[YOUR NAME SURNAME]

Cell: [0XX XXX XXXX]
Email: [you@email.com]
Based in: [City, Province]
Licence: [Code B/10/14 if relevant]
Availability: [Immediately / 2 weeks / 1 month]

Personal statement
Trade-tested welder with [X] years' experience in fabrication and maintenance. Confident in MIG and SMAW (stick) on mild steel, with solid fit-up, measuring, and drawing interpretation. Known for neat welds, safe grinding/cutting practices, and meeting deadlines without compromising quality.

Welding summary

- Processes: MIG (GMAW), SMAW (stick/arc), [TIG if applicable]
- Positions: [1G/2G/3G/4G/5G/6G as applicable]
- Metals: Mild steel, [stainless/aluminium if applicable]
- Work: Structural fabrication, brackets/frames, plant repairs, gates/railings, plate work
- Drawings: Fabrication drawings, basic weld symbols, measuring and marking-off
- Tools: Angle grinder, bench grinder, mag drill, cutting discs, clamps, squares
- Quality: Visual inspection, basic distortion control, cleaning/prep, rework when required

Tickets & training

- Welder trade test: [Yes – Year – Centre/SETA if known]
- Coded tests: [List if you have them, e.g., "MIG 3G mild steel – tested [month/year]"]
- SAIW / training centre courses: [Course name], [Year] (if applicable)
- Safety: [Working at heights / First aid / Firefighting / Medical – if applicable]

Work experience

Welder / Fabricator — [Company Name], [Town/City]
[Month Year] – Present

- Fabricate mild steel components from drawings, including frames, brackets, and supports for installation teams.
- Perform MIG and stick welding on plate and structural sections, ensuring correct prep, fit-up, and weld size.
- Use measuring tools (tape, square, vernier where needed) to maintain tolerances and reduce rework.
- Carry out grinding, cutting, and edge prep safely; maintain housekeeping and PPE compliance on the shop floor.
- Assist with on-site maintenance repairs when required, including removals, welding, and re-installation.

Welder — [Previous Company], [Town/City]

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[Month Year] – [Month Year]

- Completed production welding and repair work on mild steel items, following job cards and supervisor instructions.
- Worked with foreman and QA checks to correct defects (undercut, porosity, lack of fusion) and improve consistency.
- Prepared material by cleaning, beveling, and tacking to ensure strong final welds and correct alignment.
- Supported shutdown work by assisting boilermakers with fit-up and welding tasks under time pressure.

Key projects (optional)

- [Project]: Fabricated and welded [items] for [site/type of plant], including fit-up and finishing.
- [Project]: Maintenance repairs on [equipment/structure], including cutting out damaged sections and welding replacements.

Education

- Highest school level: Grade [X] — [School Name], [Year]
- Welding training: [Centre/College], [Course/Modules], [Year]

References

- [Name Surname] — [Position], [Company] — Cell: [Number]
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