

RESIDENTIAL COMPANION (s) , CARER, ALL-ROUNDER, DRIVER in Clifden, Connemara, Ireland

This is a new position for a live-in person (s) for a divorced older gentleman with limited mobility following a stroke years ago, who will shortly be moving to Connemara.

The property is a beautiful 4 bed, 4 bath residence set on 1.3 acres overlooking Streamstown Bay.

Person (s) need to be self motivated, capable of working without supervision, have common sense, able to manage house and gentleman on a day to day basis, basic computer literacy (emails), driver and good sense of humour with a positive, flexible “ can do” attitude.

Duties to include :

Assisting gentleman with day to day living, general housekeeping, cleaning and laundry. Shopping for provisions and cooking. Basic house maintenance (eg minor DIY/ light bulb changing etc). Basic outdoor maintenance and light gardening. Car cleaning/hovering. Driving and accompanying gentleman out to lunch daily to local restaurants and pubs, accompanying out on all other visits and excursions. Encouraging and assisting him with new hobbies and interests.

His past interests included fishing, shooting, motor racing, collecting world war memorabilia, wine, greenhouse gardening.

Gentleman uses a frame to walk with and is registered disabled. Wheelchair user when more efficient.

Would suit person(s) who enjoy quieter rural life, plenty of opportunity for outdoor pursuits/hobbies. Partner could have other part time job.

Daily morning carer employed for 1.5 hours to cover personal care and laundry also to give person time for errands, shopping etc.

Relief person employed for days/time off.

Additional services available if required.

New Peugeot 5008 car provided for job. Not for use in time off as required by relief staff. If a problem then consideration will be given to provision of separate vehicle.

Excellent salary. 1 year annual contract, renewable.

2 days off per week (could be split to suit). 20 days paid annual leave.

Start ideally end of November 2012 if possible or to suit.

Interviews in Ireland and/or UK.

Send C.V and accompanying letter to : curshuffle@aol.com marked Job Application

Contact : Nicky Leitch 01494 723865 within UK or 00 44 1494 723865 outside UK

ALL emails and telephone calls will be responded to.