GOVERNMENT TECHNICAL ADVISORY CENTRE

DIRECTOR: NATIONAL CAPITAL PROJECTS

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Salary: R819,126.00 – R964,902 per annum (All inclusive package)

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Purpose
To lead a team of capital project analysts to evaluate the viability of large capital projects prior to investment decisions being taken and analyse and advise on the implications of committing significant amounts of fiscal capital to large infrastructure projects

Key Outputs

Analysis of Mega Capital Projects
- Produce reports on infrastructure projects and their implications on the fiscus and the economy;
- Initiate research and analysis of factors that will impact on investment in capital projects;
- Perform analysis of the socio-economic impact of proposed capital projects on the economy and industrial development;
- Compile presentations, speaking notes and speeches for the DDG, Minister and DG;
- Development and implementation of databases of various microeconomic and macroeconomic indicators to assist in the estimation of costs and benefits of proposed capital projects; and
- Present National Treasury positions on investment in proposed capital projects and their impact on the real economy and industrial development issues developed in conjunction with other business units of the National Treasury.

Policy development, advice and implementation
- Produce briefing notes and memos to the Director-General and Minister on the implications on investing in proposed capital projects and their implications on the real economy and industrial development;
- Provide relevant inputs into various National Treasury policy discussions regarding investment in capital projects; and
- Develop policy guidelines for implementation in the analysis of various capital projects.

Sector Analysis and Research
- Initiate research and analyse factors impact on investment in infrastructure sectors, including financing, demand, growth, pricing, policy and regulation;
- Perform research on infrastructure developments and benchmark against international best practices and trends to keep abreast with external issues; and
- Engage stakeholder departments on economic and social infrastructure, sector planning and other related policy issues.

Project Management
- Oversee team of analysts undertaking capital project analysis; provide guidance on technical work and ensure analysis is delivered on time and according to accepted appraisal methodologies;
- Liaise with internal and external stakeholders and government Departments, on projects with regard to appraisal progress, queries and findings;
- Manage project plan, project resources and project analysis outcomes/ objectives; and
- Represent business on project steering committees and provide inputs on transfer of appraisal and projects.
Qualifications:

To be considered for this position, the applicant should have a B Degree in Finance or Economics or equivalent National Diploma from an accredited educational institution.

Experience:

- A minimum of 7 years relevant management and/or relevant capital project and economic analysis
- Must have sound understanding of analysis of capital projects and implications of investing.
- Must have superior research, analysis and report writing skills, with the ability to interpret economic policy outcomes.
- Must have experience with performance and/or project management.

The Government Technical Advisory Centre (GTAC) is an equal opportunity employer and encourages applications from women and the disabled in particular. Our buildings are accessible to disabled persons.

Applications should be accompanied by a comprehensive CV and originally certified copies of qualifications and ID. Please forward your application, quoting the relevant reference number and the name of the publication in which you saw this advertisement, to the Recruitment Administrator: National Treasury, Private Bag X115, Pretoria 0001 or to the e-mail recruit@gtac.gov.za Closing date 6 April 2015 at 12h00, no late applications will be accepted.

Qualifications and SA citizenship checks will be conducted on all short-listed candidates and, where applicable, additional checks will be conducted. It is the applicant’s responsibility to have foreign qualifications evaluated by the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA). If you have not received feedback from the GTAC within one (1) month of the closing date, please regard your application as unsuccessful.