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Auditor-General South Africa (AGSA) certified as a 2025 Top Employer

PRETORIA – The Auditor-General of South Africa (AGSA) is proud to be certified as a 2025 Top Employer by the Top Employers Institute, the global authority on excellence in employee/human resource practices.

This certification highlights the AGSA exceptional human resources (HR) practices and our unwavering commitment to ensure better employee experience and ensuring their well-being. This globally recognised programme will enhance AGSA's brand and advance our talent attraction, development, engagement and retention strategies.

Over the years, the AGSA has continued to fly the South African flag globally.

In 2023, the national audit office was elected as the external auditor of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) for the 2024-29 term; while in 2021, the World Bank ranked the AGSA as one of two supreme audit institutions in the world (with Seychelles) that are enjoying full independence to carry out their audit mandates in their respective countries.

This latest accolade puts the AGSA among the elite 2 400 organisations globally who are making a tangible difference in over 125 countries, impacting the lives of more than 13 million employees.

Congratulating this year's certified employers, Top Employers Institute's chief executive officer, David Plink, noted that "becoming a Global Top Employer signifies an organisation's commitment to globally aligned excellent people practices".

AGSA chief people officer, Lindiwe Miyambu, says to earn its spot in this league of certified organisations, the institute rigorously evaluated the national audit office's approach across six human resources domains and 20 topics, including people strategy, talent acquisition, diversity and inclusion, wellbeing, learning and work environment.

"This remarkable achievement is even more special because we earned this prestigious certification on our very first year of assessment, a testament to our unwavering commitment to our people and the incredible workplace culture we are building together.

"It also gives us a clear baseline to build on, with insights into where and how we can continue to improve our human resource practices for the benefit of our people. Leveraging the best practices observed worldwide by the Top Employers Institute, we aim to improve our internal processes and elevate the lived realities of our employees even further."

What this recognition means

Deputy auditor-general, Vonani Chauke, says this recognition "is a celebration of #TeamAGSA's collective commitment to fostering an environment where all team members feel valued, supported and empowered to excel. It reinforces our alignment with our #cultureshift2030 strategy and underscores the determination of living our core values: We care for each other, We build trust, We do the right thing, and We excel in all we do.

"This milestone inspires us and all our counterparts, especially in our public sector, to continue driving excellence in our work environments. This will impact our collective drive towards wholesale good governance and service delivery, thus positively impacting the lives of deserving citizens," concluded Chauke.

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