



**ASCENSION ISLAND
GOVERNMENT**

Plant Operator

**Total annual package value up to £26,648 pa
comprising a salary of £12,901 plus allowances and housing**

The Ascension Island Government (AIG) is currently looking for a suitably experienced, and qualified, Plant Operator. The role is within the Plant Team and will report to the Plant Team Leader.

You will be required to operate plant such as, but not limited to, wheeled loader (including JCB backhoe), forklift de-mountable lorry, bulldozer, road roller, cranes, tracked excavators, graders, lifting equipment, Merlo cement mixer and 6 tonne tipper truck. The role is incredibly varied and the job description should be read in order to gain an understanding of the range of tasks you will be required to undertake. This role also performs Stevedore duties, which involves working a 12-hour shift and at times, weekends.

In addition to an annual salary of up to £12,901 (depending on experience and taxable on Ascension), the role attracts an **accompanied** status contract and the following allowances and benefits:

- Rent free accommodation valued at up to £2,400 pa (taxable benefit)
- An accompanied status food allowance of £7,680 pa or £3,840 pa if single (taxable benefit)
- An electricity allowance worth £938 pa
- An accompanied status water allowance worth £2,729 pa or £1,360 if single
- Relocation costs for your personal effects from your home country and assistance with shipment of a vehicle
- One mid-contract return journey to your country of recruitment
- A gratuity payable on the successful completion of a 2-year contract
- 30 days' annual holiday (with additional 9 days public holidays)
- Free primary dental and medical care
- Free annual travel insurance
- Free schooling for dependent children up to 16 years

The appointment will be subject to:

- Satisfactory employment references
- Basic Criminal Records Check
- Satisfactory Medical and Dental Clearance

Closing date: Monday, 26 May 2025
Interviews: Wednesday, 28 May 2025 (via video call if off island)
Start date: As soon as possible.

For more information, a full job description, and to apply, visit: www.ascension.gov.ac/lifestyle-and-employment/working-here/

If you have any questions about the role, email: recruitment@ascension.gov.ac