



Job Posting

General Counsel/Director of Strategy Implementation

The Rhode Island Commerce Corporation (Commerce RI) seeks an experienced professional to assume the role of general counsel/director of strategy implementation. This position is key to the implementation of the governor's and the secretary of commerce's focus on growing economic opportunities in Rhode Island. Located within Commerce RI, this role will help guide the deployment of resources toward focus on attracting new businesses to Rhode Island and supporting existing enterprises by helping to execute on initiatives in new funding, grants, credits and expedited regulatory processes.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

The general counsel/director of strategy implementation will work closely with the chief operating officer of Commerce RI to execute the governor's and the secretary of commerce's visions, plans and programs to grow the Rhode Island economy. The director will work with key parties in the business, financial and governmental sectors to support and grow existing businesses and to attract new business to the state. This role includes oversight and strategy on designing and executing transactions and the engagement and oversight of outside resources such as consultants and counsel.

The director will also collaborate with leaders and team members within Commerce RI with a view toward coordinating resources and services.

Job Requirements:

A juris doctor degree from an accredited institution, a minimum of 10 years' experience in a combination of business and the practice of business law, and excellent verbal and written communication skills. The ability to travel to meetings inside and outside of the state is mandatory, as well as having an excellent work ethic, efficiency and a sense of urgency.

Posting will remain open until Monday, May 4, 2015. Please submit a cover letter with salary requirements and a professional resume, preferably via e-mail, to:

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