



EUROPEAN COMMISSION

## VACANCY NOTICE FOR A POST OF SECONDED NATIONAL EXPERT

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| DG – Directorate – Unit   | DG Trade and Economic Security<br>Directorate G - Unit G.3: Trade Defence<br>Investigations II – Anti-circumvention   |
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| Contact person:   | Pedro Velasco Martins   |
| Provisional starting date:  | 4 quarter 2025  |
| Initial duration:   | 2 years   |
| Place of secondment:  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brussels <input type="checkbox"/> Luxembourg <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <a href="#">Click or tap here to enter text.</a> |
| Type of secondment  | <input type="radio"/> With allowances <input type="radio"/> Cost-free   |
| <p>This vacancy notice is open to:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> EU Member States as well as</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The following EFTA countries:<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> Iceland <input type="checkbox"/> Liechtenstein <input type="checkbox"/> Norway <input type="checkbox"/> Switzerland</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The following third countries: ....</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The following intergovernmental organisations: ...</p> <p><input type="radio"/> EFTA-EEA In-Kind agreement (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway)</p> |   |
| Deadline for applications   | <input type="radio"/> 2 months <input type="radio"/> 1 month<br><br>Latest application date: 27-10-2025   |

### **Entity Presentation (We are)**

DG Trade and Economic Security has the task of conducting EU trade policy, one of the exclusive competences of the EU. Trade policy plays a critical role in building global partnerships enhancing the EU's economic competitiveness and defending the EU from unfair trade practices and threats to its economic security.

Unit TRADE.G.3 is responsible for Trade Defence Instruments: Investigations II (Anti-dumping, anti-subsidies) and anti-circumvention policy.

### **Job Presentation (We propose)**

TRADE G.3 is looking for an official interested in trade defence policy to join a dynamic and enthusiastic unit of 31 people, which deals with trade defence investigations, anti-circumvention policy and rules of origin issues in the area of trade defence. The candidate will undertake complex and challenging investigations concerning dumped and/or subsidised imports from companies in countries outside the EU and also investigations concerning the impact of these imports on the Union industry and wider Union interest questions. The job requires extensive contacts with the exporters and their advisers, as well as with various EU industries. DG TRADE provides a two-week introduction course on Trade Defence Instruments for designated candidate.

### **Jobholder Profile (We look for)**

We are looking for an investigator to handle trade defence cases, in particular anti-dumping and anti-subsidy investigations. The person chosen will ideally have a background in economics, law, accounting or auditing, as well as in-depth knowledge and/or experience of China and experience with IT tools such as MS Excel.

Previous experience in the field of trade defence and knowledge about anti-circumvention rules as well as rules of origin would be an important asset. She/he will have good drafting skills (mainly in English) and have some administrative experience. Other important requirements are a sense of initiative, the ability to work under pressure, an eye for detail and the availability for travelling on missions both within and outside the EU (including some long missions).

He or she will be able to work autonomously, but also contribute constructively to teamwork. Respect of deadlines and confidentiality are crucial. A very good knowledge of English is essential; knowledge of French would be an important asset.

### **Eligibility criteria**

The secondment will be governed by the **Commission Decision C(2008) 6866** of 12/11/2008 laying down rules on the secondment to the Commission of national experts and national experts in professional training (SNE Decision).

Under the terms of the SNE Decision, you need to comply with the following eligibility criteria at **the starting date** of the secondment:

- **Professional experience:** at least three years of professional experience in administrative, legal, scientific, technical, advisory or supervisory functions which are equivalent to those of function group AD.
- **Seniority:** having worked for at least one full year (12 months) with your current employer on a permanent or contract basis.
- **Employer:** must be a national, regional or local administration or an intergovernmental public organisation (IGO); exceptionally and following a specific derogation, the Commission may accept applications where your employer is a public sector body (e.g., an agency or regulatory institute), university or independent research institute.
- **Linguistic skills:** thorough knowledge of one of the EU languages and a satisfactory knowledge of another EU language to the extent necessary for the performance of the duties. If you come from a third country, you must produce evidence of a thorough knowledge of the EU language necessary for the performance of his duties.

### **Conditions of secondment**

During the full duration of your secondment, you must remain employed and remunerated by your employer and covered by your (national) social security system.

You shall exercise your duties within the Commission under the conditions as set out by aforementioned SNE Decision and be subject to the rules on confidentiality, loyalty and absence of conflict of interest as defined therein.

In case the position is published with allowances, these can only be granted when you fulfil the conditions provided for in Article 17 of the SNE decision.

Staff posted in a European Union Delegation are required to have a security clearance (up to SECRET UE/EU SECRET level according to [Commission Decision \(EU, Euratom\) 2015/444 of 13 March 2015](#)). It is up to you to launch the vetting procedure before getting the secondment confirmation.

### **Submission of applications and selection procedure**

If you are interested, please follow the instructions given by your employer on how to apply.

The European Commission **only accepts applications which have been submitted through the Permanent Representation / Diplomatic Mission to the EU of your country, the EFTA Secretariat or through the channel(s) it has specifically agreed to.** Applications received directly from you or your employer will not be taken into consideration.

You should draft your CV in English, French or German using the **Europass CV format** ([Create your Europass CV | Europass](#)). It must mention your nationality.

Please do not add any other documents (such as copy of passport, copy of degrees or certificate of professional experience, etc.). If necessary, these will be requested at a later stage.

### **Processing of personal data**

The Commission will ensure that candidates' personal data are processed as required by Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>(1)</sup>. This applies in particular to the confidentiality and security of such data. Before applying, please read the attached privacy statement.

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<sup>1</sup> (1) Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 and Decision No 1247/2002/EC (OJ L 295, 21.11.2018, p. 39