



INVITATION FOR APPLICATIONS FROM INTERESTED PARTIES TO SERVE AS INDEPENDENT AUDIT AND RISK COMMITTEE MEMBER OF THE MANUFACTURING, ENGINEERING AND RELATED SERVICES SECTOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING AUTHORITY (MERSETA) FROM 1 OCTOBER 2021 TO 31 MARCH 2025.

The merSETA is a Schedule 3A public entity, which has been re-established by the Minister of Higher Education, Science and Technology effective 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2030. It is governed by the Skills Development Act 97 of 1998, The Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999, Standard SETA Constitution and other relevant laws. The merSETA subscribes to the principles of the King IV Code of Corporate Governance.

The merSETA sector coverage includes manufacturing in automotive (OEMS), metal, new tyre, plastics and motor, the latter inclusive of motor retail, automotive component manufacturing and/or repairs and after sales service. In terms of Section 13(g)(ii) of the Skills Development Act 97 of 1998 (as amended), Sections 76(4)(d) and 77 of the Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999 (as amended) and Treasury Regulation 27.1, merSETA Accounting Authority wishes to appoint one suitably qualified and experienced individual to serve as independent member for the merSETA Audit and Risk Committee for the period 1 October 2021 to 31 March 2025.

Suitable candidates should meet the following minimum requirements:

- Admitted attorney or advocate;
- An appropriate blend of knowledge, skills and experience as well as the personal attributes of objectivity, integrity and commitment;
- Sound knowledge with regard to corporate governance and prior experience as an Audit and Risk Committee member is essential;
- The ability to provide effective leadership to ensure independence in decision making in order to set strategic direction for the merSETA in relation to the duties of the Audit and Risk Committee;
- Knowledge of the Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999 (PFMA), as amended and National Treasury Regulations is essential; and
- Knowledge of the Skills Development Act 97 of 1998, Standard SETA Constitution, King IV Code of Corporate Governance as well as other relevant legislation and codes will be an added advantage.

The merSETA is an equal opportunities employer; affirmative action appointments are aligned to the merSETA EE Plan. By submitting an application, the candidate agrees to participate in a selection interview, background verification and competency assessment.

Enquiries/Application (detailed CV, covering letter and certified copies of qualifications) must be addressed to:

**Pinki Moloto | PMoloto@merseta.org.za
merSETA, 95 7th Avenue Corner Rustenburg Road, Melville Johannesburg 2109
Telephone: 011 219 3437**

Closing Date: 22 August 2021

LEADERS IN CLOSING THE SKILLS GAP



CALL FOR ORGANISED LABOUR NOMINATIONS TO SERVE ON THE ACCOUNTING AUTHORITY OF THE MANUFACTURING, ENGINEERING AND RELATED SERVICES SECTOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING AUTHORITY (MERSETA) FOR THE CURRENT TERM OF OFFICE UP TO 31 MARCH 2025 .

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Nominees to the Accounting Authority must meet the following Minimum requirements:

- Representatives from Organised Labour within the merSETA scope of coverage as above;
- Drawn from the ranks of senior officials within the organisations they represent;
- An appropriate blend of knowledge, skills and experience required for the effective functioning of the merSETA Accounting Authority;
- Sound knowledge, skills and experience with regard to corporate governance as well as the personal attributes of objectivity, integrity and commitment;
- Ability to provide effective leadership to ensure independence in decision-making and ability to set strategic direction for the merSETA;
- Sound knowledge of the scope of coverage of the industries of the merSETA;
- Understanding of the skills policy landscape;
- Knowledge of the Skills Development Act 97 of 1998, Public Finance Management Act 1 of 1999, as amended (PFMA) and the National Skills Development Plan 2030 will be an added advantage;
- Candidates will be subjected to vetting process internally and externally; and
- Representatives of designated groups are encouraged.

Nominations from nominating stakeholders must contain the following:

- Motivation letter why the nominee must be considered for appointment;
- Full names of the individuals or organizations, as well as the designation of the person making the nomination;
- The nominee's curriculum vitae and certified copies of qualifications;
- The nominee's signed written acceptance letter of the nomination.

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Nominations together with a comprehensive CV and a completed Nomination Form, which is obtainable from the merSETA website: www.merseta.org.za must be submitted on or before 22 August 2021.

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