

Director

DIVISION OF TAXATION

The New Jersey Department of the Treasury is seeking an innovative individual to direct the Division of Taxation. Appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the State Senate, the Director leads a dynamic and uniquely multi-faceted organization of 1500 men and women. The Division administers 35 tax laws that generate collections in excess of \$25 billion, including \$1.5 billion from audit and enforcement activities. The Division implements property tax relief programs that return \$2 billion annually to taxpayers. The Division's customer service operations respond to almost 700,000 constituent and practitioner telephone and e-mail inquiries, assist taxpayers in the preparation of tax returns and present workshops to businesses and tax professionals. Through its administration of the Unclaimed Property program, the Division successfully processes claims to owners in the amount of \$85 million annually. The Division oversees the functioning of 350 municipal tax assessors and 21 county boards of taxation. The Division provides revenue forecasting and analysis in the preparation of and monitoring of the state budget.

The ideal candidate will have a Bachelor's Degree; an advanced degree is strongly desired. A minimum of eight (8) years of comprehensive experience in state or federal tax administration is preferred, but comparable private sector experience may be substituted. In addition, the department seeks an individual with a proven track record of successfully leading a dynamic and versatile organization. The ideal candidate will be a change-agent with a documented history of professional commitment to excellence, ethical behavior, staff diversity and personal and organizational accountability. The successful candidate must possess excellent communication skills to foster positive relations with state and local government constituencies, professional groups and the public. Lastly, experience in reengineering business processes and organizational restructuring in implementing new technology solutions and employee professional growth programs is strongly desired.

This position affords a comprehensive benefits package as well as a competitive salary commensurate with education and experience. Successful completion of a background investigation, financial disclosure, and relocation to New Jersey within the first year of employment are mandatory.

If you are qualified and interested, please forward your cover letter and resume to: **Linda Price**, Supervisor, Employment Unit, New Jersey Department of the Treasury, Office of Human Resources, 50 West State Street, 2nd Floor, P.O. Box 210, Trenton, New Jersey 08625; Fax 609-984-6496; Email: HumanResources@treas.state.nj.us by **October 17, 2008**.

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