job training was also given to fighters who were assigned to work in the handicrafts and innovation department.

Ararib became the center for the demonstration of EPLF's doctrine of self-reliance and self-sufficiency where the workshops and factories were set up. Workshops and factories set up in Ararib at the time included, among others, a modern pharmaceutical factory, man-made limbs factory, processed food factory, a textile factory, a factory for the production of soap and sanctuary pads, a leather tanning factory, metal and wood workshops, garages, and a printing press.

The EPLF's medicine production and research facility manufactured numerous types of tablets, capsules, ointments, and other medical supplies, including antibiotics, vitamins, iron supplements and anti-parasitic medicine. The laboratory and its research section, both managed by EPLF fighters just like the other facilities, were conveniently located near the EPLF's main hospital in Orota, Sahel. The hospital was a huge complex that could accommodate 800 to 1000 patients at a time in small units dug in a rock, camouflaged and spaced for safety along 5 miles of narrow valley. It was linked with a network of provincial hospitals, clinics and medic stations concealed near the battle fronts. The facilities served EPLF fighters, civilians and thousands of Ethiopian POW's, who received treatment for almost every kind ailment and wounds.

The EPLF's printing press was one of the most important institutions of the revolution. Using printing machines, various publications -- including the EPLF's official publications; textbooks and other publications with contents in politics, medicine, engineering, agriculture and transportation; materials for the revolution school; and books, novels and magazines -- were published by the EPLF.

In general, many of the big works of the revolution were accomplished by using the Handicrafts and



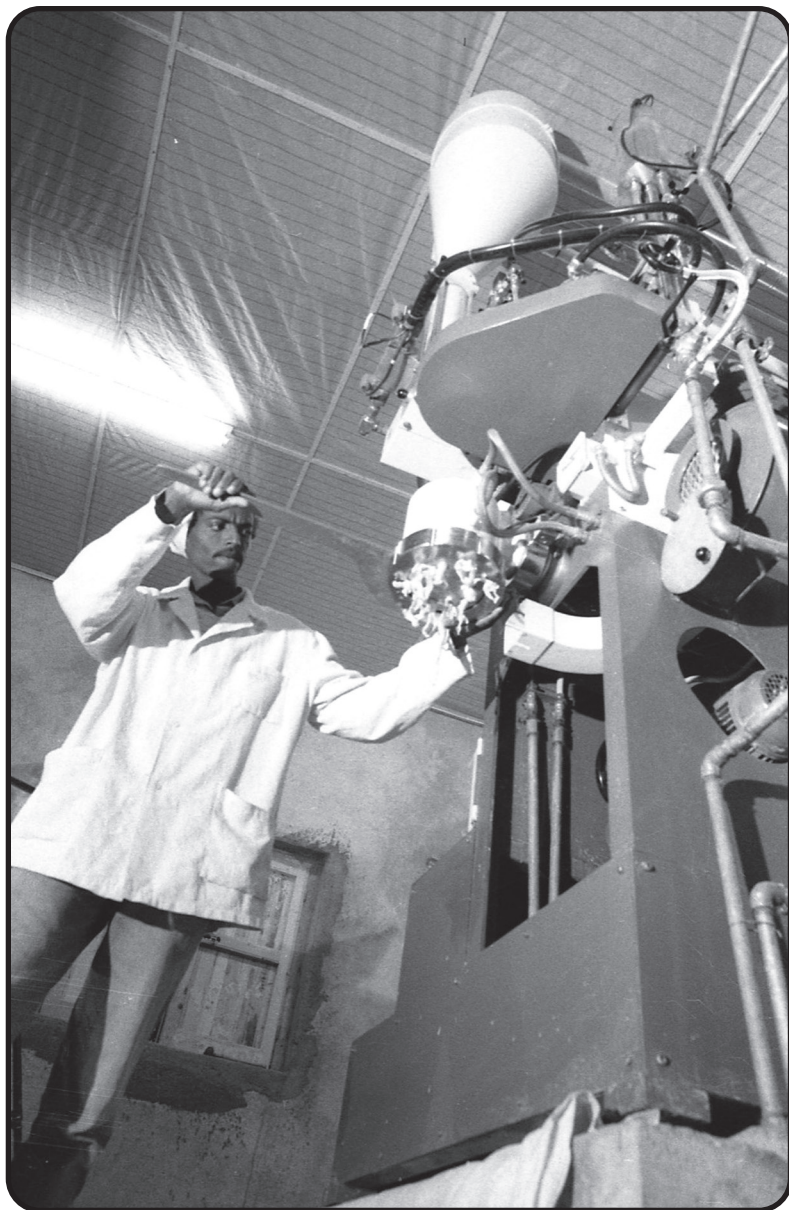
Innovation department and the workshops operated by the department. For example, the workshops were instrumental in the construction of major roads connecting various parts of the country and the construction of other infrastructures; the development of agriculture; and the provision of electricity, communication and healthcare services. Prior to the strategic withdrawal in 1978, the workshops did their best to provide services to local communities that lived in the liberated areas by repairing gadgets such as engines, electronic devices and water pumps, and by doing maintenance work for schools. At some point the workshops were producing materials that were exported to Sudan.

The plastic factory used imported chemicals and locally available row materials, including recycled materials, to make products such as cups and rubber sandals that

were used by the fighters and local communities.

The workshops made some of their products available to the public at a modest price, and the people were not only satisfied with the services provided but also greatly impressed with the achievement of the EPLF that was not limited to its military success. This explains the reason behind the people's complete faith in the revolution and its close relationship with it.

Through and through, the workshops helped the revolution to free itself from any external dependence and saved a lot of extra costs. After Eritrea's independence, the workshops that were operating in difficult conditions in Sahel were relocated to cities, and most of them underwent improvements and have made great contribution to the development of the economy of the newly born Eritrea. Some, like Azzel Pharmaceutical, have grown big.







VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Bisha Mining Share Company is inviting applicants for the following position for Bisha site project.

1. **Position: Pastry and Bakery Chef De Parte**  
**Department: Employee Services/Village Service**  
**Number required: One (01)**

- Primary Purpose**
- Preparing a wide variety of goods such as cakes, cookies, pies, bread etc. following traditional and modern recipes.
  - Creating new and exciting desserts to renew the menus and engage the interest of customers. Pastry section experience is required.
  - Able to work independently and self-sufficient.

- Essential Function**
- Assisting Pastry & Bakery chef on keeping pastry operation smooth.
  - Developing new recipes for seasonal menus.
  - Flexible working hours, including weekends and evenings, when necessary.
  - Decorating pastries and desserts to ensure beautiful and tasteful presentation.
  - Identification and hazard awareness and maintaining a safe environment.
  - Communicating with pastry and bakery chef on daily bases and generating recipes/ menu as required.

- Unique Requirements/ Other Information**
- Pastry section experience is required.
  - Developing new recipes for seasonal menus.

Qualifications	
• Grade 12	
Knowledge and Experience	
• 02 years working experienced working with similar related operations will be advantageous.	
• One who worked as pastry and baker demi chef de partie more than three years.	
•Good communication skills, one who can understand local language and English	
Technical Skills	Behavioral Skills
Attention to detail	Ability to work under pressure
Problem Solving Skills	Interpersonal skills,
Mastering the Art of Pastry Accuracy	Ability to work as a team but also work independently.
	Ability to work toward strict deadlines
	Results Oriented, Ability to multitask
	Ability to work in multi – disciplinary environment

- Position: Data Clerk**  
**Department: Employee Services/Village Service**  
**Number required: One (01)**

- Primary Purpose**
- Responsible for handling all necessary data within the section.
  - Collecting information, scanning, making copies and data entry.
  - Responsible for ensuring various documents’ accuracy.
  - Taking minutes and proper follow up for required actions.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

- Assisting senior sous chefs on keeping their records.
- Collection and recording of all annual leave and sick leave, rostered days, and roster administration.
- Filling time sheet of catering per their absenteeism
- Provide essential daily, weekly, and monthly and quarterly reports as defined.
- Developing relevant files within the section
- Communicating with catering supervisor on daily bases and generating report as required.

- Unique Requirements/ Other Information**
- Maintaining Confidentiality
  - Complying with deadlines
  - Providing Feedback

Qualifications:	Knowledge and Experience
• Grade 12 • Office Administration	•6-12 months computer experience and office work •Knowledge of MS office (Intermediate, Excel, Word)
Technical Skills	Behavioral Skills
Analytical Skill Able to Understand English Attention to details Problem Solving Skills	Ability to multitask; Pleasant telephone manner Interpersonal skills, Accuracy Ability to work under pressure Ability to work toward strict deadlines Assertiveness, Results Oriented Ability to work in multi – disciplinary environment

- General Information and other requirements:**
- **Place of Work:** Bisha.
  - **Salary:** As per Company salary scale.
  - **Type of Contract:** Indefinite

- Additional requirement for Nationals:**
- **Having fulfilled his/her National Service obligation and provide evidence of release paper from the Ministry of Defense.**
  - **Present clearance paper from current/last employer.**
  - **Testimonial documents to be attached (CV, work experience credentials, a copy of your National Identity Card etc.).**
  - **Only shortlisted applicants will be considered as potential candidates for an interview.**
  - **Application documents will not be returned to sender.**
  - **All applications should be sent through the post office.**
  - **Deadline for application: 10 days from the day of publication in the Newspaper.**

**Address:** Please mail your applications to: -  
Bisha Mining Share Company,  
P. O. Box 4276 Asmara, Eritrea

**Note to Eritrean applicants:**  
Please send a copy of your application to  
Aliens Employment permits  
P. O. Box 7940 Asmara, Eritrea

Vacancy Announcement

Eritrea-Sichuan Mineral Construction Company is inviting qualified and competitive applicants for the following positions: -

- Translator:**
- Number Required – One (01)
  - Place of work: Debarwa
  - Type of contact: Definite period of two years
  - Salary: As per the company salary scale

- MAJOR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**
- (1) Assist Chinese management personnel in managing the construction operation of local labor services;
  - (2) Translation the contents of local documents to Chinese managers;
  - (3) Participate in communication meetings with local managers, owners and government agencies;
  - (4) Assist with the project logistics management;

- Qualification Requirement**
- Education:**
- (1) Master degree or above

- Work Experience:**
- (1) At least 10 years of working experience in translation
  - (2) Working experience in Chinese companies is preferred

- Other skills and abilities:**
- (1) Excellent language skills
  - (2) Good at using the computational operation software, office / excel / ppt
  - (3) Good letter writing ability

- Language:**
- (1) Language fluency in English and Chinese is required.

- Additional requirements for Nationals:**
- (1) Having fulfilled his/her National Service obligation and provide evidence of release paper from the Ministry of Defense.
  - (2) Present clearance paper from current/last employer
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  - (4) Only shortlisted applicants Would be considered as potential candidates for an interview.
  - (5) Application documents will not be returned to the sender.
  - (6) All application should be sent though the post office.
  - (7) Deadline for application: 5 days from the day of publication in the newspaper

▪ **Address: please mail your application to**  
  
Eritrea-Sichuan Mineral Construction Corp. Ltd.  
P.O.Box 4832 Asmara, Eritrea

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Aliens Employment Permit Affairs  
P.O.Box 7940 Asmara, Eritrea



# Vacancy Announcement

Eritrea-Sichuan Mineral Construction Company is inviting qualified and competitive applicants for the following positions: -

**Finance manager:**

- Number Required – One (01)
- Place of work: Debarwa
- Type of contact: Definite period of two years
- Salary: As per the company salary scale

**MAJOR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Perform financial management duties including generating financial data, compiling, and submitting reports, producing financial reports related to budgets, account payables, account receivables, expenses etc.
- analysing production trends and assessing the financial health.
- creating and reviewing policies, budgeting, recruiting, training, and conducting regular assessments of financial procedures.
- Supervise the preparation of quarterly and annual account reconciliations, monitor, and enforce compliance with tax and financial reporting standards
- Create strategic production plans based on the analysis of the company's status and financial forecasts. Developing strategies that work to minimize financial risk

**Qualification Requirement**

**Education:**

Master degree or above in financial management

**Work Experience:**

- 5 years and above experience in financial management.

**Other skills and abilities:**

- Ability to work in culturally diverse working environments.
- Ability to work well with people.
- Commercial and business awareness and with an analytical mind
- Project management skills
- Problem solving skills, Teamwork, and collaboration skills

**Language:**

- Language fluency in English is required.

**Additional requirements for Nationals:**

- Having fulfilled his/her National Service obligation and providing evidence of release paper from the Ministry of Defence.
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Eritrea-Sichuan Mineral Construction Company is inviting qualified and competitive applicants for the following positions: -

**Maintenance Engineer:**

- Number Required – One (02)
- Place of work: Debarwa
- Type of contact: Definite period of two years
- Salary: As per the company salary scale

**MAJOR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- (1) Responsible for equipment installation, maintenance and report any problems in time;
- (2) Responsible for equipment repair and report equipment failure in time;
- (3) Check the operation state of the equipment, and make good inspection records, and report to the leader in time;
- (4) When the abnormal working condition of the pipeline is found, analyze the causes and propose solutions and organizational measures;
- (5) Complete other tasks assigned by the superior leaders;

**Qualification Requirement**

**Education:**

- (1) Master degree or above
- (2) Major in mechanical maintenance technology and other related majors

**Work Experience:**

- (1) Over 10 years of mechanical maintenance management or related work
- (2) Relevant certificate is preferred
- (3) People who have the Working experience in Chinese companies
- (4) Excellent English and Chinese

**Other skills and abilities:**

- (1) Excellent language skills
- (2) Proficient in operating the OFFICE office software, familiar with CAD construction drawings, understand the technical problems of engineering construction
- (3) Familiar with relevant safety laws, regulations, policies and inspection standards
- (4) Familiar with the pipe construction pipeline, water supply and drainage engineering technology, related engineering construction procedures and specifications

**Language:**

- (1) Language fluency in English and Chinese is required.

**Additional requirements for Nationals:**

- (1) Having fulfilled his/her National Service obligation and provide evidence of release paper from the Ministry of Defense.
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# VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT



## U.S. Embassy Asmara

**Announcement Number:** Asmara-2023-07  
**Position Title:** Registered Nurse  
**Opening Period:** June 2, 2023 – June 22, 2023  
**Series/Grade:** LE-510-9 (FSN-9)  
**Duration Appointment:** Indefinite subject to successful completion of probationary period

**Summary:** The U.S. Mission in Asmara, Eritrea is seeking eligible and qualified applicants for the position of Registered Nurse.  
The work schedule for this position is: Full Time (40 hours per week)

**Supervisory Position:** No  
**Duties:** The incumbent serves as the post’s nurse with responsibilities that include the medical care of Mission employees and eligible family members under MED approved clinical guidelines, as well as maintenance and inventory of all medical equipment and supplies, implementation of a robust vaccination program, administration of group and individual health education programs, and medical emergency contingency planning for the Mission. The incumbent will work in the Health Unit under the clinical supervision of the Regional Medical Officer (RMO) and administrative supervision of the Management Officer.

**Qualification Requirements**  
**EDUCATION:** Degree (RN Level) in Nursing or Diploma/Certificate equivalent from an accredited School of Nursing. Must possess and maintain a valid nursing license or a current unrestricted Registered Nursing license from the host nation, country of origin, or the U.S.

**EXPERIENCE:** A minimum of 2 years of post-qualification work as a professional nurse is required.  
**LANGUAGE:** Level III (Good Working Knowledge) Reading/Writing/ Speaking English is required. Level IV (Fluent) Reading/Writing Speaking Tigrinya is required. *(This may be tested.)*  
**SKILLS AND ABILITIES:**  
The position requires strong interpersonal skills and a client-oriented disposition capable of dealing with a complexity of interactive challenges in difficult and emotional situations.  
Must maintain current knowledge of local and regional medical services that can provide care for all acuity levels, including vetted specialists and hospitals.  
Must be able to perform basic word processing on computer.  
**Qualifications:** All applicants under consideration will be required to pass medical and security certifications.  
**How to Apply:** Applicants must submit a Universal Application for Employment (DS-174) which are available by contacting the Human Resources office at HR\_Asmara@state.gov or by calling 120004.  
To apply for this position, applicants should submit the documents listed below to  
Human Resources Office  
Mailing Address: U.S. Embassy, P.O. Box 211  
E-mail Address: HR\_Asmara@state.gov. Please indicate the position title in the subject line.

**Required Documents:** Please provide the required documentation listed below with your application:

- DS-174
- Proof of Education
- Proof of nursing license
- Proof of release from National Service

For further information: the complete vacancy announcement and position description listing all of the duties, responsibilities, required qualifications, etc. may be obtained by contacting the Human Resources office at HR\_Asmara@state.gov or by calling 120004.

# Vacancy Announcement

Eritrea-Sichuan Mineral Construction Company is inviting qualified and competitive applicants for the following positions: -

- Project Manager:**
- Number Required – One (01)
  - Place of work: Debarwa
  - Type of contact: Definite period of two years
  - Salary: As per the company salary scale

**MAJOR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- (1) To be fully responsible for the safety, production, operation, technology and personnel management of the project;
- (2) Accept the supervision of the employer, conscientiously perform the obligations and right stipulated in the contract in accordance with the contract, and successfully complete the tasks of the project;
- (3) Optimize the allocation of human, material and financial resources and other production factors on the project site, and implement dynamic management;
- (4) Establish the production, technology, safety and quality management system, and organize the implementation;
- (5) Lead and organize the project team members and management personnel to formulate various management systems and urge the implementation;
- (6) Do a good job in production organization and coordination, and solve various problems in production management;
- (7) Make a good cooperative relationship with the employer and the contractor, and complete the monthly settlement of project payment.

**Qualification Requirement**  
**Education:**

- (1) Master degree or above
- (2) Major in Mining engineering or the similar

**Work Experience:**

- (1) At least 10 years working experience in project management
- (2) Hold a middle management position for more than three years

in large and medium-sized enterprises

**Other skills and abilities:**

- (1) Class I construction engineer, safety certificate B
- (2) Good at CAD, EXCEL PPT and other computer software
- (3) Familiar with mine development process, equipment installation industry, mine design, production organization, safety management and other capabilities
- (4) Ability to form and lead teams
- (5) Have the ability to find problems and solve problems independently

**Language:**

- (1) Language fluency in English and Chinese is required.

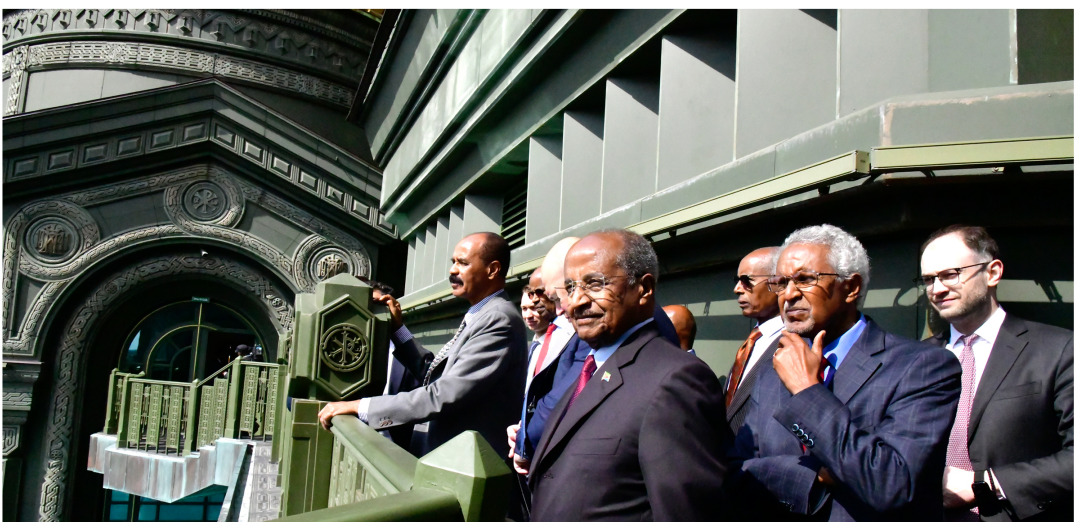
**Additional requirements for Nationals:**

- (1) Having fulfilled his/her National Service obligation and providing evidence of release paper from the Ministry of Defense.
- (2) Present clearance paper from current/last employer
- (3) Testimonial documents to be attached (CV, Work experience credentials, a copy of your National Identity Card, etc.).
- (4) Only shortlisted applicants Would be considered as potential candidates for an interview.
- (5) Application documents will not be returned to the sender.
- (6) All application should be sent though the post office.
- (7) Deadline for application: 5 days from the day of publication in the newspaper

- **Address: please mail your application to**  
**Eritrea-Sichuan Mineral Construction Corp. Ltd.**  
**P.O.Box 4832 Asmara, Eritrea**
- Note to Non-Eritrean applicants: Please send a copy of your application to**  
**Aliens Employment Permit Affairs**  
**P.O.Box 7940 Asmara, Eritrea**



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to the Russian Federation*



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