**Role:** **Support Boat Driver**

**Department:** Operations Team

**Reports to:** Support Fleet Manager

**Location:** INEOS Team UK Headquarters, The Camber, Portsmouth

**Application Deadline:** 20 May 2019

**Start Date:** 1 July 2019

**End Date:** April 2021

**Overview of the Company**

INEOS, one of the world’s largest manufacturing companies, has formed INEOS TEAM UK to challenge for the 36th America’s Cup to be held in New Zealand in 2021. INEOS has partnered with Sir Ben Ainslie, the most successful Olympic sailor in history, to skipper INEOS TEAM UK.

INEOS TEAM UK will use its world class technologies, manufacturing know-how and sports science expertise to develop an internationally competitive race boat and athletes, giving the best possible chance to bring the oldest international sporting trophy and sailing’s premier contest back to Britain for the first time.

**Overview**

To be part of the Chase Boat Support Team; Chase Boat driver with associated responisbilities both ashore and afloat.

**Responsibilities**

* Part of the AC75 on the water support team; docking, towing, emergency response (including righting), design support, communication and general support
* Maintain and service the Team’s chase boat fleet, hardware and saftey equipment
* Mechanical support - assist with engine maintenance, services and logging (hours and faults)
* Responsible for fuelling, daily inspections and wash downs of all support fleet vessels
* Working alongside Systems and Instrumentation Teams to support AC75 sailing operations
* Part of the Operations Team launching / loading / recovering chase boats
* Maintain spares and consumable stock levels within the Support Boat Department
* Assist develop and enforce safe working practices and risk assessments for shore and sailing operations
* Carry out other support duties as requested by the Shore Team Manager and the Head of Operations
* Part of the New Zealand base set up and pack down team

**What we want from you:**

* RIB driving experience – towing experience is an advantage but not a pre-requisite
* Engine maintenance qualifications / experience
* Can do and flexible attitude
* Ability to work within a team
* Prepared to work hard to keep team operational

**Location**

* Primary place of work is The Camber in Portsmouth
* Travelling for World Series events in 2020
* Auckland, New Zealand for Challenger Series and AC36 Final

**Benefits:**

* Private medical scheme
* Group personal pension
* Life insurance
* Lunch provided
* Competitive salary

**Interested individuals should submit their CV to** [**recruitment@ineosteamuk.com**](mailto:recruitment@ineosteamuk.com) **before the closing date of 20 May 2019.**