

Article 15
(Crossing the state border)

- (1) Alien shall be considered to have entered the country once he/she has crossed the state border of BiH or passed the post where the border control is performed.
- (2) Alien may cross the state border of BiH only at the border crossings open to international traffic, during the border crossings' working hours, unless otherwise provided by the Law on Border Control or by an international agreement to which BiH is signatory.
- (3) Alien wishing to enter or leave BiH shall be bound to stop at the border crossing post, provide his/her documents required for crossing the border, and is obliged to subject himself/herself, his/her luggage and vehicle to the border control, in accordance with law regulating the border control, and explain to the official of competent authority all circumstances related to the fulfilment of requirements pertaining to the crossing of the state border, and comply with warnings and commands issued by the border police officer.
- (4) At the BiH border control, an alien shall be subject to verification of the general entry requirements referred to in Article 19 (General entry requirements) of this Law.
- (5) Border police officer shall affix to the alien travel document the entry or exit stamp, unless the affixation is not possible for some types of travel documents, or if otherwise prescribed under this Law or an international agreement to which BiH is signatory.
- (6) Date of entry shall be considered the first day of alien's stay on the BiH territories, and the date of exit shall be the last day of his/her stay on the BiH territories.
- (7) Staying of an alien in the transit area of an international airport, port anchorage, dockage or quay shall not be considered as entry into BiH.