



**Food and Agriculture Organization  
of the United Nations**

## **CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**

### **Legal Researcher**

Contract duration: 220 days (spread over 10 months)

Vacancy No. IRC3659

Deadline for Applications: 21 October 2016

Duty station: Manila, Philippines

#### **Tasks and responsibilities:**

Under the overall supervision of the FAO Representative in the Philippines, the direct supervision of the Asst. FAO Representative (Programme), technical supervision of the Lead Technical Officer, guidance of the National Project Coordinator, and in close collaboration with the FAOPH Programme Unit, the Legal Researcher will provide inputs to the project on a short term basis and contribute to the facilitation of project activities.

Specific duties are as follows:

1. Selection of a pilot area for assessment of ADR approaches.
  - Conduct research and studies.
  
2. Review effectiveness, efficiency of ADR implementation arrangement on A&D land dispute and conflicts.
  - Review existing laws, policies, rules and regulations on ADR particularly the extent of DENR's ADR implementation vis-à-vis LGU barangay level's ADR processes on land disputes.
  - Determine effectiveness and efficiency of ADR implementation in reducing the number of land cases elevated to DENR.
  
3. Develop a training manual on ADR on land cases to be used by local leaders.
  - Help in the preparation of Training Manual.
  
4. Support the ADR policy guidelines implementation for speedy settlement of land disputes.

#### **Candidates should meet the following requirements:**

##### **National of the Country of Assignment**

**Education:** Bachelor of Arts in Legal Management, Political Science or any related field.

**Working Experience and Knowledge:** Fresh graduates are welcome to apply, but applicants with at least 1 year experience is preferred.

**Language:** Working knowledge (Level C) of English

## **Additional Information**

FAO seeks gender, geographical and linguistic diversity in its staff and international consultants in order to best serve FAO Members in all regions.

All candidates should adhere to FAO values of Commitment to FAO, Respect for All and Integrity and Transparency.

## **How to apply**

All applications are to be made through FAO's [\*\*iRecruitment\*\*](#) system. Click on the link below to access [\*\*iRecruitment\*\*](#), complete your online profile and apply for this Call for Expression of Interest.

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