

POSITION VACANT – GENERAL MANAGER OPERATIONS



Red Eight Produce Pty Ltd (Red8)

Red8 is entering the red meat supply chain to enable the commercial production of premium quality meat, on-farm, at scale. The key to this innovation is a new, mobile, modular, “on-farm” processing system. Lightweight and modular, the Red8 Processing System is easily transported to the paddock, providing a viable alternative to for producers and butchers.

The Role

An exciting opportunity is available to work with the Founders of Red8 to commercialise the Red8 Processing System. Make the role your own by developing the position with a flexible and supportive employer. The General Manager – Operations (GMO):

- will provide Red8 with leadership and oversight of the operational aspects of the meat processing activities,
- is responsible for supporting Red8 strategy by overseeing an efficient and effective operation of the Red8 Meat Processing System,
- will work closely with other members of senior management, providing strategic advice in relation to critical operational and whole-of-business issues.

Employment Terms

The position reports to the Chief Executive Officer as a fulltime employee. It’s based in New England district, and requires extensive travel. An attractive package will be offered to the right candidate.

Candidate Attributes

- Demonstrated success as a manager, leading a team of people.
- Strong knowledge of the meat processing sector with career experience in operational roles such as slaughter, boning and slicing (butchering), inspection and packaging of meat.
- Deep understanding of (including certification where relevant) of AusMeat, Meat Standards Australia, Food Safety and Quality Assurance programs.
- Strong team focus at all levels within the business, leading with high integrity and strong work ethic.
- Proven decision-making skills, making wise decisions under pressure.
- Business acumen, with the ability to analyse, steer and report on KPIs and deliver outcomes within tight budgetary constraints.
- Able to adapt easily to a broad range of working environments and work hours.

Preferred Qualifications

- Tertiary qualifications or equivalent extensive business experience in the meat processing industry.
- Certificates/authorisations: Meat Safety Inspector, Animal Welfare Officer, Food Safety Meat Assessors, AusMeat, Meat Standards Australia.

Request a full position description or an initial conversation by emailing red8@red8produce.com.au. All applications treated confidentially. Candidates are encouraged to submit an expression of interest by early February 2020.