



The ICPDR is mandated to implement the Danube River Protection Convention (DRPC) and is the basin-wide coordination platform for the implementation of the EU Water Framework Directive and the EU Floods Directive.

ICPDR searches for an

Executive Secretary

with excellent managerial and diplomatic skills who is responsible for the overall planning and implementation of work programmes and decisions of the ICPDR. He or she is both an administrator and technically competent on issues related to water management. The ES will coordinate work of the Secretariat related to the requirements of the DRPC and on the implementation of the EU Water Framework Directive and EU Floods Directive and other tasks associated with river basin management in the ICPDR.

Preferably 10-15 years of experience from a senior or managerial position in a national or international organization in water or environmental management; Diploma courses or university grad in public administration, economy or international law, degree in environmental/natural sciences would be an asset and fluency in English and another Danube language, preferably German and good communication skills are essential for this position. Knowledge of the EU legislation and relevant international conventions and experience working with international teams beneficial.

The position will be open by 1 August 2012 in the ICPDR Secretariat at the Vienna International Centre. Nationals of Austria, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Moldova, Montenegro, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Ukraine and other EU member states are welcome to compete for this position.

Deadline for application: October 20, 2011 at 18:00

The application should include a motivation letter and a CV. Detailed Terms of Reference for this position can be obtained from the ICPDR website: <http://www.icpdr.org> or contact the ICPDR Secretariat for further information: VIC-D0412, POB 500, A-1400 Vienna. Phone: +43-1-26060-5738; Fax: +43-1-26060-5895; e-mail: icpdr@unvienna.org