

# EXAMINATION ANNOUNCEMENT



Office of Personnel Administration  
FSM National Government

It is the policy of the FSM Government that qualified FSM citizens is given first priority for employment consideration; with other Micronesians and U.S. citizens utilized in positions for which no qualified FSM citizens are available.

**POSITION AND SALARY:**

Fisheries Observer Coordinator  
PL-34/1  
\$779.30 B/W + \$40.00 Cola (\$819.30 B/W)

This is the minimum rate at step one of the grade. Higher rates may be authorized in cases of hard-to-fill positions where it is appropriate to the qualifications of the appointee.

**LOCATION:**

National Oceanic Resource Management Authority (NORMA)  
FSM National Government  
Kolonia, Pohnpei FM 96941

**DUTIES (ILLUSTRATIVE ONLY):**

Responsible for implementing the National Fisheries Observer Program and assisting regional and sub-regional observer programs in which FSM is a party to including the (WCPFC); review post trip data management procedures includes the retrieval of all information following the completion of all observer trips; responsible in assuring that observers upon arrival in FSM ports; assist identify observer training needs, work with fisheries observer trainers and participate during full training and refresher training in conjunction with the Secretariat of the Pacific Community (SPC OFP) and the Pacific Islands Forum Fisheries Agency (FFA), (PNAO) and (WCPFC); responsible for reviewing, processing and follow up on all documents relating to fisheries observers; responsible for purchasing of observers equipment and supplies; work closely with relevant parties or agencies in managing the fisheries observers program; ensure all work practices and training activities are delivered; performs other duties as assigned.

**QUALIFICATION REQUIRMENTS:**

Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration, Fisheries or related field plus three (3) years of commercial fishing experience which demonstrated the ability to observe fishing experience and fishing practices.

Secure Application Forms From  
And Return to FSM National  
Government Personnel Office