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## BIA RECRUITING FOR CENTRAL OFFICE EDUCATION JOBS

The Bureau of Indian Affairs has been recruiting to fill 45 clerical and professional positions in its Central Office of Indian Education in Washington, D.C., Director Earl Barlow announced today.

Barlow said that the openings have been created by a reshaping and strengthening of the BIA's central education office to meet current education needs of Indians and Alaska Natives.

Eight vacancy announcements for positions of GS-11 to GS-15 levels were issued July 9 and the remaining 37 are expected to be issued before the end of the month.

There are positions to be filled, Barlow said, in elementary and secondary education, post-secondary education, education of the exceptional child, student support services, planning and program development and administrative support. They include jobs for clerk-typists, clerk-stenos, analysts, education specialists and supervisory education specialists.

Qualified Indian applicants will be given preference in filling all these positions.

Further information about the specific positions and qualifications requirements may be obtained from local Bureau of Indian Affairs offices or by writing to the Branch of Personnel Services, Bureau of Indian Affairs, 18th and C Streets, NW, Washington, D.C. 20240 (202 343-7581).

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