

PROFESSIONALS FOR REFORM SUPPORT MECHANISM

HUMAN RESOURCE SUPPORT FOR CRITICAL REFORM INITIATIVES

TERMS OF REFERENCE

SENIOR EXPERT ON THE HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND CAPACITY BUILDING FOR THE SECRETARIAT OF THE CABINET OF MINISTERS OF UKRAINE

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Background

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- Provides financial **reports** for donors
- Monitors initiatives for results.

Reform Initiative

Reform of the Secretariat of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (SCMU) is one of the key reforms of the GoU Action Plan for 2017. This reform is part of the public administration reform (PAR) and stands on the same priority level as the civil service and the central executive bodies' reforms.

The current speed and quality of reforms at the SCMU are way bellow society and Ministry's expectations. At the same time, actual changes have not occurred yet due to the lack of strong coordination of the reform process at the SCMU level and absence of qualified staff with required experience and skills.

Acknowledging these issues, support of an experienced Senior Expert on the SCMU restructuring and HRM capacity building at the SCMU is crucial.

Objective of the Reform Initiative

Development of HRM function and capacity building of SCMU, within comprehensive optimization of the organizational structure and core business processes (operational model) of the Secretariat of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (SCMU) with the aim to re-launch it as a center of government.

Position Summary:

HRM Senior Expert will be responsible for developing recommendations and provide input for draft regulations necessary to build modern and strong HRM function within SCMU and to streamline the capacity building of SCMU in line with optimization of the organizational structure and core business processes (operational model) of the SCMU.

Preferred Qualifications and Skills:

- Education: HRM, psychology, economy, business administration;
- 10 years plus of the total work experience, 3+ years of experience in HR as a consultant or manager with a proven track record of implemented transformations and projects;
- Deep understanding of the HRM area and organizational transformation;
- Proven experience with project and change management, analytical skills;
- Be able to develop and implement internal regulations and understand government bureaucracy dynamics;
- Experience with high-level negotiations, strong communication and presentation skills;
- Impeccable ethical standards, outstanding leadership skills;
- Native Ukrainian with working level of English.

Indicative duties and responsibilities:

- Development of the SCMU HRM function, vision and mission.
- Contribution to the new organizational structure of the SCMU.
- Development of organization and functional structure of HRM function in SCMU.
- Development of key business processes of HR management, including but not limited to active recruitment, personnel development, performance evaluation, remuneration system.
- Develop a model of competences and positions profiles for SCMU and a methodology of assessing them.
- Input for developing the necessary regulation changes to optimize the HRM procedures
- Development of the KPIs for the HRM personnel and the monitoring and performance evaluation system of such KPIs.
- Develop the transformation plan from the current state to the targeted model of HRM function
- Support with the capacity building of SCMU, including but not limited to talent acquisition, professional development, etc.

Contract Duration and Timing:

The total duration of the consultancy is expected to be 3 months with possible extension. The expert will report to the Deputy State Secretary of CMU. The workplace will be in the premises of the Secretariat of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine in Kyiv.

Support Mechanism

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To apply:

Submissions must be prepared in English and delivered electronically by 17:00 Kyiv time on March 09, 2017 to the following address: prsm@fsr.org.ua. We do not welcome unsolicited phone calls.

All submissions must include:

- 1) Applicant's CV (in English);
- 2) Applicant brief letter of interest indicated related experience and achievements.

Please ensure to state **HRM Senior Expert for SCMU** in the e-mail subject line.

Applications received after the indicated deadline or without letter of interest will not be reviewed and considered.

Shortlisted candidates will be contacted after March 09, 2017