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CALIFORNIA BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY SEEKS NEW ENFORCEMENT CHIEF

SACRAMENTO – The California Board of Accountancy (CBA) is recruitIng for a new Chief of Enforcement. The Chief of Enforcement plays an integral role in the creation/influence of policy affecting not only the Enforcement Division, but the CBA as a whole, and serves as a principal advisor to the Executive Officer and enforcement-related consumer protection activities at the CBA.

The Chief of Enforcement plans, organizes, and directs all phases of the CBA's Enforcement Division; oversees all investigations of complaints filed against California Certified Public Accountants, Public Accountants, and firms for violation of the Accountancy Act and/or CBA Regulations; provides technical support to the Attorney General on development of legal opinions; accusations, prosecution strategy, and stipulated settlements; coordinates with Attorney General, Department of Consumer Affairs, and Division of Investigation, as well as, various federal, state, and local regulatory authorities on enforcement cases of interest to the CBA.

To be considered, applicants must meet one of the following qualifications:

- Must be a civil service employee with permanent civil service status, or
- Must be a current or former employee of the Legislature for two or more consecutive years as defined in Government Code Section 18990, or
- Must be a current or former non-elected exempt employee of the Executive Branch with two or more consecutive years (excluding those positions for which salaries are set by statue) as defined in Government Code Section 18992, or
- Must be a person retired from the Unites States military, honorably discharged from active military duty with a service-connected disability, or honorably discharged from active duty as defined in Government Code 18991.

For additional information about how to apply and the application deadline, please view the Exam Announcement at

http://iobs.spb.ca.gov/ceabulletins/ceaexambulletin2.cfm?bid=08252014_1&view=h

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