

Legal Consultant on the Harmonization of Legislation

DUTY STATION: Brcko

CONTRACT TYPE: Consultancy

DURATION: Maximum 3 months

PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF POSITION:

Under the direct supervision of the Head of the Legal Section of OHR-Final Award Office, the Consultant is responsible of harmonization of entity legislation and provides a link between the legislative work on harmonization of legislation performed by the Government, Assembly and OHR.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Review and list Entity legislation for harmonization;
- Review BiH list of laws that are planed for adoption in 2005;
- Liaise with District authorities identifying areas of priority for harmonization;
- Harmonize Entity legislation in accordance with the Final Award as assigned by the Head of Legal Section; Facilitate adapting respective laws to Brcko District specifics;
- Facilitate and report on the progress of harmonization efforts made by local institutions;
- Present reports to the Head of Legal Section on harmonization issues.

PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS / QUALIFICATIONS:

- Law Degree;
- Understanding of the Final Award and the Statute of the Brcko District;
- Excellent command of English;
- Legal drafting skills;
- Solid Analytical Skills;
- Good communication skills.

Any person with the above qualifications should provide (in English) a CV with a one-page cover letter and references to the following:

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**Reference number: 2005/058 must be quoted
Closing date for applications: 31 March 2005**

**Only short-listed candidates will be contacted
No telephone inquiries please**