



**REPUBLIC OF ALBANIA
COUNCIL OF MINISTERS**

DECISION

No. 691, date 21.11.2018

ON

**THE DRAFT LAW PROPOSAL “ON SOME AMENDMENTS AND
ADDITIONS TO LAW NO.139/2015, “ON LOCAL SELF-
GOVERNMENT”**

Pursuant to Articles 81, 1 and 100 of the Constitution, upon the proposal of the Minister of State for Diaspora, the Council of Ministers

DECIDED:

The proposal of the draft law "On some amendments and additions to law no.139 / 2015," On local self-government "for review and approval in the Assembly of the Republic of Albania, according to the text of the attached annex to this decision.

This decision comes into force immediately.

PRIME MINISTER

EDI RAMA



REPUBLIC OF ALBANIA
PARLIAMENT

DRAFT-LAW

No. _____/2018

ON

**SOME AMENDMENTS OF LAW NO.139/2015, “ON LOCAL SELF-
GOVERNMENT”**

Pursuant to Articles 78 and 83 of the Constitution, upon the proposal of the Council of Ministers, the Assembly of the Republic of Albania

DECIDED:

In Law No.139 / 2015, "On Local Self-Government", these additions and changes are made:

Article 1

After Article 29 is added Article 29/1, with the following content:

“Article 29/1

The functions of the municipalities in the field of Diaspora and Migration

The municipalities are responsible for performing these functions:

- a) The creation of a special structure for diaspora and migration, for the administration of services at the local level, as an administrative part of the local unit;



- b) Promoting organizations, both within and outside the country, to maintain continuous communication and strengthen relations with the Diaspora and Albanian migrants;
- c) Providing assistance and information on issues related to registration and acquisition of citizenship;
- ç) Providing assistance and information on the Albanian legislation in force for diaspora and migration stakeholders in the field of investment;
- d) Coordination and organization of work with the ministries responsible for internal affairs, foreign affairs and diaspora, to ensure the assurance of information and assistance on issues related to diaspora and migration

Article 2

At point 2 of Article 12, after the words "... interest groups ..." the words "... of diaspora representatives ..." are added.

Article 3

In Article 44, the words "... 31 March ..." shall be replaced by the words "... 31 May ...".

This law comes into force 15 days after its publication in the "Official Gazette".

SPEAKER

GRAMOZ RUÇI