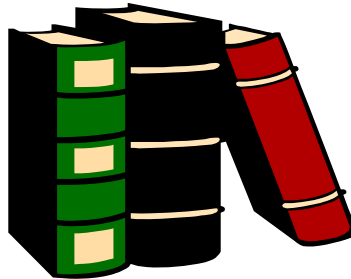




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## **Article 1**

In the Law on Federation Ministries and Other Bodies of the Federation Administration (“Official Gazette of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina”, No.19/03), in Article 4, item 13, after the word “Trade”, the words “and Tourism” shall be added.

## **Article 2**

In Article 5, paragraph 1, the words: “planning, co-coordinating, research and development, production, repair, testing, verification, control, standards, import and export of weapons and military equipment for the needs of the Federation Army” shall be replaced with the words: “verification and testing of weapons and military equipment for the needs of the Federation Army, securing and quality control of the weapons and military equipment for the needs of the Federation Army, military standardization, classification and typification for the needs of the Federation Army;”, and words: “organizing, equipping and training a courier service” shall be deleted.

## **Article 3**

In Article 6, paragraph 1 shall be amended to read:

“The Federation Ministry of Internal Affairs shall carry out administrative and other professional tasks related to: exercising competencies of the Federation in the area of internal affairs, as follows: protection of constitutional order and prevention of violent threats to that order and security of the Federation; protection of life and personal security of citizens; prevention and detection of criminal acts of terrorism, inter-cantonal crime, trafficking in narcotics and organized crime and tracking down and capturing perpetrators of these criminal acts and bringing them before the competent authorities; protecting certain persons and facilities of the Federation; criminological and technical forensic expertise; stay and movement of foreign nationals in accordance with the Law on Movement and Stay of Aliens and Asylum (“Official Gazette of Bosnia and Herzegovina”, Nos. 29/03 and 4/04); citizenship of the Federation; travel documents; personal name; register of births, marriages and deaths; fire protection; traffic, transport and storing of hazardous substances; traffic security on the roads; acquisition, keeping and carrying weapons and ammunition; organizing, arming, equipping, training and improving the skills of the police; establishing and organizing functional communication systems of this Ministry; education, vocation training and upgrading skills for the needs of law enforcement agencies; scientific and research work from within the scope of the police; providing assistance aimed at eliminating consequences in case of general danger caused by natural disasters and epidemics; agencies for the protection of persons and property; and carry out other tasks stipulated by law and establish appropriate cooperation with the cantonal

internal affairs authorities and with other police structures in Bosnia and Herzegovina in accordance with the Bosnia and Herzegovina and Federation legislation.”

#### **Article 4**

In Article 9, paragraph 1, in the fourth line, after the word “industry”, the words “except the food processing industry” shall be added, and in the tenth line, after the words “pressure facilities”, the words “and quality of liquid energy products” shall be added.

In paragraph 2, the words “ Institute of Geology” shall be replaced with the words “Federation Directorate for Military Industry”.

Paragraph 4 shall be amended to read:

“Federation Directorate for Military Industry shall carry out organizational and other tasks and related administrative tasks falling within the competencies of the Federation which are related to: planning, coordinating, research and development, manufacture, overhaul, sale, testing, verification, quality control, standardization and metrology of arms and military equipment; monitoring situation in the field of manufacture of arms and military equipment (AME); participation in drafting of laws, regulations and by-laws in this field; participation in managing the companies for AME manufacture in the territory of the Federation Bosnia and Herzegovina, regardless to a final user; participation in planning, contracting, coordination and control in the area of AME development; planning, approving, i.e. carrying out the tasks related to sale and transport of AME and semi-products and raw-materials for manufacture of AME, also in collaboration with other relevant ministries issues the appropriate documentation; organizing and supervising the system for ensuring the quality of AME manufacturers; defining the policy and regulations related to procedures and competencies in metering issues in function of specific needs of the military industry of the Federation Bosnia and Herzegovina; supervising and establishing the security and protection system and development of manufacture, marketing and overhaul of AME; organizing and realizing a scientific-technical cooperation with other countries for the issues related to sale, development, quality control, standardization and manufacture of AME.”

#### **Article 5**

In Article 10, paragraph 2, the full stop after the word “Aviation” shall be deleted, and the words “and Federal Directorate for Building, Managing and Maintaining Motorways”, shall be added.

After paragraph 3, new paragraph 4 shall be added to read:

“Federal Directorate for Building, Managing and Maintaining Motorways performs professional and other tasks under the authority of the Federation relating to the following: financial engineering; preparation, organization and managing of construction of motorways with high level of serviceability (motorway, semi-motorway and high-speed motorway); coordination and implementation of

commitments in defining and constructing the motorway corridor (Vc and other corridors); preparation of long-term and middle-term plans for development of motorways in the Federation; elaboration of project tasks for construction of motorways in the Federation; preparation of investment-technical documentation; preparation, defining and elaboration of tender documentation; preparation of conditions for construction of motorways; elaboration of plans and standards for traffic safety of motorways construction; follow up of civil works completion in accordance with dynamic plans and performing other activities related to construction of motorways which particularly refers to: preparation of project documentation (technical tests of various possibilities of route extension in available space and coordinate between Ministries, Municipalities and owners of buildings and lands, elaboration of studies and draft projects, preparation of site drawings, etc.); obtaining location permits, building permits and utilization permits for motorways with high level of serviceability and road buildings/facilities; acquisition of land and buildings; payment of indemnification and other costs connected to preparation of construction; organization of financing for construction of motorways with the high level of serviceability (contacts with international finance institutions, creation of background for preparation and award of concessions, etc); preparation of bidding documentation and award of civil works on high serviceability level motorway construction and road buildings/facilities; organization of professional technical supervision and construction control; organization of technical inspections and commissioning of high serviceability level motorways as well as parts of these motorways for use and maintenance.”

#### **Article 6**

In Article 16, paragraph 1, the words: “and protection and use of cultural and historical heritage”, shall be replaced with the words: “from the area of protection and use of cultural and historical heritage”, and in the seventh line, after the word “art”, the conjunction “and” shall be replaced with a comma, and after the word “culture”, a comma and the words “sport and youth”, shall be added, and in the eighth line, after the word “culture”, a comma and the words “determine the development strategy in the area of culture, sport and youth” shall be added.

#### **Article 7**

In Article 17, in the first line, after the word “Trade”, the words “and Tourism” shall be added, and in the sixth line, after the word “inspection”, the words “tourism and catering inspection”.

#### **Article 8**

In Article 19, paragraph 1, in seventh line, after the words “animals;” the words “food processing industry;” shall be added.

Paragraph 2 shall be amended to read:

“Federal Department for Forestry and Federal Department for Phytosanitary Protection in Agriculture shall be within the Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Water-Management and Forestry.”

## **Article 9**

In Article 23, in tenth line, after the word “needs”, the words “ownership rights and other in rem rights relations over real property; legal regime of state ownership over real property;” shall be added, and in eleventh line, after the words “real property”, the words “and rights to real property; property law affairs in relation to real property over which the Federation has the right of ownership”.

## **Article 10**

In Article 24, after item 5, new items 6, 7, 8 and 9 shall be added to read:

- “6. Federal Institute for Agropedology;
7. Federal Institute for Agriculture Sarajevo;
8. Federal Agro-Mediterranean Institute Mostar;
9. Federal Institute for Geology.”

## **Article 11**

After Article 29, new articles 29.a, 29.b, 29c and 29d shall be added to read:

### **“Article 29a**

Federal Institute for Agropedology carries out technical and other tasks falling under jurisdiction of the Federation Bosnia and Herzegovina related to mapping and surveying of agricultural land; control of agricultural soil fertility; regulation of agricultural land; monitoring of contamination levels in agricultural land with pollutants (heavy metals); definition of agricultural land areas and their rational utilization; monitoring (follow-up of status of the agricultural land and of changes on and in the soil); establishment of Land Information System (LIS) and keeping the records on agricultural land; issuing of instructions for management of agricultural land resources; granting of approvals for utilization of agricultural land as well as issuance of opinions, attests and certificates for use and utilization of agricultural land; involvement in drafting and issuing of expert opinions regarding the regulations drafted by other bodies and related primarily to the agricultural land, as well as other tasks and duties as envisaged by the Law on Agricultural Land („Official Gazette of the Federation Bosnia and Herzegovina“, No. 2/98) related to the expert technical institutions in the agricultural sector.

### **Article 29b**

Federal Institute for Agriculture Sarajevo carries out technical and other tasks falling under jurisdiction of the Federation Bosnia and Herzegovina related to organization of the reporting and forecasting services in phytosanitary protection; breeding and selection operations in livestock breeding; certification of seed and seedling material of agricultural plants; testing of alimentary articles; control of quantity and quality of the agricultural products and their processed products, mineral fertilizers and plant protection agents; operations from area of continental fruit growing, tobacco production; education of farmers and care of land as basic natural resource in the area

of the continental climate region, as well as other plant and livestock productions that are characteristic for this region.

#### Article 29c

Federal Agro-Mediterranean Institute Mostar carries out technical and other tasks falling under jurisdiction of the Federation Bosnia and Herzegovina related to organization of the reporting and forecasting services in phytosanitary protection; breeding and selection operations in livestock breeding; certification of seed and seedling material of agricultural plants; testing of alimentary articles; control of quantity and quality of the agricultural products and their processed products, mineral fertilizers and plant protection agents; operations from area of wine growing and wine production, tobacco production, Mediterranean fruit growing; education of farmers and care of land as basic natural resource in the area of the Mediterranean climate region, as well as other plant and livestock productions that are characteristic for this region.

#### Article 29d

Federal Institute for Geology carries out technical-analytical and other tasks from the area of fundamental and regional geological researches of interest for the Federation Bosnia and Herzegovina related to making of basic geological, hydro-geological, engineer-geological, seismic-tectonic and other geological maps and carries out preparations for their printing; carries out scientific determination of frequency of concentration and distribution of natural mineral resources in Earth's crust; preparation of the geological base for physical planning, base for carrying out of construction, mining and other activities, base for development of forestry, agriculture, water supply, and development of urbanization and infrastructure facilities; carries out the making of the Federation program of mineral resources management; establishes contacts with international geological institutes by way of exchange of empirical data on geological composition and structure of the Earth's crust, prepares and organizes joint research projects, prepares the data for the international geological information system; determines and proposes to the Federation Government the strategic mineral resources with the proposition of measures for their utilization and proposes the policy of geological researches in the territory of the Federation; carries out the making of method instructions, standards and normative provisions in the area of geological researches; forms and manages the collection of professional documentation on geological researches in the territory of the Federation; creates and develops common geological information system and provides information and data within the framework of general geo-information system to the users of the results of geological researches.”

#### Article 12

In Article 30, paragraph 2, after the word “ministries”, the words “and institutions” shall be added, and in indent 1, after the word “Trade”, comma shall be deleted and the words “and Tourism,” shall be added.

Indent 5 shall be amended to read:

“- Federal Ministry of Development, Entrepreneurship and Crafts”.

After indent 5, new indent 6 shall be added to read:

“- Federal Agro-Mediterranean Institute Mostar”.

### **Article 13**

This Law shall enter into force on the eighth day following the day of publication of this Law in the “Official Gazette of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina”.