

The logo for Elgin Free Range Chickens is a red shield-shaped emblem with a white border. Inside the shield, the word "ELGIN" is written in large, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters at the top. Below it, "FREE RANGE" and "CHICKENS" are written in smaller, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters, stacked vertically. At the bottom of the shield, a small black rectangular box contains the text "EST. 1997" in white.

ELGIN
FREE RANGE
CHICKENS

EST. 1997

**FREE RANGE IS A LIFESTYLE
NOT A LABEL**



Vacancy

Production Manager

Elgin Free Range Chickens, Grabouw

The successful candidate will be part of the production team and report directly to the Factory Manager.

Responsibilities:

- Oversee slaughter process from live birds to packaging (primal and value added).
- The main focus of this position will be production, quality, slaughter process, efficiencies, consistency, yields, target attainment and people management.
- Adherence to Occupational Health and Safety, Hygiene, FSMS standards.
- Management of Supervisors and teams.
- Management of large team of staff.
- Responsible for Human Resources of production teams.
- Planning of work load according to orders and stock taking.
- Responsible for quality and production standards, working closely with the QA Manager.
- Daily and weekly production planning and scheduling activities.
- Daily production reconciliation and shift reports.
- Monitoring of machinery effectiveness and efficiencies and reporting any deficiencies to maintenance.
- Adherence to GMP's, PRP's, audits and inspections.

Requirements and Experience:

- Production/Operations Management qualification and/or experience
- Food Safety and Quality Management qualification/ training certificates (HACCP/ ISO 22000).
- Minimum 5 years FMCG experience in related field. Experience in the requirements of a chicken abattoir (including Meat Safety Act).
- Meat Examiner and/or Inspector qualification will be beneficial.
- Advanced computer skills and proficiency in the Microsoft Office Suite.
- Experience in managing staff.
- Leadership skills and hands on style of management.
- Experience in Occupational Health and Safety, with relevant training certificates.
- Excellent planning and organisational skills.
- Self-starter, motivated and independent worker.
- Analytical thinking and attention to detail.
- Problem solving.
- Strong work ethic and commitment to integrity.

We offer a competitive salary with benefits. The appointment will be made in accordance with the Company's EE Policy. Interested applicants should forward their CV's to: mdpa@freerangechickens.co.za on or before 14 June 2018. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Should you have not been contacted within 1 month, please consider your application unsuccessful.

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