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INTERNAL ADVERTISEMENT

SENIOR ANTI – SMUGGLING OFFICER

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for the position of **Senior Anti-Smuggling Officer**, reporting to the Manager – Anti Smuggling in the Customs and Excise Unit.

The incumbent will be responsible for enforcing interventions to detect and curtail smuggling and gather intelligence. To be engaged, as part of his/her job, in visible, flexible, 24-hour, risk based Anti-Smuggling policing.

KEY TASKS AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- To deal primarily in information:
 - Externally or internally supplied
 - Self generated enforcement interventions
 - Entire import/export process from before a consignment arrives in the country to after it has been removed from the port/place of entry.
- Provide visible flexible 24 hour, risk based policing of ports, airports, borders etc.
- Conduct rummages of aircraft (commercial and private), trains, vehicles (lorries and cars), containers, baggage and mail.
- Conduct searches – places and people.
- Examine import and export goods, raises additional revenue and makes interventions/seizures.
- Undertake crew, vehicle and gate checks and patrols in ports and airports.
- Document information and transmits it into the LRA system and database.
- Provide regular feedback to the Compliance unit and Customs Audit.
- Undertakes ad hoc enquiries, investigations and conducts interviews hand over findings to Compliance Unit.
- Write reports on interceptions, detentions and seizures.
- Undertake controls over prohibitions
- Place people under detentions.

- Compile schedules for assignments to be undertaken when required.
- Participate in observation/surveillance operations.
- Coordinate the mobile task unit and rapid response functions.
- Participate in special initiatives, roadblocks, Joint Operations with LMPS and other Law enforcing agencies.
- Initiate control processes where customs controls are weak.
- Undertake outreach/Education to ensure compliance.
- 24 hour standby.

CORE COMPETENCIES:

- Strong analytical skills
- Communication skills
- Good Planning skills
- Excellent communication and report writing skills
- Attention to detail
- Understanding of the organization's operations
- Innovativeness

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Degree in Business Administration/Studies, Economics, Audit, Statistics, Taxation or related field plus three years post qualifying relevant experience in accounting, auditing and tax investigation related environment.

OR

Diploma in Business Administration/Studies/Management or related plus five years post qualifying relevant experience in accounting, auditing and investigation related environment.

Interested candidates should send a covering letter together with a 3-page CV and copies of certified educational certificates and transcripts to:

The Manager-Human Resources Operations
 Lesotho Revenue Authority
 P.o.Box 1085
 Maseru 100

OR

Hand deliver to: **Room 2002**
 Human Resources Division

The closing date for applications is 24th February 2012. Only short-listed candidates shall be communicated to.