



VACANCY NOTICE: LAND SURVEYORS' BOARD

The Government of the Virgin Islands is inviting applications from interested and qualified persons with industry experience to fill the five vacant positions of one (1) Chair and four (4) Members on the **Land Surveyors' Board**.

The Land Surveyors' Board is a statutory entity associated with the Department of Lands and Survey under the Ministry of Natural Resources, Labour and Immigration. Constituted by the Land Survey Ordinance of 1970, it is tasked with examining, licensing, registering and regulating Land Surveyors within the Territory.

QUALIFICATIONS & QUALITIES

ALL APPLICANTS MUST...

-Be permanently resident in the Territory of the Virgin Islands. Belongers are preferred.

-Be skilled in analytical thinking, communicating, collaborating, exercising confidentiality and discretion, creative problem-solving, taking initiative, and project and organisational management.

-Be passionate about elevating local surveying and building laws/practice to best support the development direction and needs of the Territory.

Chairman Applicants must...

-Hold a Bachelor's degree or higher in *Land Appraisal & Development, Land Management, Land Surveying, Real Estate Law, Construction, Engineering* or related field from an internationally-recognised, accredited institution.

-Have four (4) or more years of proven leadership, mentorship and board service experience, and be able to demonstrate a passion and vision for elevating local surveying laws and practice to best support the development direction and needs of the Territory.

Private Land Surveyor Applicants must...

-Be chartered, licensed and practicing surveying in the Virgin Islands for at least four (4) years.

-Be adept in the use of CAD and other IT software, digital mapping, GIS, GPS, drones, laser beam measuring, satellite surveying, etc. for land surveying, including Ordinance Survey and even offshore engineering/exploration.

-Have a strong track record of giving sound and knowledgeable advice on surveying matters, as well as of advocating for lands management.

-Be nominated (in writing) by a local surveyor licensed to practice in the Virgin Islands preferably a member of the local Association of Surveyors.

Building Industry Representative Applicants must...

-Hold a Bachelor's degree or higher in *Construction, Engineering, Land Appraisal, Development or Management, Real Estate Law* or other related field from an internationally-recognised, accredited institution.

-Have at least four (4) years' work experience in local or regional building and real estate management industries.

TERM OF SERVICE

The Chairman and Members shall serve for a period not exceeding (three) 3 years. All appointees shall be eligible for re-appointment.

TO APPLY

Applicants should email their cover letter of interest and curriculum vitae/resume to the Ministry of Natural Resources, Labour and Immigration at nrl@gov.vg by **11 March 2022**.