

Statistics South Africa (Stats SA) provides scientific knowledge that enables society to understand complex socio-economic phenomena. It draws its mandate from the Statistics Act, 1999 (Act No 6 of 1999). Stats SA strives to excel in the following five competencies: • Intellectual capability to lead the scientific work of statistics • Technological competence for purposes of large-scale processing and for complex computations and accessibility of information to the public • Logistical competence for deployment of (forward and reverse) logistics of large-scale field operations and for strategic choices regarding operational efficiency and cost-effectiveness • Political competence in understanding the political environment without being political or politicised (commitment of delivery without fear of favour) • Administrative competence: the ability to bring it all together.

Director: Quality Improvement
(One contract position exists until 31 March 2023 in the Business Register Chief Directorate at Head
Office, Pretoria)
(Salary Level 13: R1 057 326 all-inclusive remuneration package per annum)
(Ref No.: 01/03/20HO)

**Key Performance Areas:** • Ensure development of strategic operational plan, procedures and policies for the directorate • Manage comprehensive analysis and report on quality issues • Oversee management of research, development and implementation of improvement processes • Oversee management of quality improvement survey • Manage classification of business on the Statistical Business Register in respect of economic activities and institutional sector • Provide technical leadership through research of relevant Business Register topic • Liaise with internal and external stakeholders • Manage staff, budget and other resources.

**Prerequisites:** ● A three-year tertiary qualification (NQF 7) in Accounting, Business Economics, Economics or Statistics ● Postgraduate qualification in Accounting, Business Economics, Economics or Statistics would be an added advantage ● Training in Total Quality Management and Project Management is essential ● At least six years' experience in data collection, analysis and business classification ● Extensive experience and knowledge of Accounting, Business Economics, Economics or Statistics with good understanding of the business register environment ● Knowledge of MS Office Suite.

**Person Profile:** ●This position will suit a person with: Good communication, management, problem solving, analytical and conceptualising skills ● Ability to work under pressure and long hours to meet deadlines ● A good organiser, communicator and negotiator, presentable in corporate circles.

Deputy Director: Quality Improvement
(Two contract positions exist until 31 March 2023 in the Business Register Chief Directorate at Head
Office, Pretoria)
(Salary Level 11: R733 257 all-inclusive remuneration package per annum)

(Ref No.: 02/03/20HO)

**Key Performance Areas:** • Develop strategic, business and operational plans for the directorate • Ensure cleaning and updating of sampled units • Manage the data collection process • Manage the capturing and editing of data • Manage staff and other resources • Liaise with internal and external stakeholders.

Prerequisites: ● A three-year tertiary qualification in Accounting, Business Economics, Economics or Statistics ● Training in Project Management is essential ● At least five years' experience in data collection process ● Extensive knowledge of Accounting, Business Economics, Economics, Statistics, Research and Reporting ● Knowledge of MS Office Suite.

**Person Profile:** ●This position will suit a person with: Good communication, interpretation, analytical, conceptualising, problem solving and emotional intelligence skills ● Ability to work under pressure and long hours to meet deadlines ● A good organiser, good communicator, negotiator, innovator, presentable in corporate circles.

Short-listed applicants must be willing to undergo a competency exercise as part of the selection process.

Closing date for applications: 27 March 2020

Important note: Applications must be submitted online on the following link: www.statssa.gov.za/recruitment

**Enquiries:** Kindly contact the following officials:

Ms Lehlohonolo Dooka - 012 336 0161

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