

# Job Opportunity

<b>Job Title:</b>	General Counsel (OSE #64956)
<b>Closing Date/Time:</b>	Fri. 12/20/13 5:00 PM Mountain Time
<b>Salary:</b>	\$45.00 - \$53.00 Hourly \$93,600.00- \$110,240.00 Annually
<b>Job Type:</b>	Governor Exempt Position
<b>Location:</b>	Santa Fe (City), New Mexico
<b>Department:</b>	Office of the State Engineer

## **Purpose of Position**

This position is located in the Office of the State Engineer, Litigation and Adjudication Program (LAP), where the successful applicant will perform the highest level legal services as the General Counsel for the agency and LAP Program Director.

This position will serve as legal counsel and advisor to the State Engineer and represent the State Engineer and agency in judicial proceedings. The position infers a level of responsibility and authority, including senior leadership, executive and management, and dispute resolution roles. The OSE General Counsel makes recommendations, sets and promotes legal vision and values, internally and externally and supervises OSE legal staff through the deputy counsel, managing attorney, and water rights adjudication bureau chiefs.

## **Statutory Requirements:**

Candidate must possess a Juris Doctorate Degree from an accredited school of law and licensed as an attorney by the Supreme Court of New Mexico or qualified to apply for limited practice license, which requires graduation from an accredited school of law, licensure (in good standing) in another state and sitting for the next eligible State Bar exam.

Work is performed in an office setting with exposure to Visual/Video Display Terminal (VDT). This position will require travel and/or may require work at alternate work sites.

Submit a letter of interest with resume to [annettek.wilder@state.nm.us](mailto:annettek.wilder@state.nm.us) or mail to P.O. Box 25102, Santa Fe, NM 87504-5102. For additional information, please contact Annette Wilder at 505-827-6183.

**Applications must be received or postmarked by December 20, 2013.**