

TAX AND FINANCIAL SECTOR POLICY DIVISION

DEPUTY DIRECTOR: VAT, EXCISE AND SUB-NATIONAL TAXES

Remuneration Package R869,007.00 per annum (Incl. benefits)

Reference: (Ref. S066/2019)

Pretoria

The incumbent will be required to: Develop tax policy pertaining to Value Added Tax, Excise Taxes, Fiscal Decentralisation and consumption taxes in support of fiscal reform in South Africa and assist in the maintenance of a coherent indirect tax policy framework.

Qualifications and experience requirements: A minimum Degree in Economics as recognised by SAQA • A postgraduate qualification in Economics would be an advantage • A minimum 4 years' experience obtained in research and policy analysis (formulation) • Knowledge and experience of the broader tax policy framework.

Some key outputs include: Value Added Tax: Review and analyse VAT policy with regard to the distributional impacts, inflationary impacts and revenue impact of potential proposals • Review the implications of proposed amendments to the VAT Act and liaise with SARS • Engage legal drafters to incorporate policy proposals and amendments into VAT law **Excise Taxation:** Provide Excise Tax policy advice with regard to the distributional impacts, inflationary impacts and revenue impact of proposals, especially those relating to alcohol and tobacco taxes, the Health Promotion Levy and other related excise taxes • Initiate research and review Excise Tax policy considerations • Analyse the implications of proposed amendments to the Customs and Excise Act and liaise with SARS • Engage legal drafters regarding policy proposals and amendments pertaining to Customs and Excise **Fiscal Decentralization:** Review tax proposals by provinces and local governments in respect of: Provincial taxes (including fuel taxes), Municipal taxes

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(including property rates and user fee surcharges), Regional Services Councils levies replacement (including local business tax, tax sharing and grant replacement options) **Other Indirect Taxes:** Develop databases on tax policy formulation, analysis of macro-economic impacts, research, review and tax policy considerations • Analyse implications of proposed amendments to the legal framework and liaise with SARS, and other stakeholders **Money Bills:** Evaluate the funding arrangements of extra-budgetary agencies by way of earmarked levies and user charges.

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

Closing date: 26 July 2019 at 12:00 pm

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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: Ms Zama Sangweni on 012 315 5301.

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