



WHAT IS A Permitting Officer?

Permitting Officers play a vital part in the management of water up and down the country, through environmental licences and permits, which set out the responsibilities and limitations on the activities we regulate.

What does the day-to-day look like?

- Assessing and processing applications for the abstraction of water
- Drafting licences with appropriate restrictions to reduce the impact on the environment
- Communicating to customers and other environmental bodies
- Managing water use for times of drought
- Working collaboratively with other teams to safeguard the environment



What skills do you need?

- Ability to work under pressure to respond to challenges such as drought incidents
- Ability to manage projects, organise workload and meet deadlines
- Great communication skills
- An analytical, detail-orientated and problem-solving approach
- An interest in the environment and managing water use



Salary range
(depending on experience)

£27,245 – £50,409



If you have an interest in becoming a Permitting Officer we can provide you with all the on-the-job training and support you need to thrive.



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