To the attention of Matjaž GRUDEN

Dear Mr Gruden,

In response to the alert with regard to Hungary that has been submitted to the Platform for the Promotion of the Protection of Journalism and Safety of Journalist concerning the publication of a list of eight journalists described as "propagandists" on the website 888.hu, I would like to convey the following reaction received from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary:

"There is a freedom of press in Hungary. The mentioned article falls under editorial freedom."

Yours sincerely,

Agnes Kertész Ambassador