

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

TRADE AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS OFFICER

The Melanesian Spearhead Group (MSG) Secretariat is seeking to recruit a suitable person and invites applications for the position of **TRADE AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS OFFICER.** The Trade and Economic Affairs Officer (TEAO) is a key position in the Trade, Investment, and Economic Development Division, which is responsible for developing and implementing the Secretariat's Trade, Investment, and Economic Development Programme and providing policy and strategic advice to the Program Manager on trade, private sector, and economic-related issues in the MSG Member Countries.

Interested persons must be citizens of an MSG member country including the FLNKS of New Caledonia.

Interested persons must have at least the following:

- 1. Postgraduate qualification in trade, commerce, economics, or related fields;
- 2. At least 5 years of relevant work experience in trade policy development, economic policy management, and planning in MSG countries or a similar environment.

"The MSG Secretariat is an equal opportunity employer and strongly encourages all with the relevant and required qualifications and experiences to apply for this role".

Applications must include copies of qualifications, a copy of Curriculum Vitae, and written references from a minimum of two (2) referees, and be marked "**Confidential**" and addressed to:

Director General Melanesian Spearhead Group Secretariat Independence Garden Private Mail Bag 9105 Port Vila, Vanuatu

Applications can also be emailed to recruitment@msg.int, clearly marked "Trade and Economic Affairs Officer."

Applications must be submitted no later than Friday 28, June 2024.

Full details of the job description and responsibilities, requirements, and remuneration package can be obtained https://msgsec.info/vacancies/ or from Ms. Mothy Sisi at email m.sisi@msg.int or by telephone (678) 24537 / 27791.

Only persons with appropriate skills and abilities need to apply.

Authorized by Director General MSG Secretariat