

# Health and Safety Officer

## The Company

Irish Country Meats was established in 1992 and is the specialist sheepmeat company of the ABP Food Group and the largest sheepmeat processor on the island of Ireland, with state-of-the-art production facilities in Camolin, Co. Wexford and Navan, Co. Meath.

## The Role

The talented and committed workforce at Irish Country Meats is crucial to our ongoing success. In all areas of our business, we seek to employ people who are passionate about their area of expertise and who seek to deliver the highest standards.

Based in our head office in Camolin, Co. Wexford, the role of the Health and Safety Officer is to ensure a safe working environment for all employees by ensuring compliance with the latest legislation and to ensure that these policies are implemented by management and employees.

## Requirements

- A qualification & experience in Health & Safety is desirable
- Proven ability to build strong working relationships with colleagues and Senior Managers
- Problem solving skills & new ideas
- Excellent communication skills and professional demeanour
- Full proficiency in the use of MS Office Suite
- Highly organised with excellent attention to detail

## Responsibilities

- Working closely with the Site Safety Management Team
- Responsible for being up to date with new Health & Safety Legislation and maintaining a working knowledge of developments within our industry
- Conducting regular internal audits to check policies & procedures are being properly implemented, recording the results & submitting them to Management.
- Carrying out/updating risk assessments, formulating preventative measures and monitoring conformance

- Developing safe systems of work & maintaining risk trackers as required
- Attending & heading up weekly Safety briefings/huddles with Line Managers
- Investigating, recording & conducting follow ups of any incident, accident or dangerous occurrences
- Ensuring the site Emergency Plan & Procedures is up to date & key responders are clear on its execution
- Ensuring all equipment is installed & operated safely as per legislation
- Managing & monitoring all third-party activities for safe practises