



Kent Materials Handling (Pty) Ltd
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VACANCY NOTICE

Position: Diesel Mechanic

Company: Kent Materials Handling

Location: Various Sites

Reporting Line: Mechanical Supervisor / Maintenance Manager

Application deadline: 29th May 2026

Company Overview

Kent Materials Handling is a reputable contractor providing materials handling and support services within large-scale industrial and power generation environments. We are seeking a highly skilled and experienced Diesel Mechanic to join our operations at various sites.

Purpose of the Role

To inspect, service, diagnose and repair yellow machinery (CAT) and plant equipment in line with manufacturer specifications.

Key Responsibilities

- Perform planned, preventative and breakdown maintenance on diesel equipment
- Conduct fault-finding and diagnostics using approved tools
- Repair engines, transmissions, fuel injectors, hydraulic and pneumatic systems
- Assist with installation, commissioning and testing of new machinery
- Ensure equipment availability, reliability and safe operation
- Collaborate with supervisors and site management to plan and prioritize maintenance work
- Complete job cards, inspection reports and maintenance records
- Comply with SHEQ requirements and LOTO procedures

Minimum Requirements

- Grade 12 / NQF Level 4
- Qualified Diesel Mechanic with a recognised Trade Test (Red Seal)
- Minimum 5 years post-trade experience in construction, mining or power generation
- Knowledge of CAT Machinery – (FEL966G & SEM660D/Dozers/Mobile Graders/ADTs/Rollers)
- Experience on heavy-duty yellow machinery
- Hydraulic and pneumatic systems experience
- Valid Driver's License (Code 08 minimum; Code 10 advantageous)

Additional Requirements

- Strong diagnostic and fault-finding skills
- Attention to detail

- High level of integrity and reliability
- Ability to work independently and under pressure
- Willingness to work overtime, shifts and standby
- Safety certificates (Working at Heights, Confined Spaces, First Aid, Fire Fighting) advantageous

Application Process

Submit updated CV and certified copies (not older than 3 months) of qualifications, trade test, ID and Driver's License

Please ensure that the key qualification / requirement areas are clearly reflected on your CV when you apply. Only applications with valid South African Identity documents will be considered as per company equity plan.

Kent Materials Handling reserves the rights to do full background checks and verification of qualifications and documentation on all applicants.

Please note that late applications will not be considered. Kent Materials reserves the right to subject applicants to relevant skills to determine their suitability for the position. Should you not be contacted regarding this position within 10 working days from the closing date, please regard your application as unsuccessful.

CV's to be submitted to dikeledi@kentmaterials.co.za by the **29th May 2026**.