Article 32 (Long-term stay visa – Visa D)

- (1) A long-term stay visa (Visa D) shall enable an alien to enter and stay in BiH within the period of up to six months within one year, commencing from the date of the first entry. A long-term visa shall be issued for a single or multiple entries into BiH.
- (2) A long-term stay visa shall be issued exceptionally in such situations where for the purposes of stay in BiH a period of more than 90 days is required within the period of six (6) months.
- (3) A long-term stay visa shall be issued for a validity period not exceeding one year.
- (4) Exceptionally, a long-term stay visa may be issued for a period of longer than one year if this is in the interest of BiH, which shall be decided by the MoFA BiH upon the approval of the Service.
- (5) The issuance of a long-term visa shall require the prior consent of the Service.
- (6) Upon the request for issue of a long-term visa, a Diplomatic and Consular Representation of BiH (hereinafter referred to as: DCR) shall collect all required documentation and forward it to the Service in order for it to give or deny its consent referred to in paragraph (5) of this Article.
- Once it has obtained the consent from the Service, the MoFA shall, by its by-law, further stipulate the situations in which a long-term stay visa (Visa D) may be issued and the procedure for issue of such visas.