



FIRST NATIONS FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT BOARD

MANAGER, STANDARDS & CERTIFICATION

The First Nations Financial Management Board is a non-profit institute that provides tools and guidance that will instil confidence in First Nations' financial management and reporting systems to support economic and community development. It was established as one of four national First Nation institutions under the recently approved First Nations Fiscal and Statistical Management Act (FSMA).

Since its inception in 2007, the First Nations Financial Management Board (FNFMB) has developed financial administration standards that meet the requirements of the First Nations Fiscal and Statistical Management Act (FSMA) and the interests of First Nations, taxpayers, investors and capital markets. With integrity, responsiveness, and relevance as fundamental tenets, the FNFMB offers services in support of financial administration law development, financial management system certification, local revenue account reporting, intervention, and capacity development.

THE CANDIDATE:

FNFMB is seeking a Manager, Standards & Certification responsible for assisting First Nations to develop organizational financial management capacity, and for planning and coordinating certification reviews of First Nations communities. Reporting to the Director of Standards and Certification, this role will facilitate and support First Nations in understanding what they need to successfully achieve and maintain FNFMB certification. The Manager will plan, coordinate and monitor the work of independent reviewers, and, work with First Nations in developing and providing capacity development resources so that they can achieve the standards established by FNFMB.

The successful candidate must have strong knowledge and experience in financial management, assurance, capacity development, and regulatory environments. Combined with a desire and experience working with First Nations communities and leadership, FNFMB is seeking an individual who thoroughly understands the FSMA, the FNFMB's standards, assurance engagements, and financial management. She/he will oversee and maintain FNFMB's client-focused culture by assisting and enabling First Nations to prepare for certification by guiding First Nations through the FSMA, FNFMB standards and capacity development resource materials. A champion of developing and sustaining strong relationships, the Manager, Standards & Certification is a professional who is committed to the goals and objectives of the FNFMB.

An attractive compensation package is offered for this role located in West Vancouver, British Columbia. If you want to explore this opportunity, please apply in complete confidence by **April 12th, 2010** to Higgins International, Inc. preferably via email to Brenda LaRose at bhiggins@higginsinc.com or Brock Higgins at brock@higginsinc.com or alternatively by fax to (204) 257-9707.

If you have any questions regarding this opportunity, please do not hesitate to contact Brenda LaRose at (204) 257-9929 or via email or Brock Higgins at (613) 680-0077 or via email.

