



Terms of reference (ToR) Lawyer

1. General Information

Justice without Frontiers (JWF), a dynamic active local non-governmental juristic organization founded in Beirut in 2005, is deeply committed to championing human rights, justice, democracy, peace, and the rule of law. Over the last decade, JWF's impactful work has addressed crucial initiatives, from addressing Sexual and Gender-Based Violence (S/GBV) to empowering women's access to justice, advocating for marginalized individuals, combating human trafficking, and more.

2. Brief Information of the Project

Empowering women and strengthening the resilience of vulnerable rural and urban communities in South Lebanon and Beirut is a three-year program implemented by a consortium of 3 NGOs, Justice without Frontiers, SHEILD, and JAFRA, led by Welthungerhilfe (WHH) and funded by the German Feder Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ). This program aims to strengthen women's livelihoods and increase the resilience of vulnerable communities engaged in smallholder and subsistence agriculture. Justice without Frontiers' role in this program is to ensure that gender equality is mainstreamed into all project activities, provide tailored training for women in leadership skills and business development, provide legal support, and conduct gender analysis.



3. Request:

JWF is seeking a Lawyer to prepare comprehensive legal booklets and provide legal guidance for beneficiaries in South Lebanon and Palestinian camps.

4. Context

The role of the lawyer is creating detailed legal resources that cover relevant laws, regulations, and rights, tailored to the specific needs of vulnerable populations in the area. These booklets aim to educate individuals on their rights, and available legal resources. Additionally, the lawyer will be responsible for offering legal advice to targeted people.

5. Target Group of the program:

The target group of the program is Lebanese, Syrian refugees, and Palestinians including (1) **smallholder farmers** in the Lebanese community, while in the Palestinian camps, it targets **homeowners** with space to plant roof gardens, **vulnerable women** involved in food processing, and **vulnerable households** who can benefit from food parcel distribution. (2) **women-owned MSMEs, women-led cooperatives**, and **start-ups** that are also women-owned. (3) members of the **Lebanese host communities** and **Syrian refugees** to ensure the success of the social stability interventions.

6. Time Schedule

In terms of reference for lawyer, the schedule is structured per session for the preparation of legal booklets.

7. Scope of work and deliverables

The Lawyer is expected to provide the following deliverables:

- Research the relevant laws, regulations, and rights applicable in agriculture to beneficiaries in South Lebanon and Palestinian camps.
- Develop comprehensive legal booklets that are tailored to the specific needs of the beneficiaries and are presented in a clear and easy-to-understand format.
- Provide legal guidance and support to beneficiaries: Answering legal questions, clarifying rights and responsibilities, and assisting with legal processes.

8. Skills and Experience required:

- A degree in law
- Experience working with vulnerable populations.
- Knowledge of Lebanese laws related to human rights, and refugees.
- Strong communication skills with the ability to work effectively in a multicultural environment.
- Strong research and analytical skills.
- Experience working with NGOs or international organizations in the field of community development.
- Knowledge of gender, protection, and human rights principles.
- Knowledge and experience in the field of women's rights and gender equality.
- Fluency in Arabic and English, with excellent written and spoken skills in both languages.