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### PROGRAM OF 3rd INTERNATIONAL ANNUAL CONFERENCE BEST LEGAL

**Sunday, 25 September**

00.00-18.00 Arrival of participants and guests of honor, free time.

The Organisers will meet participants at Larnaca and Paphos airports. Free transport will be provided to the hotels in Limassol.

20:00 **Welcome Reception** hosted by the Cyprus Investment Promotion Agency (CIPA). Address by *Mr. Christodoulos Angastiniotis,* President of CIPA and *Mrs. Natalia Kardash,* President of Best Legal Conference Organising Committee.

**Monday, 26 September**

08:15 – 08:45 **Registration / Morning Coffee.** Four Seasons Hotel Ballroom.

08.45 –09.00 **Morning introductions and networking discussions.**

09:00 – 09:15 **Official Opening Ceremony.** **Official Guests’ Welcome Addresses.**

09:15 – 10:30 **Plenary Session 1.**

10:30 – 11:00 **Networking coffee/tea break.**

11:00 – 12:30 **Panel discussions.**

12:30 – 12:45 **Networking break for informal exchange of opinions.**

12.45 – 14.00 **Plenary Session. Panel Discussion with VIP guests.**

**Topics of the Conference include:**

1. 2015-2016 **Cyprus tax changes** (notional interest deduction, non-domiciled exemption for SDC, income tax exemptions for new taxpayers etc);
2. Regulatory and **information exchange** issues and security of investments. The measures that have been introduced in Cyprus and EU and what changes are due in 2017 and 2018.
3. **Protection of personal data.** Changes after “Panama papers” case.
4. Legal methods of **protecting the interests** of investors in Cyprus and European Union. Private wealth planning and legal protection strategies.
5. **Litigation in Europe:** Procedures, remedies, best practice and trends. Practical examples of the interplay between EU and national law will be provided, with a specific case study on the case of a "haircut" of deposits submitted by Cypriot lawyers in European courts.
6. **Regulatory sphere** in Cyprus. The positive changes and problematic issues.
7. **International PR** and promotion of a legal office. Creation of a **marketing plan** for promoting legal services in foreign markets.

14:00 – 15:00 **Networking Lunch in the Four Seasons Hotel**

15:00 – 16:30 **Plenary Session** «**Regulations of investment immigration industry. Educational session for practitioners»**. Speakers from International Migration Council.

17:00 – 19:30 **Seminar “De-offshorisation in Russia and its influence to Cyprus and European Union”.** Latest news, decisions, regulations and laws presented by Russian experts.

# Tuesday, 27 September

09:00-13.30 **Business trip to Nicosia for foreign guests.** Visit to the Parliament of Cyprus. Visit to the Presidential Palace.

16.00-19.00 Seminar on marketing of a legal firm

(Optional. Free for conference participants, 65 euro for others)

#### New methods of online promotion of legal services in foreign markets

1. Creation of a marketing plan for promoting legal service in foreign markets.
2. How to direct potential customers that are looking for legal services to your website.
3. What are the keywords that potential customers use when they search for legal services in Cyprus.
4. How to attract potential customers from Google search.
5. How the law offices in Cyprus and abroad can turn their websites into sales generator.
6. How you can promote your services for free in other countries.
7. The correct use of Facebook for Law offices. Creation of a professional Facebook page for law offices.
8. The correct use of LinkedIn for lawyers. Creation of a professional LinkedIn profile for lawyers.
9. The correct use of Google+ for Lawyers. Creation of a professional Google+ page.

**Wednesday, 28 September**

Departure day. Free group transfers to Larnaca and Paphos airports.

Organisers: SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS Magazine

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