



VACANCY NOTICE

CHAIRPERSON, LABOUR ARBITRATION TRIBUNAL

The Government of the Virgin Islands, Ministry of Natural Resources and Labour, is seeking to fill the role of Chairman of the Labour Arbitration Tribunal. The Labour Arbitration Tribunal's role is to resolve labour disputes with integrity and accountability. This includes complaints on unfair dismissal, constructive dismissal, redundancy and discrimination in the workplace.

ABOUT THE TRIBUNAL

The Tribunal is an independent tribunal set up under the Labour Code, 2010. It has power to make orders and awards with the same force as an order or award of the High Court. Persons/parties appearing before the Tribunal are entitled to the same rights or privileges as they would have before any court.

Tribunal hearings are heard before the Chairperson sitting alone and the trials are heard before three members who, together, are referred to as the full panel. The full panel consists of the Chairman and two (2) accredited Labour Arbitrators.

MAIN RESPONSIBILITIES

- Conduct hearings and trials
- Draft orders and awards
- Render decisions
- Issue Witness Summons
- Perform such other related functions as necessary

THE IDEAL CANDIDATES SHOULD EMBODY THE FOLLOWING QUALITIES:

- Be an attorney-at-law of at least ten (10) years' good standing
- Manage time commitments to meet the Tribunal's objectives
- Be trustworthy and confidential
- Be able to make legally -sound, fair and equitable decisions
- Possess personal qualities of high integrity and credibility

TERMS OF SERVICE

The Chairperson shall serve for a period of two (2) years.

TO APPLY

Applicants should email their cover letter of interest and curriculum vitae/resume to the **Ministry of Natural Resources and Labour at nrl@gov.vg** by **22nd March 2023**. For additional information, contact Mrs. Malisa Ragnauth-Mangal at 1 (284) 468-4757.

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OPENING DATE: 8th March, 2023

CLOSING DATE: 22nd March 2023