

Call for Independent Non-Executive Directors

Role

Independent Non-Executive Director, requiring approval by the Malta Financial Services Authority (MFSA). Interest by both Maltese and Non-Maltese nationals/residents is welcome.

Additional appointments

The role holder will be required to sit on Board Committees from time to time according to the Bank's exigencies and requirements.

Qualifications

- a. Minimum of 10 years at a senior executive role in a relevant activity or industry;
- b. Recognised professional or academic qualifications are a plus but not a pre-requisite.

Competence

Shows the following strong attributes:

- a. An inspirational leader who directs through knowledge, experience and example;
- b. A team player with strong communication skills and a consensual approach;
- c. Has presence, gravitas and commands respect in the industry and community;
- d. A strategic mindset to business and an independent thinker who challenges;
- e. Can identify, and manage, conflict of interest situations, actual and potential.

Experience

- a. Demonstrable evidence of involvement in, or knowledge of, financial services;
- b. Track record in banking, commercial and credit risk management would be an asset;
- c. Experience as a senior executive or director of a regulated entity will be a plus;
- d. Knowledge of the Maltese economic environment will be an additional strength.

Reputation

The proposed role holder will be required to be of integrity and meet the fit and proper criteria according to the Bank's and the MFSA's requirements.

Time Effort

The successful role holder will be expected to dedicate an adequate allocation of time commitment, including travelling to/from Malta if applicable.

Nationality and language skills

Individuals who have acquired experience in an international or in a regional geographical area, e.g., within the EU/EEA/UK/Internationally will be preferred. The role holder will need to be fluent in the English language. Knowledge of the Maltese language and/or familiarity with the local culture would be a strong but non-essential asset.

Presence in Malta

A non-Maltese resident director will be expected to travel to Malta a number of times a year, for Board meetings as well as training and other activities as may be required, all travelling expenses being met by the Bank.

Additional Information

https://www.apsbank.com.mt/

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Diversity

The Bank upholds a DEI (Diversity, Equity and Inclusivity) Policy that promotes, and encourages, the integration of individuals of varying gender, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, religion and other attributes.

Tenure

Local statute indicates a maximum appointment of 12 years. The role holder is expected to continue serving on the Board for a minimum of 5 years, subject to any overriding personal or other circumstances and subject to the Bank's M&A provisions.

Remuneration

The role holder will be offered a compensation package that reflects the independent, non-executive nature of the office and commensurate with the involvement in committees and other expectations of the position.

Notes

- 1) Malta subscribes to a one-tier Board structure that fulfils the supervisory function of the Management Body.
- 2) MFSA Personal Questionnaire and approval process
 - a. https://www.mfsa.mt/our-work/authorisations-old/personal-questionnaire/
 - b. The process for any Board vacancy requires evaluation by the Bank's Nominations & Remuneration Committee, including a formal interview, eventual recommendation by the Board of Directors, the consent of shareholders and approval by the MFSA.

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Additional Notes:

- Submission of interest does not automatically trigger insertion in the Nominations Pool, or a nomination for appointment to the Board, whether to fill a casual vacancy or at a forthcoming Annual General Meeting
- The Nominations and Remuneration Committee may contact applicants to request additional information necessary for its evaluation.
- The Nominations and Remuneration Committee is not bound to provide any feedback/update on applications received.
- Applications received will be treated in strictest confidence, and processed in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 (General Data Protection Regulation), the Data Protection Act (Chapter 586 of the Laws of Malta) and any other relevant EU and national law.