

# EUROPEAN EXTERNAL ACTION SERVICE



CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER

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To the Ambassadors,  
Permanent Representatives of the  
Member States  
to the European Union

**Subject: Selection of a co-financed Seconded National Expert in the European External Action Service (EEAS) – pursuant to the Decision governing SNEs to the EEAS of 23.03.2011<sup>1</sup>**  
**- Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD)**  
**- Strategic Planner (post n° 167588)**

Your Excellencies,

The EEAS needs a specialised national expert in the Integrated Strategic Planning Division of Crisis Management and Planning Directorate (CMPD) for the post of Strategic Planner.

The job description is annexed hereto. The expert should take up his/her duties on 16 July 2013 ideally, for a two-year period, with the possibility of a two-year extension.

The conditions of secondment are set out in the Decision of the High Representative of 23 March 2011, and more particularly in its article 16. According to this Decision, the national expert has to be a national of an EU Member State.

Member States are hereby invited to propose qualified candidates for this post. Selection panel will be set up within the EEAS to carry out the selection process. They will evaluate the candidates and establish a reserve list in order of merit.

The EEAS may also decide to use the reserve list established by the panel to cover possible future vacancies of the same profile. Only the selected candidate and his/her authorities will be informed of the decision.

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<sup>1</sup> JO C12 of 14.01.2012

We would like to invite you to draw the attention of the various relevant Authorities and services in respect of the treatment of personal data and inform them that the EEAS on its side implements data protection rules according to Council Regulation (EC) n° 45/2001. Consequently possible applicants should be informed that their CV will be circulated to EEAS services which are involved in the selection and management of their possible secondment.

We should be grateful if you would give details of the national contact point in every candidate's submission. The submission should also include an European *curriculum vitae* detailing all posts held up to the present.

Replies to this letter should be sent by e-mail, no later than 28 February 2013, to [EEAS-MDR-C3-SNE-HQ-CMPD-CPCC-EUMS-INTCEN@eeas.europa.eu](mailto:EEAS-MDR-C3-SNE-HQ-CMPD-CPCC-EUMS-INTCEN@eeas.europa.eu).

Yours faithfully,



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Annex:  
- Job description for the SNE post.