PROPOSED LAW
on Amending and Revising
the Law on Movement and Residence of Foreigners

Article 1
In the Law on Movement and Residence of Foreigners (Official Gazette of the Republic of Macedonia no.s 36/92, 36/92 correction and 26/93) in Article 13, after paragraph 2 two new paragraphs are added and read:

“Business visa for inter-corporative transfers shall be issued with validity of 3 years and may be extended, upon request, for not more than two years. Under this Article, inter-corporative transfers shall be understood to mean temporary transfers of foreigners for the purpose of providing services through commercial presence on the territory of the Republic of Macedonia, having leading management or executive functions or having high or deficient qualifications or education necessary for the functioning of the trade company in the Republic of Macedonia.

Business visa shall be issued to business visitors with validity of 90 days. Under this Article, business visitors shall be understood to mean foreigners temporarily residing in the Republic of Macedonia for the purpose of concluding contracts for provision of services on behalf of the trade company, sited outside the territory of the Republic of Macedonia, that employs them or authorises them or for the purpose of participating at business meetings, fairs and similar events. During their stay in the Republic of Macedonia, business visitors may not provide services directly to the public or provide services independently.”

Article 2
This Law shall enter into force on the day of its publication in the “Official Gazette of the Republic of Macedonia”.