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# **Financial Accountant and Legal Counsel**

Our client, Lingard Limited, is an Insurance Manager acting as agent for leading insurance providers operating in the shipping and energy markets. The principal clients are Gard P. & I. (Bermuda) Ltd., Gard Marine & Energy Limited, Safeguard Guarantee Company Ltd. and Gard Reinsurance Co. Ltd. The Gard Group employs over 400 people in 11 locations around the world. These roles report into the Managing Director of the Bermuda office, with close liaison to the Norwegian agent Gard AS. Lingard Limited is expanding, and as part of the company's development is looking to fill two new positions:

#### **Financial Accountant**

#### Key Responsibilities:

- · Quarterly reporting to the management and Board of Directors
- · Preparation of the annual report and accounts
- Reporting on behalf of the Companies to regulatory and supervisory authorities in accordance with applicable laws and regulations
- · Liaise with external auditors

#### Minimum Qualifications, Skills & Experience:

- A relevant Bachelor degree and a minimum of 3 years post CA, CPA, or ACCA qualifying re/insurance industry experience
- · Good working knowledge of IFRS
- Experience preparing financial reports and analysing financial statements
- · Proven financial, analytical and organisational skills

### Legal Counsel

#### **Key Responsibilities:**

- Maintain an overview of laws and regulations that apply to the business activities of the different legal entities of the Group
- As an extension of the Gard AS legal counsel team in Norway, provide legal advice in relation to corporate governance matters, election processes and other decisions of the governing bodies
- Draft and review contracts and other documents that are required by the Group; advise management and Board of Directors accordingly
- Maintain and develop documentation pertaining to meetings of boards and any other documentation providing governance and direction from the owners

#### Minimum Qualifications, Skills & Experience:

- UK law degree and admission to the Bar in Bermuda
- Proven relevant experience in a similar function, preferably in the re/insurance industry
- Strong understanding of onshore and offshore corporate law systems and the principles of good corporate governance
- · Knowledge of Bermuda company law, regulations and offshore structure

Both roles require proficiency with MS Office applications, strong organizational, written and verbal communication skills and attention to detail. The successful candidates must be able to work effectively in a small team and have the ability to travel to Norway for an initial training period.

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All enquires will be dealt with in strict confidence.

Closing date: September 14, 2011