

The **Van Rees Group**, headquartered in the Netherlands, distinguishes itself as one of the leading international suppliers and processors of tea. The core business is worldwide tea buying, trading, blending and distribution of tea. The central office is in Rotterdam. The other offices are in Canada, Egypt, U.A.E, Sri Lanka, Vietnam, Indonesia, Kenya, Malawi, and Russia. In-depth product knowledge, a sophisticated market approach and a global network form the basis for the success of the company. Over 200-year history has made the name Van Rees well known and recognised in the tea business.

The group is part of Amsterdam Commodities N.V. (www.acomo.nl), a Dutch listed trading company specialised in food products and founded in 1908.

Van Rees has a transaction-oriented commercial culture and a strong international character, with respect for other people, cultures and practices. The atmosphere is open, informal, and pragmatic.

To strengthen and expand our commercial team in Kenya, we are currently looking for a:

SENIOR TEA TRADER

As **senior tea trader**, you will work at our Mombasa office with the team and will be involved on the commercial aspects of our business, which includes purchasing, blending, selling and the use of marketing tools, along with tea tasting and grading.

A practical and analytical approach, initiative, creativity, perseverance, determination and an ability to think laterally are keys to becoming successful in this company.

Essential criteria:

- Holder of a relevant university degree.
- 10 years plus work experience in tea.
- Ability to taste/ grade and blend teas.
- Experienced in dealing with international clients across different geographies and cultures.
- Any experience on Value Addition will be an advantage.
- Self-starter and deal maker with an instinctive commercial acumen.
- Strong communication skills.
- Positive 'can do' mentality.
- Strong team player.
- Pragmatic and flexible attitude.
- Excellent command of English both written and spoken.
- Ability to service and grow existing customers.
- Contribute to development and implementation of sales strategies, identify potential customers.

We offer:

- A dynamic, unusual, interesting, and commercial job in the global tea market.
- Personal growth and advancement possibilities for a successful candidate are a natural career progression.
- Remuneration package commensurate with experience.

Please send your application, including C.V., to:

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