



**CENTRAL BANK OF AFGHANISTAN
(DA AFGHANISTAN BANK)**

JOB DESCRIPTION AND PERSON SPECIFICATION

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| Job Title & Grade | The Special Analyst (Real Sector) Grade 8 | Occupant | Vacant |
| Reports To: | Deputy Director General (Real and External Sectors) | Directorate/ Department/ Unit/Project : | Monetary Policy Department |
| Type of Employment | Permanent | Location of Employment | DAB Headquarter |
| Duration of Employment | Long Term | Announcement Date: | July 01, 2010 |
| Special Conditions : | Three months (probationary period) | Closing Date : | July 15, 2010 |
| No. of Position: | one | | |

Purpose of the Position

Position Objectives

The primary objective of the Da Afghanistan Bank (Central Bank), as enshrined in the Da-Afghanistan Bank Law, is to maintain domestic price stability and maintain liquidity in the market. To achieve this objective the Monetary Policy Department of the Central Bank has the responsibility to formulate and implement sound monetary policy based on consistent, up-to-date and, comprehensive analyses of the economic conditions in the country.

Monetary policy cannot be formulated and implemented in isolation from the broader macroeconomic scenario. It has to be designed on the basis of rigorous analyses and credible forecasts of economic indicators. These indicators include monetary, fiscal, real and external sectors of the economy.

The Special Analyst (Real Sector) will prepare analytical reports on the developments in the real sector of the economy.

Position Outcomes

More rigours and robust analysis of real sector issues

Accountability / Working Relationships

The Special Analyst (Real Sector) will work under the supervision of Deputy Director General Research (Real and External) of the Monetary Policy Department and in close cooperation with Senior Analyst Real Sector.

Job Specification

The real sector analyst will be responsible for conducting research on the developments of the real sector of the economy especially inflation, unemployment and real GDP. The applicant is required to participate actively in forecasting economic indicators related to the position and help the department in building macroeconomic models of the economy. Working with other members of Monetary Policy Research and Analysis team, The Special Analyst (Real Sector) is expected to provide economic analysis, forecasts and consolidated data of the real sector supported with graphs/charts on a timely basis.

Person Specification

Qualifications

At least Bachelors' degree in economics, or other related fields from an accredited university

Experience

Two years of relevant experience at the national or international level in a research-oriented environment

Knowledge

Strong oral and written communication skills in Dari, Pashto and English languages

Advanced skill in the Ms Office software packages; familiarity with statistical-econometric packages like Eviews, Matlab and Stata will be considered an advantage

Personal Skills and Abilities

Ability to design, implement, supervise and monitor relevant tasks assigned and show initiative skills

Application Process:

All interested and qualified candidates should apply along with their application cover letter, comprehensive Curriculum Vitae (CV) and certified copies of degree/diploma and related certificates to the Directorate of Human Resources, Da Afghanistan Bank (Central Bank of Afghanistan), Ibn-i-Sena Watt, Kabul, Afghanistan at E-mail: dab.jobs@centralbank.gov.af. The Da Afghanistan Bank (Central Bank of Afghanistan) will only respond to the applicants short-listed for interview.