WESTERN AND CENTRAL PACIFIC FISHERIES COMMISSION

Senior Management Vacancy Finance and Administration Officer Level L (commencement late 2010)

The Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission was established to ensure, through effective management, the long-term conservation and sustainable use of highly migratory fish stocks in the western and central Pacific Ocean. The Commission's Secretariat which is located in Kolonia, Pohnpei, Federated States of Micronesia now invites applications for the position of Finance and Administration Officer (FAO).

In addition to providing secretariat support to the Commission's Finance and Administration Committee, the FAO manages a number of support staff and services contracts as well as providing advice, oversight and operational services to the Executive Director in respect of finance and administrative matters. This position requires significant direct involvement at all levels of the Finance and Administration work programme. Applicants are required to have a proven record of achievement that demonstrates their ability to successfully undertake the role. A tertiary academic qualification in a relevant discipline is required. A terms of reference, organisation chart, information on conditions of service and on Pohnpei/Kolonia can be obtained from the Finance and Administration Officer (ken.smithson@wcpfc.int). Applications need to address the position's terms of reference and particularly the required qualifications and experience. The successful applicant will be expected to take up the position about 23 December 2010. Those applying should address their applications to the Executive Director. These may be sent to the email address above or by mail to PO Box 2356 Kolonia, Pohnpei FSM 96941. Applications will close on 30 September 2010 and need to be received by that date. More information on the Commission and its conditions of service can also be found at www.wcpfc.int.