

## NOTICE OF VACANCY

### FEDERAL BRIDGE CORPORATION LIMITED

#### CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER (full-time position)

The Federal Bridge Corporation Limited (FBCL) and its subsidiary organizations (Jacques Cartier and Champlain Bridges Incorporated, the Seaway International Bridge Corporation Ltd., and the St. Mary's River Bridge Company) and management partner the Thousand Islands International Bridge have a mandate to engage in a range of activities to ensure that the bridges, tunnels, roadways and other structures under their control are safe, secure, efficient, environmentally sound and well-maintained, and in doing so, demonstrate the commitment of the Government of Canada to the transportation needs of the country.

Reporting to the Board of Directors, the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) is responsible for all aspects of the corporation's activities.

#### **Location: National Capital Region**

The successful candidate must have a degree from a recognized university with acceptable specialization in engineering, business administration, public administration, commerce, finance, economics or some other specialty relevant to the position, or an acceptable combination of education, training and/or experience. The preferred candidate will have significant experience leading and managing a major public and/or private corporation, as well as experience with corporate governance and best practices. The chosen candidate should have significant experience dealing with several levels of government, preferably with senior officials, and have experience in a multi-stakeholder organization, preferably dealing with large multi-modal transportation networks, bridges and/or international crossings.

The preferred candidate must be financially literate and possess knowledge of FBCL's mandate, subsidiaries and Canadian and US stakeholders. A sound understanding of the transportation industry domestically and in relation to partnering with US counterparts is required. The chosen candidate will possess knowledge of human resources and financial management. Knowledge of current international bridge safety and security issues is desirable.

In order to achieve the corporation's objectives and carry out its mandate, the CEO must be a person of sound judgment and integrity and must have initiative, tact, diplomacy, and superior interpersonal skills. The successful candidate must have the ability to develop effective relationships with Canadian and US federal, provincial and municipal governments to promote continued cross-border transportation and economic networks. The CEO must have the ability to establish and communicate a new vision for the future of FBCL.

The successful candidate will adhere to high ethical standards and possess superior communications skills, both written and oral, and have the ability to act as a spokesperson in dealing with the media, public institutions, governments and other organizations.

Proficiency in both official languages would be preferred.

The successful candidate must be willing to relocate to the National Capital Region or to a location within reasonable commuting distance.

The government is committed to ensuring that its appointments are representative of Canada's regions and official languages, as well as of women, Aboriginal peoples, disabled persons and visible minorities.

The preferred candidate must comply with the Ethical Guidelines for Public Office Holders and Guidelines for the Political Activities of Public Office Holders. The guidelines are available on the Governor in Council Appointments Website, under Publications at [www.appointments-nominations.gc.ca](http://www.appointments-nominations.gc.ca).

The selected candidate will be subject to the *Conflict of Interest Act*. Public office holders appointed on a full-time basis must submit to the Office of the Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner, within 60 days of appointment, a Confidential Report in which they disclose all of their assets, liabilities and outside activities. For more information please visit the Office of the

Conflict of Interest and Ethics Commissioner = s web site at <http://www.parl.gc.ca/ciec-ccie>.

This notice has been placed in the *Canada Gazette* to assist the Governor in Council in identifying qualified candidates for this position. It is not, however, intended to be the sole means of recruitment. Applications forwarded through the Internet will not be considered for reasons of confidentiality.

Interested candidates should forward their curriculum vitae by October 15, 2007, to the Acting Assistant Secretary to the Cabinet (Senior Personnel and Special Projects), Privy Council Office, 59 Sparks Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0A3, (613) 957-5006 (facsimile).

Further details about the organization and its activities can be found on its Web site at <http://www.federalbridge.ca/>

Bilingual notices of vacancies will be produced in alternative format (audio cassette, diskette, braille, large print, etc.) upon request. For further information, please contact Canadian Government Publishing, Public Works and Government Services Canada, Ottawa, Canada K1A 0S5, (613) 941-5995 or 1-800-635-7943.

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