

# TRISTAN DA CUNHA



## POSITION VACANT - EXTERNAL COUNSEL FOR TRISTAN DA CUNHA.

The world's most remote inhabited island is seeking a Barrister to be our Australian pro-bono External Counsel on an ad-hoc basis. Tristan Da Cunha is a UK overseas territory with legal services being provided by the St Helena Attorney-Generals Office and the British Foreign Office which together maintain responsibility for overall legal matters particularly for Criminal, Human Rights and International Law.

It is anticipated External Counsels work would not be more than 20-50 hours of legal work yearly ranging from policy discussions, contract reviews etc through to simple requests for advice. The successful candidate will ideally be a Barrister with:

- i) At least Seven years of experience in commercial law;
- ii) Experienced in or understanding of maritime, environmental, administrative and other Areas of practice a benefit looked upon favourably;
- iii) Good Character, Vetted and in good standing with the Bar Council;
- iv) Committed to assisting with the development of Tristan Da Cunha;
- v) Good drafting, report writing and problem solving skills, a lateral thinker when required;
- vii) An understanding or interest in Tristan's unique culture and People.

Please note the position is pro-bono. The successful candidate will be appointed as our volunteer Australian External Counsel by letter on behalf of the Tristan Da Cunha Government. Interviews to commence in April. Applications to include resume, cover letter and two references by 27th March by email ([commercialofficer@tdc-gov.com](mailto:commercialofficer@tdc-gov.com)) to:

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