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INVITATION TO SERVE ON THE EASTERN CAPE RURAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY BOARD

The Member of the Executive Council of the Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform (Eastern Cape) hereby invites applications or nominations of suitable persons for appointment onto the Board of Directors of the Eastern Cape Rural Development Agency (ECRDA).

The ECRDA is established in terms of the Eastern Cape Rural Finance Corporation Act 9 of 1999 as amended by Act 1 of 2012 (Eastern Cape). The entity is listed under Schedule 3C of the Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999.

A member of the Board must be a fit and proper person to hold such office and have appropriate qualifications and/or experience.

A person is disqualified from being appointed or remaining a member of the Board if that person-

- (a) is or becomes a Member of the National Assembly or National Council of Provinces, any provincial legislature, Municipal Council or is in the full-time employ of an organ of state with the exception of the representatives of the Departments contemplated in section 10;
- (b) is not a South African citizen or a permanent resident in the Republic;
- (c) is or becomes subject to a final order of court whereby his or her estate is sequestrated under the Insolvency Act, 1936 (Act No.24 of 1936), or if his or her estate is sequestrated in terms of the laws of any other country or territory by a competent court or agency of such country or territory, or if he or she has assigned his or her estate for the benefit of his or her creditors;
- (d) is declared by a competent court to be of unsound mind or suffers a mental illness or has a severe or profound intellectual disability as contemplated in the Mental Health Care Act, 2002 (Act No. 17 of 2002);
- (e) has been convicted, whether in the Republic or elsewhere, of theft, fraud, forgery or uttering a forged document, perjury, or any offence involving dishonesty or of any offence in terms of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1958 (Act No. 6 of 1958), the Corruption Act, 1992 (Act No. 94 of 1992), Part 1 to 4, or section 17, 20 or 21 (in so far as it relates to the aforementioned offences) of chapter 2 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, 2004, or the Companies Act, 2008 (Act No. 71 of 2008), or of contravening this Act, irrespective of whether such imprisonment was wholly or partly suspended or not;
- (f) has been convicted of an offence, other than an offence contemplated in paragraph (e) and sentenced to imprisonment without the option of a fine for a period of not less than



- three months, irrespective of whether such imprisonment was wholly or partly suspended or not;
- (g) Without authorization discloses or improperly acts on information gained as a result of his or her membership of the Board;
 - (h) Fails to disclose an interest as contemplated in section 11E of the ECRFC Amendment Act; or
 - (i) is disqualified in terms of the Companies Act.

All applicants are required to submit an application letter accompanied by a comprehensive CV and the supporting documentation (Qualifications, etc). The appointment duration will be for the remaining term of the current Board.

Failure to submit the above documents will result in the application or nomination not being considered.

Further details about this position may be obtained through the link on the Departmental website: www.drdar.gov.za (vacancies).

Enquiries may be directed to Mr N. Mabanga at: Ntembeko.Mabanga@drdar.gov.za

All applications must be submitted to the offices of the DRDAR to the following addresses:

Hand deliver DRDAR 11th Floor, Room 1103, Dukumbana Building, BISHO or email to recruitment@drdar.gov.za

No late applications will be considered and no applications will be considered which have been delivered to a different address.

Closing date: 13 September 2024