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Attorney Advisor

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Office of the Secretary

Open & closing dates

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Service

Excepted

Pay scale & grade

GS 11 - 12

Salary

\$72,030 to \$112,240 per year

Appointment type

Permanent - Excepted Service Full-time Appointment

Work schedule

Full-time

Location

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1 vacancy in the following location:

📍 Washington, DC

1 vacancy

Relocation expenses reimbursed

No

Telework eligible

Yes as determined by agency policy

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This job is open to



Federal employees - Excepted service

Current excepted service federal employees.



The public

U.S. citizens, nationals or those who owe allegiance to the U.S.

Clarification from the agency

Applications will be accepted from all U.S. Citizens.

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Duties

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Summary

The U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC) Office of the General Counsel is seeking an attorney to join the Office of the Chief Counsel for International Commerce (OCCIC) team. The office provides legal support to the International Trade Administration (ITA) on international trade and investment issues including export and investment promotion, investment, and anticorruption.

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Responsibilities

The Attorney(s) will be hired at the GS-11 or GS-12 grade levels, depending on experience. The promotion potential for this position is **GS-15** level.

As an Attorney Advisor in OCCIC, you will serve as a legal advisor to the International Trade Administration (ITA) concerning the interpretation and application of U.S. international trade law and international trade and investment agreements, performing the following duties within assigned subject areas:

Supporting ITA in working with other U.S. Government agencies on trade and investment policy, trade negotiations, monitoring compliance by foreign trading partners, and compliance and enforcement actions.

Advising on matters relating to export and investment promotion.

Analyzing U.S. law; U.S. trade and investment agreements; and foreign trade agreements, laws, regulations, and policies.

Coordinating with other Department and U.S. Government agencies legal offices.

Performing duties on a variety of legal issues which will vary in legal and factual complexity, often of a novel nature and with limited if any applicable precedents.

Carrying out duties with varying degrees of preliminary instruction and review, depending on the grade level at which hired and the nature of the assignment, often independently conducting the research, planning the approach, and developing the recommendation or representing the Office at a meeting.

Working on matters that can have the effect of substantially broadening or restricting the activities of ITA and Commerce or have an important impact on a major U.S. industry or industries whose economic position affects the health and stability of the general economy.

Analyzing legal issues which are often complex and novel and develops a strategy to deal with those issues, which often must be addressed within short deadlines.

Reviewing documents prepared by ITA for legal issues.

Travel Required

Occasional travel - Travel may be required within or outside of the local commuting area.

Supervisory status

No

Promotion Potential

15

Job family (Series)

0905 Attorney

Requirements

Required Documents

Benefits

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