



## Vacancy: Marine Officer/Pilots

The Port of Cromarty Firth is a Trust Port which exists to improve, safeguard and develop the Cromarty Firth as a Port for the benefit of stakeholders and is a self-financing commercial business.

We are looking for a suitably qualified and enthusiastic Marine Officer/Pilot to join our team. The successful candidate will work towards Class 1 certification for Pilotage within the Cromarty Firth Pilotage District and actively participate with ongoing projects as part of the Port of Cromarty Firth Marine Operations Team.

### Key responsibilities:

- Responsible for the safe piloting of vessels and structures into, out of and between locations in the Firth, as required by the Pilotage Act 1987.
- Responsible for the safe and timely berthing and departure of vessels and structures.
- Responsible for passage planning of vessels in conjunction with the Master.
- Responsible for record keeping as required by the Port for the arrival, departure, shifting or piloting of vessels and to the requirements of the Health and Safety at Work Act and the Port Marine Safety Code.
- Responsible for the written reporting of all collisions, groundings, near misses and incidents which they observe or are involved in.
- Responsible for reporting any navigational or equipment defects
- Assisting with planning the safe and expeditious berthing or departure of vessels.
- Assisting with emergency operations in the Port.
- Work within the Marine Operations Department with planning, data gathering, policy review and updating procedures as required
- Work as part of the on-call rota to support the marine department/pilotage
- Other duties as required from time to time to meet the needs of the business

### Desirable Experience & Attribute Requirements:

- OOW (STCW II/1) Certificate of Competency
- Previous Pilotage Experience
- Valid ENG1 (or equivalent)
- Excellent Communication Skills

Competitive remuneration package, including excellent benefits. Full details available on request.

If you are interested please forward your completed application to [DeeAnneW@cfpa.co.uk](mailto:DeeAnneW@cfpa.co.uk)

Application forms are available on the company website or upon request from our team

**Closing date:** COB Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> February 2019