Law on Dual Education in Serbia

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Structure of the Law on Dual Education

10 chapters with 41 Articles

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• „Dual education” is a vocational secondary education system delivery model, in which competencies envisaged in the curriculum are acquired, enhanced and developed through theoretical classes and practical education at school, and work-based learning at an employer.

• „Work-based Learning” is an organised process in which students acquire the competencies for performing a specific occupation or a group of occupations, under the guidance and supervision of instructors and coordinator of work-based learning, in the real working environment at an employer.
Implementation of Dual education

• Work-based learning shall account for at least 20%, but no more than 80% of the total number of vocational subjects classes, in compliance with the relevant curriculum.

• Work-based learning shall be organised during the school year in keeping with the school calendar, between 8am and 8pm, with a maximum duration of six hours per day, or 30 hours per week, in compliance with the curriculum.

• The school shall be responsible for the realization of the whole curriculum

• Student enrolment shall be determined in accordance with the needs of economy
• To be eligible for the delivery of work-based learning, employers have to meet specific requirements

• The procedure for verifying the fulfilment of the requirements, issuing the Certificates and maintaining of the public register of employers to which the Certificates has been issued and whose Certificates have been revoked, shall be conducted by the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia
In Dual Education are envisaged two forms of contracts:

- Contract between school and company
- Contract between student/parent and company

All the details such as form, contents, conclusion of the contracts, termination, consequences are prescribed by the Law.

Register of the Contract maintain the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia as delegated tasks by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development.

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An instructor shall be a person who:

- is employed with the employer, or conducts economic activity in a self-employed capacity;
- has at least three years’ work experience in the relevant occupation or group of occupations in which the student is receiving training in dual education;
- has at least the same education attainment level as the qualification profile pursued by the student;
- has completed instructor training and holds a certificate of having passed the instructor licence examination.
Dual Education in Serbia

• IN-KIND AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO STUDENTS

• SUPERVISION

• PENALTY PROVISIONS

• TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS

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