



Support to the implementation of the judicial reform in Ukraine

OUTLINE OF THE PROJECT EVENTS

16 September 2016, Kyiv

Conference, organized by the Project jointly with the High Specialized Court of Ukraine for the review of civil and criminal cases, on criminal liability of judges and judicial accountability based on ECtHR judgments.

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Conference of criminal liability of judges and judicial accountability following ECtHR judgments

Number of participants: 50 persons

Objective of the event:

- to discuss the grounds for judicial accountability, namely judicial accountability following ECtHR judgments and criminal liability of judges for delivery of “knowingly arbitrary decision”;
- to inform the participants on CoE standards as regards judicial accountability, as well as on ECtHR case-law and decisions of the Committee of Ministers of Council of Europe concerning judicial accountability;
- to elaborate on entering of the information on accountability of judges and ECtHR judgments into judicial dossier.

Participants:

- Representatives of Administration of the President of Ukraine, Judicial Reform Council, Ministry of Justice of Ukraine;
- Representatives of the Supreme Court of Ukraine, High Specialized Court of Ukraine for the review of civil and criminal cases, High administrative court of Ukraine, High Commercial Court of Ukraine;
- Members of the High Council of Justice, High Qualification Commission of Judges of Ukraine, Council of Judges of Ukraine, National School of Judges of Ukraine, State Judicial Administration of Ukraine;
- Representatives of civil society organisations;
- Representatives of the Department of Justice and Legal Cooperation, European Court of Human Rights, Department for the execution of ECtHR judgments, international CoE experts.

Themes for discussion:

- ECtHR judgments and “knowingly arbitrary decision” as grounds of judicial accountability;
- Entering of the information on ECtHR judgments into judicial dossier;
- Criteria for differentiating between abuse (arbitrariness), negligence and good-faith conduct of judges.

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A GENERAL TIMEFRAME FOR THE EVENTS ON 14 - 16 SEPTEMBER 2016

<i>09.30 – 10.00</i>	<i>Welcoming coffee</i>
<i>10.00 – 13.00</i>	Session I. Conference of criminal liability of judges and judicial accountability following ECtHR judgments
<i>13.00 – 14.00</i>	<i>Lunch</i>
<i>14.00 – 16.00</i>	Session I. Conference of criminal liability of judges and judicial accountability following ECtHR judgments