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CLOSING DATE: 12/09/2022

# EXAMINATION ANNOUNCEMENT



Office of Personnel Administration  
FSM National Government

It is the policy of the FSM National Government that qualified FSM citizens are given first priority for employment consideration; with other Micronesians and U.S. citizens in positions for which no qualified FSM citizens are available.

**POSITION AND SALARY:**

Staff Attorney I	Staff Attorney IV
PL-34/1 + 90% w/professional premium	PL-42/1 + 90% w/professional premium
\$ 537.45 B/W + \$483.71 = \$1,021.16 B/W	\$812.13 B/W + \$730.91 = \$1,543.04 B/W
<b>Or</b>	
PL-34/4 + 150% w/professional premium	PL-42/3 + 150% w/professional premium
\$625.65 B/W + \$938.48 = \$1,564.13 B/W	\$903.69 B/W + \$1,355.53 = \$2,259.22 B/W

This is the minimum rate at step one of the grades. Higher rates maybe authorized in the cases of hard-to-fill positions where it is appropriate to the qualifications of the appointee.

**LOCATION:**

Department of Justice  
FSM National Government  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

**DUTIES (ILLUSTRATIVE ONLY):**

Senior attorney law legal work; include civil and criminal litigation, research and write on complex legal and constitutional issues; prepares formal and informal Attorney opinions; provides legal counsel to Department and Offices Heads of the Executive Branch; drafts proposed bills and resolutions; testifies at congressional hearings; reviews passed legislation's for constitutional and legal sufficiency; provides technical assistance to and coordinates to the work of lower level attorneys and para-legal personnel; performs other duties as assigned.

**QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

**Level I** – Admission to the FSM Bar plus eight (8) years of work experience or attainment of an earn degree (BA) in law from accredited school plus admission either to the FSM Bar or practice law in any jurisdiction.

**Level II** – Admission of an earned degree in law (BA) plus four (4) years of work experience plus admission either to the FSM Bar or practice law in any jurisdiction or attainment of earned degree in Law (MA plus) admission to the FSM Bar practice in any jurisdiction.

**Level III** – Admission of an earned degree in law (MA) plus four (4) years of work experience plus admission either to the FSM Bar or practice law in any jurisdiction or graduated from an accredited school of law (JD) plus admission either to the FSM Bar or practice in any jurisdiction.

**Level IV** – Graduated from an accredited school of law (JD) plus four (4) years of work experience plus admission either to the FSM Bar or practice law in any jurisdiction.

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