



JOB DESCRIPTION - GII TBSO

Job Purpose

Enhance the Chances of Long-term Survival of Terrestrial Endemic and Threatened Species on Taveuni Island, Surrounding Islets and throughout Fiji and conduct surveillance and eradicate Giant Invasive Iguana (GII) and report to Eradication Officer.

Principal Accountabilities

- Carry out surveillance of the island with team
- Capture and cull all stage of GII including eggs (be able to identify GII from Local) and eradicate it.
- Report activities to Eradication Officers
- Participate in team meeting for planning of activities and allocation of tasks
- Plan and prepare for weekly tasks
- Visit to local villages to conduct awareness
- Avoid harming the local iguana
- Protect the habitat of local iguana
- Fill the forms with details of GII caught
- Be punctual
- Not abuse TBSO powers (do not enter anyone's land unless it is to do with surveillance and eradication of GII)

Qualifications/ Knowledge/ Skills

- Have an understanding of eradication requirements and methods
- At least 2 years of field experience with invasive species eradication operations
- Relevant experience in field operations e.g. as former serviceman, policeman or military background would be advantageous
- Field experience tracking radio-collared animals will be an advantage
- Experience mapping GPS survey tracks
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively both independently and collaboratively
- Demonstrated ability to meet deadlines
- Experience working among Pacific cultures

- Field experience with iguanas or other reptiles will be an advantage
- Be able to carry out the assigned tasks without difficulties
- Have knowledge of BAFs' procedures will be an advantage
- Must be highly committed to eradication of GII from Fiji and enhance the survivability of local endangered species
- Must be highly cooperative, respectful and professional
- Must have excellent customer service
- Must be willing to work in teams and long hours if need be
- Must be organised and well presented

WHERE TO SEND YOUR APPLICATION

Complete written applications must include your curriculum vitae and the names of at least 2 referees with academic certificates and transcripts. Applications should be marked "Vacancy No. & Name" and must be sent either by post, hand delivery, or email to hrrecruit@baf.com.fj no later than 5:00 pm Friday 24th June, 2022.

Please send to
Recruitment
Biosecurity Authority of Fiji
PO Box 18360, Suva

OR

Hand deliver to
Level 3, Provident Plaza 1
Downtown Boulevard
Ellery Street| Suva

Please note that only shortlisted applicants will be contacted. If you have not been contacted by BAF, then your application has not been successful and we thank you for your interest in applying.

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