



## Division of Social Justice

### Tobacco Compliance Bureau - Assistant Attorney General - New York City

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The Office of the New York State Attorney General's [Tobacco Compliance Bureau](#) (TCB) is seeking an attorney with at least four (4) years of litigation experience to work in the New York City office. The TCB enforces the Tobacco Master Settlement Agreement (MSA) entered into between the major tobacco companies and fifty-two (52) states and territories. The Bureau also brings cases in federal and state courts to enforce anti-cigarette trafficking laws. MSA enforcement includes enforcing the MSA's public health provisions prohibiting tobacco companies from engaging in marketing and advertising aimed at youth. The TCB also oversees the State's compliance with the oversight and regulatory obligations of the MSA in order to ensure that New York receives its share of annual tobacco settlement payments. TCB attorneys work closely with attorneys from all of the states that are parties to the. Litigation involves such issues as the Contraband Cigarette Trafficking Act and tax evasion, among others.

This position requires superior lawyering skills, including legal research, writing, analysis, negotiation and advocacy. Candidates should also possess excellent organizational skills. Trial experience is preferred, but not required.

Attorneys in the Office must reside in (or intend to soon become a resident of) New York State and be admitted to practice law in New York State. In addition, the Public Officers Law requires that attorneys in the Office be citizens of the United States.

*Candidates from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to apply.*

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## HOW TO APPLY

**Applications are being received online.** To apply, please visit our website by clicking [here](#).

Applicants must be prepared to submit a complete application consisting of the following:

- **Cover Letter** (*Please address to Sandra Jefferson Grannum, Esq., Bureau Chief, Legal Recruitment*)
- **Resume**
- **Writing Sample**
- **List of three (3) references with contact information and email addresses**
- **Law school transcript if less than five (5) years post-graduate**

***Please note: Failure to submit a complete application will delay the consideration of your application.***

If you have questions about a position with the OAG, the application process or need assistance with submitting your application, please contact the Legal Recruitment Bureau via email at [recruitment@ag.ny.gov](mailto:recruitment@ag.ny.gov) or phone at 212-416-8080.

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