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Department:
National Treasury
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Budget Office Division

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR: FISCAL RESEARCH

Remuneration Package R470,040.00 per annum (Excl. benefits.)

Reference: (Ref. S108/2020)

Pretoria

The incumbent will be required to: Play a major role in furthering the research agenda of the National Treasury • Provide fiscal policy advice to the Chief Director: Fiscal Policy and other senior managers in Treasury on the short and long-term impacts of fiscal policy decisions, and relevance to the developmental goals of the South African government.

Qualifications and experience requirements: National Diploma/ Bachelor's Degree in, Economics/ Public Policy/ Finance • 2 years' academic experience in either economics or in fiscal analysis, public finance, or macroeconomic research • Experience in policy development and communication is also valued • Knowledge of Economic Analysis and Research • Knowledge of the Public Finance Management Act and Treasury Regulations.

Some key outputs include: **Fiscal policy research:** Contribute to the research agenda and work programme of the directorate, in line with the requirements of the CD: Fiscal Policy and the relevance to the broader international macroeconomic environment • Assist the Director: Fiscal Research with researching and proposing institutional frameworks to govern overall fiscal aggregates • Provide research on the long-run fiscal impacts of policy-decisions, particularly as it relates to aggregate savings, debt and investment, and the sustainability of social policies **Database Management and Fiscal Framework Analysis:** Maintain debt sustainability model and revenue analysis workbook • Research and analyse government financial statistics database • Create and maintain a standard Fiscal Policy database for analysis of information • Assist and maintain the consolidated government fiscal framework which includes the General Government Finance Statistics database • Provide analysis and reports pertaining to the fiscal framework

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Kindly note: applications that are not compliant with the above requests will not be considered. The Department reserves the right not to fill the post.

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and bi-annual budget processes **Budget Review and MTBPS:** Provide support to chapters inputs and general editing of documents • Assist with the budget media analysis prior to the official presentation • Provide inputs for the Q&A document and media lock-ups, prior to budget presentation • Arrange the post-budget feedback for civil society and public-sector economic forums **Stakeholder Engagement and Research:** Provide report writing and analyse the quarterly consensus forecasts • Prepare reports that analyse the World Economic Outlook and the International Monetary Fund Fiscal Monitor.

Applications may be sent via e-mail to Recruit.BO@treasury.gov.za

Closing date: 12 March 2021 at 12:00pm

Please note: Applications must be submitted using the newly implemented Z83 form obtainable on the National Treasury website career page as well as the Department of Public Services and Administration vacancy page. Please note that should you not use the newly amended Z83 and complete it in full, the department reserves the rights to disqualify your application. We only accept applications sent via email to the mentioned email address in a PDF format. The National Treasury no longer accepts hand delivered or posted applications.

Please also ensure that you read the full advert for guidance on how to send your applications.

For further information regarding the positions please visit our careers page <http://www.treasury.gov.za/careers/default.aspx> or contact: Human Resources on 012 315 5100, follow the voice prompts and press number 2.

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