

## POLICE CONSTABLE – ASCENSION ISLAND



**Job Title:** Police Constable  
**Location:** Ascension Island  
**Salary:** £11,365 pa + allowances + housing + travel  
**Start Date:**

A unique and challenging opportunity will shortly arise for an enthusiastic and dynamic individual, to join the St Helena Police Service, Ascension Police Detachment on Ascension Island.

You will join a small detachment of officers responsible for all the 24hr policing and immigration needs of this small British Overseas Territory with a population of approximately 800 situated in the South Atlantic midway between Africa and South America.

We are a Police Service that is strongly community based and focused.

The Island boasts some of the world's best game fishing and scuba diving, a fantastic climate, deserted beaches and a slower pace of life.

The successful candidate must have:

A minimum of 2 years previous experience working in a law enforcement or investigative capacity.

They must have previous experience in Adult and Child Safeguarding, Interviewing witnesses and/or suspects and a working knowledge of PACE.

A sense of humour and patience are essential needs.

Strong evidence of their Investigative skills, knowledge and experience in Law Enforcement will be required.

They must have good knowledge of Traffic Policing/Drink Drive Procedures, witness/victim statement taking and Court Presentation.

The post is required to be filled in October 2019.

The job is offered on a fixed term contract basis for a period of two years in the first instance and subject to medical fitness and satisfactory performance may be extended. The position attracts a salary of £10,000.00 per annum. In addition an Ascension Allowance is also payable (£2911 per annum single - £5820 per annum accompanied). Rent free accommodation will be provided, with flights/passages paid for mid tour leave and end of contract. Free medical and primary dental treatment, generous baggage allowances and utility allowances will also be provided.

If you are interested and would like to work with a small team of Officers and be part of a close knit welcoming community, this is an ideal opportunity, contact the current Police Inspector for further information about the post, an application form and job description [dave.kewley@ascension.gov.ac](mailto:dave.kewley@ascension.gov.ac) .

Closing date for applications is 4pm Friday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2019

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