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DEPARTMENT: EDUCATION
MPUMALANGA PROVINCE

The Mpumalanga Department of Education awaits applications from suitably qualified and experienced persons for appointment to the positions set out below.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR-GENERAL: OFFICE OF THE CFO

An all-inclusive remuneration package of R 1 267 806 p.a. The package can be structured according to the individual's personal needs. The successful candidate will have to sign an annual performance agreement, annually disclose his/her financial interests and be subjected to a security clearance.

Shortlisted candidates will be subjected to a technical exercise that intends to test relevant technical elements of the job. Following the interview and technical exercise the selection panel will recommend candidates to attend a generic managerial competency assessment (in compliance with the DPSA Directive on the implementation of competency based assessments) The competency assessment will be testing generic managerial competencies using the mandated DPSA SMS competency assessment tools.

Requirements:

An appropriate recognized Honor's Degree with Accounting or Public Finance or Economics as majors or equivalent qualification plus 8 to 10 years' experience at a senior management level. Registration as CA (SA) would be an added advantage. Valid driver's license. Knowledge, skills, training and competencies required: Sound technical knowledge of GRAP (Generally Recognised Accounting Practices), which will encompass the transition to the accrual basis of accounting, performance budgeting and the Public Service Legislative Framework for Financial and Supply Chain Management. In depth knowledge and understanding of the provisions of the Public Finance Management Act, Treasury Regulations and the Division of Revenue Act. Sound knowledge of the Public Service Act and –Regulations, the Employment of Educators Act and other HR-related policy frameworks and practices. Sound knowledge of the strategic planning processes. Ability to provide sound technical advice on the performance of the departmental financial system to the Accounting Officer and Line Managers. Strong leadership ability in securing financial resources for the Department to adequately fund the Strategic Plan. Ability to capitalize on human potential and to build a strong financial delivery team. Advanced planning, organising and project management skills. Excellent verbal communication- and report writing skills. Shortlisted candidates will be subjected to a relevant technical exercise.

Duties:

Develop, implement and maintain appropriate mechanisms to timeously respond to the changing needs for financial information, the interpretation thereof and the rendering of technical advice to the Accounting Officer. Ensure that the financial resources and assets of the Department are utilised effectively and economically to realize the objectives of the Strategic Plan. Provide technical advice to Line Managers to ensure the equitable allocation, maintenance and utilization of resources in line with the strategic objectives of the Department, legislative imperatives and good governance principles. Ensure compliance with the provisions of the Public Finance Management Act, Treasury Regulations and the Division of Revenue Act. Meet the reporting requirements and standards set in terms of the PFMA, Division of Revenue Act and financial statements. Ensure adequate internal financial control arrangements and systems for the accountable delegation of financial powers, asset security, monitoring and evaluation, early warning and timeous corrective action. Assist the Accounting Officer by applying cost benefit analysis principles ensuring value for money. Oversee the budgetary process within the Department, exercise budgetary control and provide early warning arrangements at a strategic level. Develop and facilitate the implementation of Supply Chain Management Systems consistent with legislative and other good governance arrangements. Oversee the preparation and submission of the annual financial statement and liaise with the Auditor General in this regard. Oversee the rendering of diverse HR Management-, labour relations and HR development services within the Department.

Post Ref No K5/049 - Head Office, Nelspruit

Enquiries:

Mr CD Maebela, Tel (013) 766 5071

CLINICAL NURSE PRACT GR 1: STEVE TSHWETE BOARDING SCHOOL

Salary: R 294 861 p.a.

Requirements: A Diploma/Degree in nursing or equivalent qualification as well as a post basic qualification with a duration of at least 1 year in curative skills in Primary Health Care accredited with the SANC. Proof of registration with the SANC as Professional Nurse. Knowledge of relevant legal requirements for nursing. Sufficient credible experience. Knowledge of Education White Paper 6 on Inclusive Education. A PHC qualification will serve as an added advantage. Computer literacy. A valid driver's license.

Duties: Identify and monitor health care needs of learners. Accompany and arrange medical treatment for learners. Render day to day nursing care services. Promote quality of nursing care as directed by the professional scope of practice and standards as determined by health facilities. Display a concern for learners, promote and advocate proper support. Facilitate a wide range of medical care for short-, medium- and long term medical needs of learners.

Post Ref No K5/046 - Elandspruit, Middelburg

Enquiries: Ms G Mlotshwa, Tel (013) 947 1795

HOSTEL SUPERINTENDENT: STEVE TSHWETE BOARDING SCHOOL

Salary: R 289 761 p.a.

Requirements: Grade 12 certificate or an appropriate 3-year degree/qualification and extensive relevant experience in the field of hostel management. Computer literacy. Competencies: Advanced management skills as well as proven ability to manage hostel staff. Sound financial administration skills including the management of a budget. Self motivated with a strong sense of responsibility. Innovative thinking and problem solving skills. Good planning and organising skills as well as good initiative. Thoroughness, honesty, integrity and the willingness to work hard. Appropriate verbal and written communication skills and sound interpersonal relations. Ability to perform accurately and methodically under pressure. Advanced supervisory skills and sound leadership qualities. Valid driver's license.

Duties: Manage the administration and the allocation of accommodation to learners and hostel staff in the hostel. Manage the provision of laundry- and cleaning services. Manage the provision of proper meals and other food provision services to learners. Manage, co-ordinate and monitor the maintenance of the hostel kitchen. Manage stock control of all hostel stock. Manage the proper maintenance of all hostel infrastructure/facilities. Manage and administer the hostel budget. Supervise all hostel staff. Do planning regarding future needs of the hostel. Manage and monitor the usage and maintenance of the physical training centre.

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Enquiries: Ms G Mlotshwa, Tel (013) 947 1795

ADMIN OFFICER: STEVE TSHWETE BOARDING SCHOOL

Salary: R 196 278 p.a.

Requirements: An appropriate 3-year degree/qualification or Gr.12, plus sufficient credible experience with specific reference to bookkeeping and financial administration. Competencies: Sound knowledge of general administration and financial administration procedures, methods and principles. Good interpersonal and organisational skills. Appropriate verbal and written communication skills. Ability to interpret directives. Sound management skills. Proven computer literacy and user experience (Microsoft Office package). A valid drivers license will be an advantage.

Duties: Ensure the provision of advanced and efficient institutional administration services, including the administration and control of diverse financial matters, the preparation of related reports. Carry out tasks related to the preparation for meetings, maintain a filing system and draft and type correspondence. Maintain a database of all key service delivery areas. Take minutes prepare and circulate all communication. Execute HR performance management.

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APPLICATIONS:

Applications should be submitted on Form Z.83, obtainable from any Public Service Department as well as on the Mpumalanga Department of Education website at www.mpumalanga.gov.za/education/ , **select the Vacancies icon.** Applications **must** in all cases be accompanied by a recent updated comprehensive CV, **originally** certified copies (**not older than three months**) of all qualifications and RSA ID-document, as well as valid driver's license where required. **Please note that a passport or driver's license will not be accepted in lieu of an Identity Document. Failure to attach the requested documents will result in your application not being considered.** A complete set of application documents

should be submitted separately for every post that you wish to apply for. Please ensure that you clearly state the full post description and the relevant Post Reference Number on your application. No fax applications will be considered.

NB! APPLICANTS MUST ENSURE THAT THEY FULLY COMPLETE PART A, B AND C AS WELL AS THE DECLARATION AND SIGN FORM Z 83, EVEN IF THEY ARE ATTACHING A CV. INCOMPLETE AND/OR UNSIGNED APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

NB!! IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY IN SERVICE, PLEASE INDICATE YOUR PERSAL NUMBER AT THE TOP OF FORM Z83.

Applications should be mailed to:

The Head of Department, Mpumalanga Department of Education,
Private Bag x 11341, Nelspruit, 1200,
For attention: Mr. G Mathebula, HR Provisioning.

Applications may also be placed (recorded in the register) in the application container located at the Security Desk, Upper Ground, Building 5 of the Riverside Government Complex, but will be removed on Thursday 25 February 2016 at 16h00.

NOTE:

*The Mpumalanga Department of Education is committed to provide equal opportunities and practices affirmative action employment. It is the intention of the Department to promote representivity (disability, gender and race) through the filling of posts and a candidate whose transfer / promotion / appointment will promote representivity will receive preference.

*The filling of posts will be done in terms of the Department's need to meet Employment Equity targets.

***To enable the Department to promote employment equity of persons with disabilities, applicants with disabilities who wish to apply for these posts are required to attach documentary proof substantiating his/her disability, failing which applicants will be categorized as not having a disability.**

***The principle of Recognition of Prior Learning may be considered in respect of servicing Public Servants.**

*Due to ongoing internal processes, the Department reserves the right to withdraw any post at any time.

*The Department reserves the right to verify the qualifications of every recommended candidate prior to the issuing of an offer of appointment.

*Candidates recommended for appointment will be subject to a vetting process prior to appointment.

*If no response is received from Mpumalanga Department of Education within 90 days after the closing date of the advert, applicants must assume that their application was not successful.

CLOSING DATE:

The closing date for the receipt of all applications is **16:00 on Thursday 25 February 2016**. No applications received by the Directorate: HR Provisioning (H/O) after the closing date and time will be considered. It should be noted that the Department will not take responsibility for applications received after the closing date and time even if said applications were sent through Post Office speed services or a courier service.