



Investment Manager – Head of ManCo

General

Freedom Asset Management Limited (“Freedom”) is a fast growing, regulated fund investment management business with a global client footprint and headquartered in Guernsey and offices in ADGM (Abu Dhabi). Freedom has ambitious expansion plans and is looking to establish a regulated Management Company in Ireland in 2020 to oversee UCITS fund structures.

Freedom operates 3 complementary business lines: (1) Private Client/Family Office investment management, (2) Distribution of third-party funds to European institutions, (3) Managed fund solutions for specialist IM/funds.

The Head of Manco will be an integral part of the Freedom management team, and will run the day-to-day operations of the business. It is intended that this new business increase its headcount within the first 12 months at the same time as the number of funds it oversees. The new business will be established in Ireland with the support of the existing management team, will require an individual with drive and willingness to “get the job done”.

We are looking for a hard-working Head with excellent knowledge and experience of fund compliance and risk management and strong communication skills, but most importantly a passionate contributor to a growing business.

Compliance and Risk management

The Head of ManCo will be a Director of the ManCo and predominantly responsible for the integration of the compliance and risk function of Freedom Ireland and its UCITS funds, including ensuring the internal compliance procedures are in place, or overseeing Freedom’s service providers’ MLRO and compliance procedures along with the rest of the Board.

The role holder will be responsible for handling initially all day-to-day queries from the business regarding regulatory and AML/CFT matters/obligations and attend and provide formal reports to the Board at quarterly Board Meetings.

The role involves managing liaising with regulators, law enforcement and other stakeholders, wherever the business operates, ensuring that statutory and regulatory requirements are met.

Fund Structuring

The Head of Manco will be taking part in delivering new fund structures to new or existing clients.

The role may be supporting or driving the establishment of the new funds, liaising with the regulator, coordinating with lawyers and other service providers and on-going monitoring of the structure or fund.

Again, depending on experience, the Head of ManCo may be asked become Director of those fund structures or other Freedom’s funds. This opportunity will suit well a professional thriving in an entrepreneurial environment. Minimum of 8 years relevant experience in fund or investment operations specifically compliance or risk.

- An understanding of fund management, including UCITS is critical
- Strong knowledge of regulatory frameworks in Ireland and prior experience of dealing with the Regulator
- Professional qualifications such as the ACCA, ICA Certificate/Diploma in AML or Compliance or Governance (or equivalent qualification)



FREEDOM

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- Well organised with good planning skills
- A good communicator, at peer and Board level
- Working knowledge of Microsoft packages including PPT, Excel, Outlook, and Word