

Department for Legal Affairs



LAW ON AMENDMENTS TO THE LAW ON THE PUBLIC BROADCASTING SYSTEM OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

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NOTE: The Law on the Public Broadcasting Service of Bosnia and Herzegovina was published in the "Official Gazette of Bosnia and Herzegovina", 78/05.

Pursuant to Article IV 4 a) of the Constitution of Bosnia and Herzegovina, the Parliamentary Assembly of Bosnia and Herzegovina, on the 50th session of the House of Representatives held on April 1, 2009 and on the 28th session of the House of Peoples held on April 27, 2009, adopted

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Article 1 (Subject)

In the Law on the Public Broadcasting System of Bosnia and Herzegovina ("Official Gazette of Bosnia and Herzegovina", No. 78/05), after Article 17, new Article 17a shall be added to read:

"Article 17a (Exemption from obligation to pay RTV Tax for blind and deaf persons)

- (1) Owners of the receivers who have permanently lost their sight or hearing, or live alone in a household or with a custodian, shall be exempted from obligation to pay the RTV Tax referred to in Article 17, paragraph (1) of this Law.
- (2) The right to exemption from obligation to pay the RTV Tax referred to in Article 17, paragraph (1) of this Law shall be exercised on the grounds of a certificate from the institution in charge for affairs of pension and disability insurance.
- (3) The Council of Ministers of BiH shall be bound to secure in the Budget of the Institutions of BiH funds in the amount of reduced revenues of the Public Broadcasting System of Bosnia and Herzegovina that have arose due to exemption of payment the RTV Tax for the owners of the receivers referred to in paragraph (1) of this Article. The funds for compensation of revenues to the Public Broadcasting System of Bosnia and Herzegovina shall be paid in the single account in accordance with Article 23, paragraph 91) of this Law."

Article 2 (Entry into force and promulgation)

This Law shall enter into force on the eighth day from the day of its publishing in the "Official Gazette of Bosnia and Herzegovina", and shall also be published in the official gazettes of the entities.