

POLICY OFFICER

The Cattle Council of Australia (CCA) is the peak producer organisation representing Australia's beef cattle producers. The objective of the Council is to represent and progress the interests of Australian beef cattle producers through wide and regular consultation with, and policy advice to, key industry organisations, relevant Federal Government Departments and other bodies regarding issues of national and international importance.

CCA is currently seeking a *Policy Officer* on a 2 year fixed term contract to join their small, Canberra based team at the heart of the Parliamentary Triangle. We are looking for candidates who have a passion in policy and politics especially around Australian Agriculture.

Reporting to the CEO, this role is a great opportunity for someone to work autonomously whilst gaining Industry and policy exposure. This role will require the individual to travel extensively (approx. once per fortnight).

The successful applicant will have strong analytical and research skills and possess excellent communication skills, both verbal and written. The position would suit candidates with 1-3 year's experience in their field and the role will provide opportunities for professional skill development. A background in agricultural science, agricultural economics and relevant industry issues is desirable but not essential.

Applicants should obtain and address the Duty Statement and Selection Criteria, available on <u>www.cattlecouncil.com.au</u> or via email to <u>cca@cattlecouncil.com.au</u>.

Applications close on Wednesday 28 October 2015. Please include a current CV, attached to a cover letter and addressed to –

Chief Executive Officer, Cattle Council of Australia, Locked Bag 9, Kingston, ACT, 2604 or

emailed in Microsoft Word format to <a>cca@cattlecouncil.com.au.