



Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Officer

Permanent position located in Poole, Dorset, with district wide travel.

£24,708 - £31,663 (SCP 17–25) (inclusive of a 10% unsociable hours allowance: annual progression subject to performance).

Overview

We are currently looking for an experienced individual who will take a lead role in the delivery of sustainable fisheries management in the inshore coastal waters of Hampshire, Dorset and the Isle of Wight. In this exciting and dynamic role, the successful candidate will support the delivery of proportionate and effective enforcement of EU, National and Byelaw legislation, with an emphasis on the promotion of compliance via stakeholder engagement.

Southern Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Authority (IFCA) manage sustainable inshore fisheries out to six nautical miles. The diverse commercial and recreational fisheries within the District play a vital role in supporting the coastal communities along our coast. The District also hosts a network of nationally and internationally important Marine Protected Areas.

In this role you will help the IFCA deliver sustainable inshore fisheries management through stakeholder engagement and education; the promotion of fisheries governance strategies to aid in the promotion of compliance and the undertaking of enforcement to ensure healthy seas and a viable fishing industry as part of a new Mobile Enforcement Team.

This is an exciting time to join the Authority and we look forward to receiving applications from dynamic and motivated individuals who are invested in promoting and delivering the IFCA Vision.

For an informal discussion please contact Deputy Chief Inshore Fisheries and Conservation Officer Neil Richardson on 01202 721373.

Closing date: Tuesday 30th April 2019 midnight

Interview date: Wednesday 22nd May 2019

For further information and **how to apply** please follow the website links <http://www.southern-ifca.gov.uk/recruitment>