It is the policy of the FSM Government that qualified FSM citizens be 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:**

State Justice Ombudsman  
PL-34/1  
$511.86 B/W + $40.00 Cola ($551.86 B/W)

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

**LOCATION:**

FSM Supreme Court  
P.O. Box PS-J  
FSM National Government  
Palikir, Pohnpei FM 96941

**DUTIES: (ILLUSTRATIVE ONLY)**

Carry out traditional ombudsman activities for the Supreme Court of the Federated States of Micronesia in the State; serve as liaison between the Court and the community, including traditional and governmental leaders; to develop more effective and appropriate methods of resolving disputes, including alternatives to Courts; work as clerk of the Supreme Court of the Federated States of Micronesia in the State; provide pre-sentence reports on convicted offenders; interview and counsel offenders; assist the Court in working with persons qualified to serve as assessors under section 12 of the National Judiciary Act, 4 FSM Code 113; provide information to the public concerning the vernacular and vice versa; administer oaths, provide translation during court proceedings, and may act as a public notary; assist in the maintenance preservation and acquisition of library materials; counsel delinquent juveniles to determine and recommend rehabilitative measures; work with parents and the community to make them aware and responsive to juvenile problems; performs other duties as assigned.

**QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

Bachelor degree in any social science subjects with at least three years of work experience in office management or counseling. Work experience in court, public safety, youth program and other related areas may substitute year for year for the required education. Must have good command of English and at least one of the local languages in FS, including a local language commonly used in the state where the person is to serve.

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