

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 or favour), Administrative competence: The ability of bringing it all together.

APPLICATIONS: All applications must be submitted online on the following link: www.statssa.gov.za/recruitment

CLOSING DATE: 09 June 2023

NOTE: Applications must be submitted online and must be completed in full on all fields including the declaration part. Clear indication of the post and reference number that is being applied for must be stated. The application must include only completed and signed new Form Z83, obtainable from any Public Service Department or on the internet at www.gov.za, and a detailed Curriculum Vitae. Certified copies of Identity Document, Senior Certificate and the highest required qualification as well as a driver's license where necessary, will only be submitted by shortlisted candidates to HR on or before the day of the interview date. General information: **Females, youth and people with disabilities are targeted for this position and are hereby encouraged to apply.** All shortlisted candidates for SMS posts will be subjected to a technical exercise that intends to test relevant technical elements of the job, the logistics of which will be communicated by the Department. The shortlisted candidate(s) will be required to undergo a Competency Assessment and must be available for interviews at a date and time determined by Statistics South Africa. One of the minimum entry requirement for SMS position is the pre-entry certificate. For more details on the pre-entry course visit: <https://www.thensg.gov.za/training-course/smspre-entry-programme/>. The successful candidate(s) will be required to sign an annual performance agreement, disclose his/her financial interests and be subjected to security clearance. Applications that do not comply with the requirements will not be taken into consideration. If you have not received a response from this Department within three months of the closing date, please consider your application unsuccessful. NOTE: Statistics South Africa reserves the right to fill or not fill the below-mentioned post.

POST: CHIEF DIRECTOR: GAUTENG REF NO: 01/05/23GP

SALARY: R1 371 558 per annum (Salary Level 14) (All-inclusive remuneration package)

CENTRE: GAUTENG PROVINCIAL OFFICE

REQUIREMENTS A three-year tertiary qualification (NQF 7) in Statistics/ Demography/ Economics/ Population Studies, Training in Project Management, Research and survey methodology, Marketing or Customer focus, Financial and Asset Management, Labour Relations and Strategic Management is essential, 5 years' relevant experience at senior managerial level, Extensive knowledge of data collection by means of fieldwork, analysis and report writing, Experience in managing budget and compliance to the PFMA regulations, Experience in census taking activities, Knowledge of project management and change management, survey methodologies, Knowledge of national and international standards and practices, government acts, profiles of users and stakeholders and their specific requirements, Marketing, Labour Relations, Financial Management and strategic planning, Knowledge of MS Office Suite, A valid driver's license, Excellent communication, analytical, conceptual, presentation, strategic, architectural, problem solving, interpersonal skills, Dynamic, self-driven, innovative, creative and result orientated, strong service delivery, customer and quality focus, assertive, resilient and self-motivated, Ability to multitask and handle multiple and complex tasks and projects, Ability to work long hours under pressure and meet tight deadlines, Ability to grow and interact within an ever-changing environment, Ability to bring independent and impartial advice into decision making, Willingness to travel and work long hours (overtime and stand-by).

DUTIES: Oversee management of fieldwork operations and data collection in accordance with appropriate national and international standards, Oversee marketing and promotion of statistical products and services and provision of user information services, Dissemination of Stats SA products and services, Promote the establishment and development of National Statistical System on provincial and local level, Provide strategic leadership in the management of staff and resources within the provincial and district offices, Lead in the development of strategic and operational plans, policies and procedures within the provincial and district offices.

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