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Vacancies

CASHIERS / SALES ASSISTANTS

- ★ Male / Female
- 🖈 Age Below 30
- ★ Education G.C.E. (O/L)
- ★ English Knowledge, **Similar Experience Would be an Advantage**

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FEMALE CORPORATE SALES EXECUTIVE

Vacancy for Female Corporate Sales Executive at leading FMCG Company Requirements

- Female between the age of 25-35
- CIM or Diploma or equivalent qualification in marketing or sales. · Excellent communication & presentation skills in English and
- · Corporate sales experience will be an added advantage.

Good extra curricular background.

Job Role:

- · Relationship marketing & sales of personal care FMCG products to corporate institutions.
- Advice & educate corporate staff on personal care products.
- Manage business portfolio for corporate. · Supervise sales officers and monitor performance.

If you have what it takes, Send your CV to

E-mail- makeetha@gmail.com

Makeetha Employment Bureau (Pvt) Ltd 777/El, Samurdhi Mawatha, Heiyanthuduwa, Kelaniya.

"join our team"

We are a Hong Kong based Accessories Company in the UK and Sri Lanka. Currently We are looki oriented team players with garment accessory experience to strengthen our team and to enhance our customer service in the Colombo office.

Candidates should possess minimum 2 years experience in De or extensive knowledge in trims in a reputed company.

KEY ACCOUNTS SALES

Ability to generate revenue and manage client portfolios independently, from development stage to the bulk orders. Applicants who have followed the CITI course or any other course at a recognized Institute will be at a distinct advantage.

MERCHANDISERS

Applications are invited from candidates with a knowledge of system and processes of e-mail and letter writing skills and computer knowledge to communicate as intermediaries between the buyer, sales team and the suppliers.

Post should be indicated on the top left corner of the envelop or send your CV by E-mail to sales@greatleaphk.com with the position applied as the subject heading on the mail....

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Age between 32 - 40

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RESIDENT

We are a well established company of importing

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Credit Controller

The ideal candidate should be dynamic results

The candidate should be part/full qualified in

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independently, face challengers and take timely

decision & Possess problem solving capabilities.

Candidate should be ready to travel any part of

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An attractive remuneration is offer for the right

Apply with in 10 days of this advertisement to:

Human Resource Manager,

Mag Industries Limited,

Board of Investment,

Pallekele, Kandy.

E mail: chaminda-bg@sltnet.lk

and distribution of President batteries and

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The candidate should be able to work

IMMEDIATE VACANCY

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An immediate vacancy exists in our Organisation for a Mechanical Draughtsman with proficiency in AutoCad and minimum two years' experience Apply within 10 working days to Manager - Human Resources



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Vacancies exist in a reputed **Group of companies for:**

1 Graphic Designers

Age 20 to 25 years with G.C.E. (A.L.) & Diploma in Graphic Designing, preferably with 2 years experience.

2 Trainee Marketing Executives

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3 Receptionist

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We are a leading infrastructure consulting and strategic business development company with a global presence.

Due to rapid expansion and diversification in our business we are on the look out for **CONSULTANTS** in the following areas to work on full/part time basis.

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General Manager – Projects

VSR Consultants (Pvt) Ltd

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THE WORLD BANK

EXTENDED TERM CONSULTANT

The World Bank seeks to recruit a dynamic professional as an extended term Consultant to work in the field of Disaster Risk Management to be based in Colombo. This is a 1 year appointment.

Duties & Accountabilities

Strengthen in-country partnerships and coordinate with key stakeholders particularly, GFDRR partners at the country level to advance the Disaster Risk Management (DRM) and Climate change Adaptation (CCA) agenda.

Actively support and engage with Bank sectors and the Country Management Unit to mainstream DRM and CCA into the overall development agenda.

Actively engage in country dialogue on DRM with government and strategic partners and represent the Bank/GFDRR at internal and

Prepare briefs, reports, presentations and RBMS project progress updates as required by SASSD management, country office and GFDRR secretariat.

Selection Criteria

Master's degree in a relevant discipline such as engineering, economics, public policy or development studies. At least five years of relevant experience in the areas related to climate change, natural hazards, disasters, flood management, vulnerability.

Details (Vacancy # 102231) are available in the World Bank Careers website: www.worldbank.org/careers. All applications must be submitted through this website. The World Bank group is committed to achieving diversity in terms of gender, nationality, culture and educational background, Individuals with disabilities are equally encouraged to apply.

Closing date is December, 19, 2010. Only shortlisted Candidates will be contacted.

Working For a World Free of Poverty

Brighten your of fice area with motivational posters

Doing the same work day in and day out does at times feel boring and monotonous. People tend to lose interest in their work and feel demotivated. This is a serious concern in almost every work place. The Human Resource department of organizations are consistently working towards enhancing the mood of the work place so that people feel more dedicated and enjoy working.

In order to make the place lively and relaxing, a lot of things are concerned. Some of them are the colour coordination of the office place, the lightings, view from the workstations and also posters. While other things are mandatory, motivational posters are a unique option. They are able to entice positive energy in the work places with the encouraging messages that they

Motivational posters are not only encouraging but at times witty and comic too, this makes the reading of the posters light and enjoyable. Considering the heavy stress and pressure that employees undergo everyday, a slight joke or a light mood image can work miracle in bringing the stress levels down immediately.

fight is quite obscuring. While the stress your workplaces in just a few days. levels are high it is almost impossible to



bring down the stress levels to such a minimum, and that is the reason why there is great demand for some excellently written motivational posters.

As a matter of fact, these motivational posters are required not only in office areas, but also in other high stress areas like, hospitals, nursing homes, and even in schools.

Purchasing motivational posters in now made quite simple with several online poster sites, that enable you to download and print various colour and black and white posters. These posters are available in great quality and vast variety. You can It is definitely not an easy task, as the also order them at get them delivered to

articledashboard.com

More Fun at Work: Is it another fringe benefit for highly paid employees?

The best paid employees get the highest material benefits from working, but it also seems that they have the richest social lives.

A study published in a recent issue of the journal Social Science Quarterly found that highly paid workers were more likely to participate in social activities with co-workers. The highly paid also reported greater cohesion and solidarity among their col-

"The social attractions of the workplace are strongest for those who are already rewarded with the biggest paychecks," said Randy Hodson, author of the study and professor of sociology at Ohio State University.

According to Hodson, highly-paid employees tend to have jobs with more freedom and autonomy in which they can interact with their co-workers and develop work in teams in which interaction with others is both necessary and encouraged.

have the time to interact with their col-kinds of employees.

analysis of 124 book-length studies of their work and co-workers, said Hodson. employees in a variety of workplace settings. Occupations included meat packers,



from a wide range of other jobs.

Hodson and three graduate students friendships. They are also more likely to organized and coded information from all of these books to measure the degree and type of social interaction at a variety of On the other hand, lower-paid workers - workplaces from around the world. Hodson for example, those in manufacturing - are was then able to build a data set that likely to spend more time working with allowed quantitative, statistical comparthings, rather than people, and may not isons of different workplaces and different

Results suggest that when people develop The research was based on a detailed friendships at work, it is because they enjoy

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Employee...

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Engagement leads to positive employee behaviors that lead to organizational suc-According to Macey and Schneider,

engagement should not be confused with satisfaction or commitment. They identify two components of employee engagement: feelings of engagement (focus and enthu-

siasm), and engagement behavior (proactivity and persistence). So, they distinguish between engage-

ment and satisfaction:

Engagement connotes energy and not satiationsatisfaction connotes satiation and contentment but not energy

They argued that employees come to work ready to be engaged but organizations need to create the conditions that will release that energy.

They believe that employees will feel and act engaged when managers create the right conditions that allow them to do so. The essential condition for feeling engaged, they contended, is fair treatment leading to a feeling of trust which, in turn, allows them to feel safe to be engaged

According to Macey and Schneider:

"Our framework places an emphasis on the management of human resources in the work place, and it puts the responsibility on management to create the conditions for employee engagement. Management is work that will facilitate employee engage-

Employee engagement and manager behavior

A telephone survey conducted for Lynn than helping to create the conditions for employee engagement - manager behavior is seriously worrying employees across the country. When bosses stay behind closed the survey said that the 'closed door scenario' triggers thoughts of being laid off.

According to Lynn Taylor, author of the

forthcoming book, Tame Your Terrible Office $Tyrant^{TM}$ (TOT); How to Manage Childish Boss Behavior and Thrive in Your Job (John Wiley & Sons, July 2009):

"In today's economic environment, employees are searching for every clue to determine their job fate. Too often, not enough direct input is given to employees, and so non-verbal cues are heavily relied upon. Managers working behind closed doors may be shutting out more than noise they may be shutting down productivity.

The U.S. telephone survey of 1,000 respondents, 18 years of age or older, was conducted by a national independent research firm. The study concluded that employees averaged 2.8 hours (168.8 minutes) a day worrying about personal job concerns, such as mass lay-offs or losing their own jobs. Respondents were deeply suspicious of boss behaviors such as keeping office doors closed. When asked how often they think a boss's closed door was a signal of lay offs, the respondents said:

"Changes in manager behavior, such as a closed door, more private conferences, or less direct communication all represent potential 'exit signs' to many employees," said Lynn Taylor, adding that while managers have to deal with more sensitive personnel issues today than in previous decades, they can counter employee conways that respect the energy people bring to cerns at a critical time with more proactive communication

"Acknowledging the astounding impact a small gesture can have on corporate proresponsible for creating the conditions at ductivity in tense times is a good first step. Providing your team with reassurances whenever possible will mitigate unnecessary panic and help them stay focused," she

"Many employees may also avoid speak-Taylor Consulting has shown that - rather ing up to their bosses for fear of being shown the door, when, in fact, their ideas might boost a company's bottom line at a time when that is sorely needed. Opening your door literally and figuratively might office doors, workers begin to fear for their not only mean greater profitability. In some jobs. No fewer than 76% of respondents to cases, it might also help keep the doors of your business open," Lynn Taylor conclud-

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