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National Treasury  
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

## TAX AND FINANCIAL SECTOR POLICY DIVISION

### SENIOR ECONOMIST: BANKING DEVELOPMENT

**Remuneration Package R869, 007.00 per annum (All-incl.)**

**Reference: (Ref. S115/2020)**

**Pretoria**

**The incumbent will be required to:** To develop policy research on the banking and non-banking sectors in South Africa in support of the development of a robust policy framework in relation to financial sector regulation.

**Qualifications and experience requirements:** A minimum Degree in Economics/ Finance/ Business Economics/ BCom Law • A minimum 4 years' experience obtained in policy development and structured research capacity • Knowledge of the broader legislative framework governing the financial services industry • Knowledge of micro financial policy development and dissemination of data.

**Some key outputs include: Financial Sector Policy Research and Development:** Conduct research to enhance and strengthen the financial sector policy and regulatory framework in respect of consumer education, consumer protection, fintech, insurance, the national payment system and retail credit • Contribute to policy and regulatory development with regard to the improvement of access to financial services through specific policy interventions • Collaborate with other Directorates on cross-cutting issues and work towards a common financial sector development framework **Stakeholder Engagement:** • Liaise with relevant stakeholders on matters pertaining to legislative and regulatory processes concerning the financial sector • Establish relations with other financial sector regulators and the financial sector ombudsman on matters pertaining to legislative design and regulatory developments **Multi-institutional approach to financial sector development:** Provide inputs into legislation in relation to consumer

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education, consumer protection, insurance, fintech, the national payment system and retail credit. • Liaise with the relevant regulators and other stakeholders pertaining to developments in the South African financial sector and support establishment of sound legislation **Monitoring of compliance:** Interact with the regulators, financial sector ombudsman and other stakeholders on compliance regarding financial sector issues • Develop interventions based on policy formulation, including legislation.

Applications may be sent via e-mail to [Recruit.TPFSP@treasury.gov.za](mailto:Recruit.TPFSP@treasury.gov.za)

**Closing date: 2021 at 12:00 pm**

***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.***

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