**FROM: PAUL MCKINNEY Ref: I/C 52/19**

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**TO: INTERCHANGE PARTNERS**

# Secondment Opportunity with

**NI PUBLIC SERVICE OMBUDSMAN (NIPSO)**

**COMPLAINTS STANDARDS PROJECT OFFICER**

1. I have attached an Interchange Hosting Proforma outlining the details of the above opportunity and ask that you consider bringing it to the attention of staff in your organisation who would be eligible to apply. It is also available on the Interchange Website.

Eligibility

1. The opportunity is aimed at individuals at middle management level who have the relevant skills and experience to undertake the duties outlined.

Salary

1. NIPSO will meet salary costs and associated expenses and the salary scale is £37,272 to £40,979.

Duration

1. It is anticipated that this opportunity will last until 31 March 2020, with the possibility of an extension subject to funding and the agreement of all parties. The secondment will begin as soon as suitable candidate has been identified and a release date agreed.

Location

1. The successful candidate will be at Progressive House, 33 Wellington Place, Belfast BT1 6HN.

Authorisation

1. All applications **MUST** be accompanied by authorisation from both your Line Manager **and** Interchange Manager, and confirmation that your parent organisation is willing to release you if successful.

How to apply (process for **non**-NI Civil Service organisations)

1. Interested staff should complete a candidate proforma, available at [www.interchangeni.org.uk](http://www.interchangeni.org.uk) and return it to the Interchange Secretariat at: [interchangesecretariat@finance-ni.gov.uk](mailto:interchangesecretariat@finance-ni.gov.uk) by **5.00pm on Monday 09 September 2019;** otherwise I will assume a nil return.
2. Candidates should demonstrate in the proforma how they meet the requirements for the post. This information may be used for shortlisting purposes.

GDPR

1. Your information will be held and managed in accordance with the Data Protection Act/GDPR policies and procedures, including those relating to retention and disposal will be applied; the information will be used only for the purposes of this secondment, and will only be shared with any relevant third parties only with the explicit permission and assurance of NICSHR.

Further information

1. If you require any further information about the post, please contact Andrew Ruston by email at: [Andrew.ruston@nipso.org.uk](mailto:Andrew.ruston@nipso.org.uk).

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