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**NB:** Please provide all the requested texts in English

For the purpose of this questionnaire and exercise, “Country/ies” refer to the Beneficiaries of this project.

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## General Data

1. **Question 1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Number of inhabitants (if possible, on 1 January of the reference year +1) \_\_\_\_\_

2. **Question 3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Per capita GDP (in €) in current prices for the reference year \_\_\_\_\_

3. **Question 5 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Exchange rate of national currency (non-Euro zone) in € on 1 January of the reference year +1 \_\_\_\_\_

## Indicator 1. Budget

### Courts, prosecution offices and judicial system

4. **Question 6 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Annual (approved and implemented) public budget allocated to the functioning of all courts, in € (without the budget of the public prosecution services and without the budget of legal aid). If you cannot separate the budget allocated to the courts from the budget of public prosecution services and/or the one allocated to legal aid, please go to question 5. If you are able to answer this question, please answer NA to question 5.

	Approved budget (in €)	Implemented budget (in €)
TOTAL - Annual public budget allocated to the functioning of all courts (1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
1. Annual public budget allocated to (gross) salaries	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
2. Annual public budget allocated to computerisation (2.1 + 2.2)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
2.1 Investments in computerisation	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
2.2 Maintenance of the IT equipment of courts	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
3. Annual public budget allocated to justice expenses (expertise, interpretation, etc.).	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
4. Annual public budget allocated to court buildings (maintenance, operating costs)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
5. Annual public budget allocated to investments in new (court) buildings	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
6. Annual public budget allocated to training	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
7. Other (Please specify)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP

Comments - Please indicate any useful comment to explain the figures provided. If the annual public budget allocated to the functioning of all courts actually implemented is different from the approved annual public budget allocated to the functioning of all courts, please indicate the main reasons for the differences:

5. **Question 7 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If you cannot answer question 4 because you cannot isolate the public budget allocated to courts from the budget allocated to public prosecution services and/or the one allocated to legal aid, please fill in only the appropriate line in the table according to your system:

	Approved budget (in €)	Implemented budget (in €)
Total annual public budget allocated to all courts and the public prosecution services together	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
Total annual public budget allocated to all courts and legal aid together	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP

Total annual public budget allocated to all courts, public prosecution services and legal aid together	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
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Comments - Please indicate any useful comment to explain the figures provided. If the annual public budget actually implemented is different from the approved annual public budget, please indicate the main reasons for the differences:

**6. Question 13 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Annual (approved and implemented) public budget allocated to the public prosecution services, in €.**

	Approved budget (in €)	Implemented budget (in €)
Total annual public budget allocated to the public prosecution services, in € (including 6.1)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
6.1. Annual public budget allocated to training of public prosecution services	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP

Comments - Please indicate any useful comment to explain the figures provided. Moreover, if the annual public budget allocated to the public prosecution services actually implemented is different from the approved annual public budget, please indicate the main reasons for the differences:

**Whole justice system**

**7. Question 15-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Annual (approved and implemented) public budget allocated to the whole justice system, in € (this global budget includes the judicial system budget - see 8 and other elements of the justice system - see 9).**

	Approved budget (in €)	Implemented budget (in €)
Total annual public budget allocated to the whole justice system in €	_____/ NA /	_____/ NA /

Comments - Please indicate any useful comment to explain the figures provided. Moreover, if the annual public budget allocated to the whole justice system actually implemented is different from the approved annual public budget, please indicate the main reasons for the differences:

**8. Question 15-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Elements of the judicial system budget (Q4, Q5, Q6, Q12)**

	Included
Courts (see question 4 or 5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Legal aid (see question 5 or 12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Public prosecution services (see question 5 or 6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

	NAP
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9. **Question 15-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Other budgetary elements**

	Included
Prison system	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Probation services	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
High Judicial Council	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
High Prosecutorial Council	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Constitutional court	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Judicial management body	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
State advocacy	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Enforcement services	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Notariat	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Forensic services	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes

	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Judicial protection of juveniles	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Functioning of the Ministry of Justice	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Refugees and asylum seekers services	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Immigration Service	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Some police services (e.g.: transfer, investigation, prisoners' security)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP

Comments - If "other", please specify:

### **External funding**

10. **If external donor funds contribute to the budget of courts, prosecution services, legal aid and/or the whole justice system (see previous questions), please indicate the implemented amount. If you cannot provide an amount, please indicate NA and reply to question 11.**

	<b>Total implemented amount from external donors in reference year (in €)</b>
Budget allocated to courts (see question 4)	_____/ NA / NAP
Budget allocated to public prosecution services (see question 6)	_____/ NA / NAP
Budget allocated to legal aid (see questions 12/13)	_____/ NA / NAP
Budget allocated to the whole justice system (see question 7)	_____/ NA / NAP

Comments - If the funds are earmarked for a specific purpose, please specify:

11. **If you cannot provide the amount of external donor's contribution (specified in question 10), please provide an estimation of the ratio of this amount within the total implemented budget:**

	Estimated percentage from the total implemented budget (see questions 4, 6, 12/13, 7) in reference year (in %)
Budget allocated to courts (see question 4)	_____/ NA / NAP
Budget allocated to public prosecution services (see question 6)	_____/ NA / NAP
Budget allocated to legal aid (see questions 12/13)	_____/ NA / NAP
Budget allocated to the whole justice system (see question 7)	_____/ NA / NAP

Comments - If the funds are earmarked for a specific purpose, please specify:

## Legal Aid

### 12. [Question 12 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#) Annual approved public budget allocated to legal aid, in €.

	Total	Criminal cases	Other than criminal cases
TOTAL - Annual approved public budget allocated to legal aid (1 + 2)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
1 for cases brought to court (court fees and/or legal representation)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
2 for cases not brought to court (legal advice, ADR and other legal services)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP

### 13. [Question 12-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#) Annual implemented public budget allocated to legal aid in €.

	Total	Criminal cases	Other than criminal cases
TOTAL - Annual implemented public budget allocated to legal aid (1+2)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
1 for cases brought to court (court fees and/or legal representation)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
2 for cases not brought to court (legal advice, ADR and other legal services)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP

Comments - If the public budget actually implemented regarding legal aid is different from the annual approved public budget allocated to legal aid, please indicate the main reasons for the differences:

### Q13-1. [Question 12-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#) Does legal aid include:

	Legal aid includes
coverage of court fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
exemption from court fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

	<input type="checkbox"/> NAP
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**Q13-2. Question 12-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Do legal aid budgets indicated in Q12 and Q13 include:

	Amount calculated/estimated included
coverage of court fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
exemption from court fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP

**Indicator 2. Profile of the judiciary**

**Indicator 2.1 Average gross salary of judges and prosecutors**

14. **Question 4 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
Average gross annual salary (in €) for the reference year \_\_\_\_\_

15. **Question 132 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
Salaries of judges and public prosecutors on 31 December of the reference year.

Category of judges and prosecutors	Gross annual salary, in €	Net annual salary, in €	Gross annual salary, in local currency	Net annual salary, in local currency
<b>First instance professional judge at the beginning of his/her career</b>	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
<b>Judge of the Supreme Court or the Highest Appellate Court</b> (please indicate the average salary of a judge at this level, and not the salary of the Court President)	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
<b>Public prosecutor at the beginning of his/her career</b>	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
<b>Public prosecutor of the Supreme Court or the Highest Appellate Instance</b> (please indicate the average salary of a public prosecutor at this level, and	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP



not the salary of the Attorney General).				
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16. **Question 133 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
Do judges and public prosecutors have additional benefits?

	Judges	Public prosecutors
Reduced taxation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Special pension	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other financial benefit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

17. **Question 134 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
If "other financial benefit", please specify:

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18. **Question 139 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
Productivity bonuses: do judges receive bonuses based on the fulfilment of quantitative objectives in relation to the number of resolved cases (e.g. number of cases resolved over a given period of time)?

- Yes  
 No

Comments - If yes, please specify the conditions and, if possible, the amounts:

## Indicator 2.2 Number of justice professionals

### Judges

19. **Question 46 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
Number of professional judges sitting in courts (if possible, on 31 December of the reference year).

(please give the information in full-time equivalent and for posts actually filled for all types of courts - general jurisdiction and specialised courts)

	Total	Males	Females
Total number of professional judges (1 + 2 + 3)	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
1. Number of first instance professional judges	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
2. Number of second instance (court of appeal) professional judges	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
3. Number of Supreme Court professional judges	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP

Comments - Please provide any useful comment for interpreting the data above:

19-1. **Question 47 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
Number of court presidents (professional judges).

	Total	Males	Females
Total number of court presidents (1 + 2 + 3)	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
1. Number of first instance court presidents	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
2. Number of second instance (court of appeal) court presidents	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
3. Number of Supreme Court presidents	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP

20. **Question 48 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
Number of professional judges sitting in courts on an occasional basis and who are paid as such (if possible, on

31 December of the reference year):

Gross figure	_____ / NA / NAP
In full-time equivalent	_____ / NA / NAP

Comments - If necessary, please provide comments to explain the answer provided:

21. **Question 48-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Do these professional judges sitting in courts on an occasional basis deal with a significant part of cases?

- Yes If yes, please give specifications on the types of cases and an estimate in percentage. \_\_\_\_\_
- No
- NAP

22. **Question 49 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Number of non-professional judges who are not remunerated but who may receive a simple defrayal of costs (if possible, on 31 December of the reference year) (e.g. lay judges or “juges consulaires”, but not arbitrators or persons sitting on a jury):

Gross figure	_____ / NA / NAP
In full-time equivalent	_____ / NA / NAP

23. **Question 49-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If such non-professional judges exist at first instance in your country, please specify for which types of cases:

	Yes	No	Echevinage/mixed bench
Criminal cases (severe)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Criminal cases (misdemeanour and/or minor)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Family law cases	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Labour law cases	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social law cases	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Commercial law cases	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Insolvency cases	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other civil cases	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

- NAP

Comments - If “other civil cases”, please specify:

24. **Question 50 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Does your judicial system include trial by jury with the participation of citizens?

- Yes
- No

25. **Question 50-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If yes, for which type(s) of case(s)?

- Criminal cases
- Other than criminal cases

**Non-judge staff**

26. **Question 52 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Number of non-judge staff who are working in courts (if possible on 31 December of the reference year) (this data should not include the staff working for public prosecutors; see question 32 (please give the information in full-time equivalent and for posts actually filled)

	Total	Male	Females
Total non-judge staff working in courts (1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5)	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

1. <b>Rechtspfleger</b> (or similar bodies) with judicial or quasi-judicial tasks having autonomous competence and whose decisions could be subject to appeal	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
2. <b>Non-judge (judicial) staff whose task is to assist the judges such as registrars</b> (case file preparation, assistance during the hearing, helping to draft the decisions)	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
3. <b>Staff in charge of different administrative tasks and of the management of the courts</b> (human resources management, material and equipment management, including computer systems, financial and budgetary management, training management)	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
4. <b>Technical staff</b>	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
5. <b>Other non-judge staff</b>	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP

Comments - If "Other non-judge staff", please specify:

**27. Question 52-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Number of non-judge staff by instance (if possible, on 31 December of the reference year) (this data should not include the staff working for public prosecutors; see question 32) (please give the information in full-time equivalent and for posts actually filled).**

	Total	Male	Females
Total non-judge staff working in courts (1+2+3)	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
1. Total non-judge staff working in courts at first instance level	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
2. Total non-judge staff working in courts at second instance (court of appeal) level	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
3. Total non-judge staff working in courts at Supreme Court level	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP

**Public prosecutors and non-prosecutor staff**

**28. Question 55 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Number of public prosecutors (on 31 December of the reference year):**

**(Please give the information in full-time equivalent and for posts actually filled, for all types of courts – general jurisdiction and specialised courts).**

	Total	Males	Females
Total number of prosecutors (1 + 2 + 3)	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
1. Number of prosecutors at first instance level	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
2. Number of prosecutors at second instance (court of appeal) level	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP
3. Number of prosecutors at Supreme Court level	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP

Comments - Please indicate any useful comment for interpreting the data above:

**28-1. Question 56 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Number of heads of prosecution offices:**

	Total	Males	Females
Total number of heads of prosecution offices (1 + 2 + 3)	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP	___/ NA / NAP

1. Number of heads of prosecution offices at first instance level	___ / NA / NAP	___ / NA / NAP	___ / NA / NAP
2. Number of heads of prosecution offices at second instance (court of appeal) level	___ / NA / NAP	___ / NA / NAP	___ / NA / NAP
3. Number of heads of prosecution offices at Supreme Court level	___ / NA / NAP	___ / NA / NAP	___ / NA / NAP

**29. Question 57 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Do other persons have similar duties to those of public prosecutors?

Yes  No

Comments - If yes, please specify their titles and functions:

**30. Question 57-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If yes, please provide the number (full-time equivalent) \_\_\_\_\_ /  NA

**31. Question 59 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If yes, is their number included in the number of public prosecutors that you have indicated under question 28?

Yes  No  NAP

**32. Question 60 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Number of staff (non-public prosecutors) attached to the public prosecution services, if possible, on 31 December of the reference year and without the number of non-judge staff, see question 26 (in full-time equivalent and for posts actually filled).

Total	Male	Female
_____ / NA	_____ / NA	_____ / NA

**Lawyers**

**33. Question 146 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Total number of lawyers practicing in your country:

Total	Male	Female
_____ / NA	_____ / NA	_____ / NA

**34. Question 147 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Does this figure include “legal advisors” who cannot represent their clients in court (for example, some solicitors or in-house counsellors)?

Yes  No

**Indicator 3. Efficiency and productivity**

**Indicator 3.1 Case flow (Clearance Rate, Disposition Time, Pending cases)**

**First instance cases**

**35. Question 91 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

First instance courts: number of other than criminal law cases.

Type of cases	Pending cases on 1 Jan. ref. year	Incoming cases	Resolved cases	Pending cases on 31 Dec. ref. year	Pending cases older than 2 years from the date the case came to the first instance court

<b>Total of <i>other than criminal</i> law cases (1+2+3+4)</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>1. Civil (and commercial) litigious cases</b> (including litigious enforcement cases and if possible without administrative law cases, see category 3)	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>2. Non-litigious cases (2.1+2.2+2.3)</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.1. General civil (and commercial) non-litigious cases</b> , e.g. uncontested payment orders, requests for a change of name, non-litigious enforcement cases etc. (if possible without administrative law cases, see category 3; without registry cases and other cases, see categories 2.2 and 2.3)	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.2. Registry cases (2.2.1+2.2.2+2.2.3)</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.2.1. Non-litigious land registry cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.2.2 Non-litigious business registry cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.2.3. Other registry cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.3. Other non-litigious cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>3. Administrative law cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>4. Other cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

Note 1: the cases mentioned in categories 2.2.1. and 2.2.2. (*land registry, business registry*) should be presented separately in the table. The cases mentioned in category 3 (*administrative law cases*) should also be separately mentioned for the countries which have specialised administrative courts or separate administrative law procedures or are able to distinguish in another way between administrative law cases and civil law cases.

Note 2: please check if the figures submitted are (horizontally and vertically) consistent. *Horizontal consistent* data means that: "(pending cases on 1 January reference year + incoming cases) – resolved cases" should give the correct number of pending cases on 31 December reference year. If this horizontal consistency is not possible due to joined cases, please specify.

*Vertical consistency* of data means that the sum of the individual case categories 1 to 4 should reflect the total number of *other than criminal* law cases.

**36. [Question 92 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

If courts deal with "civil (and commercial) non-litigious cases", please indicate the case categories included:

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**37. [Question 93 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

Please indicate the case categories included in the category "other cases":

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**38. [Question 94 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

First instance courts: number of criminal law cases.

Type of cases	Pending cases on 1 Jan. ref. year	Incoming cases	Resolved cases	Pending cases on 31 Dec. ref. year	Pending cases older than 2 years from the date the
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					<b>case came to the first instance court</b>
<b>Total of criminal cases (1+2+3)</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>1. Severe criminal cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>2. Misdemeanour and / or minor criminal cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>3. Other criminal cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

Comments - If you cannot make a distinction between misdemeanour criminal cases and severe criminal cases (according to the CEPEJ definitions), please specify what cases are reported in those categories. If "Other criminal cases", please specify:

## **Second instance cases**

### **39. Question 97 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Second instance courts (appeal): Number of "other than criminal law" cases.**

Type of cases	Pending cases on 1 Jan. ref. year	Incoming cases	Resolved cases	Pending cases on 31 Dec. ref. year	Pending cases older than 2 years from the date the case came to the second instance court
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<b>Total of other than criminal law cases (1+2+3+4)</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
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<b>1. Civil (and commercial) litigious cases</b> (including litigious enforcement cases and if possible without administrative law cases, see category 3)	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
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<b>2. Non-litigious cases (2.1+2.2+2.3)</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.1. General civil (and commercial) non-litigious cases</b> , e.g. uncontested payment orders, request for a change of name, non-litigious enforcement cases etc. (if possible without administrative law cases, see category 3; without registry cases and other cases, see categories 2.2 and 2.3)	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.2. Registry cases (2.2.1+2.2.2+2.2.3)</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.2.1. Non-litigious land registry cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.2.2 Non-litigious business registry cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.2.3. Other registry cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	
<b>2.3. Other non-litigious cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	

<b>3. Administrative law cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
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<b>4. Other cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
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Comments - If "Other cases" please specify:

**40. Question 98 CEPEJ Questionnaire**  
**Second instance courts (appeal): Number of criminal law cases.**

Type of cases	Pending cases on 1 Jan. ref. year	Incoming cases	Resolved cases	Pending cases on 31 Dec. ref. year	Pending cases older than 2 years from the date the case came to the second instance court
<b>Total of criminal cases (1+2+3)</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>1. Severe criminal cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>2. Misdemeanour and / or minor criminal cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>3. Other criminal cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

Comments - If you cannot make a distinction between misdemeanour criminal cases and severe criminal cases (according to the CEPEJ definitions), please specify what cases are reported in those categories. If "Other criminal cases", please specify:

**Special category cases**

**41. Percentage of decisions subject to appeal, average length of proceedings and percentage of cases pending for more than 3 years for all instances for specific litigious cases.**

The *average length of proceedings* has to be calculated from the date the application for judicial review is lodged to the date the judgment is made, without taking into account the investigation phase in criminal cases as well as enforcement procedure.

	% of decisions subject to appeal	Average length at 1 <sup>st</sup> instance (in days)	Average length at 2 <sup>nd</sup> instance (in days)	Average length at 3 <sup>rd</sup> instance (in days)	Average total length of the total procedure (in days)	% of cases pending for more than 3 years for all instances
Civil and commercial litigious cases	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Litigious divorce cases	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Employment dismissal cases	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

Insolvency cases	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Robbery cases	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Intentional homicide cases	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Bribery cases	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Trading in influence cases	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

### Indicator 3.1.1 Case flow management – public prosecution

#### Q41-1. Question 105 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Role and powers of the public prosecutor in the criminal procedure (multiple replies possible):

- To conduct or supervise police investigation
- To conduct investigations
- When necessary, to request investigation measures from the judge
- To charge
- To present the case in the court
- To propose a sentence to the judge
- To appeal
- To supervise the enforcement procedure
- To discontinue a case without needing a decision by a judge (ensure consistency with question 36!)
- To end the case by imposing or negotiating a penalty or measure without requiring a judicial decision
- Other significant powers, please specify:

#### Q41-2. Question 106 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Does the public prosecutor also have a role in:

- Civil cases
- Administrative cases
- Insolvency cases

Comments - If yes, please specify:

#### Q41-3. Question 107 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Public prosecutors: Total number of 1<sup>st</sup> instance criminal cases

<b>1. Pending cases on 1 Jan. ref. year</b>	____/ NA / NAP
<b>2. Incoming/received cases</b>	____/ NA / NAP
<b>3. Processed cases (3.1 + 3.2 + 3.3 + 3.4)</b>	____/ NA / NAP
3.1. Discontinued during the reference year (3.1.1 + 3.1.2 + 3.1.3 + 3.1.4)	____/ NA / NAP
3.1.1 Discontinued by the public prosecutor because the offender could not be identified	____/ NA / NAP
3.1.2 Discontinued by the public prosecutor due to the lack of an established offence or a specific legal situation	____/ NA / NAP
3.1.3 Discontinued by the public prosecutor for reasons of opportunity	____/ NA / NAP
3.1.4 Discontinued for other reasons	____/ NA / NAP
3.2. Concluded by a penalty or a measure imposed or	____/ NA / NAP



negotiated by the public prosecutor	
3.3. Cases closed by the public prosecutor for other reasons	____/ NA / NAP
3.4. Cases brought to court	
<b>4. Pending cases on 31 Dec. ref. year</b>	____/ NA / NAP

**Q41-4. Question 107-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If the guilty plea procedure exists, how many cases were concluded by this procedure?

	Total	Severe criminal cases	Misdemeanour and/or minor criminal cases
<b>Total number of guilty plea procedures</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>Before the main trial</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
<b>During the main trial</b>	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

**Q41-5. Question 109 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Do the figures provided in Q41-3 include traffic offence cases?

Yes  No

**Indicator 3.2 Monitoring and evaluation of courts', judges' and prosecutors' activities**

**National policies applied in courts and public prosecution services**

**42. Question 66 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Are quality standards determined for the judicial system at national level (are there quality systems for the judiciary and/or judicial quality policies)?

Yes  No

Comments - If yes, please specify:

**43. Question 67 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Do you have specialised personnel entrusted with implementation of these national level quality standards?

- within the courts
- within the public prosecution services

**Performance and quality objectives at court level/public prosecution services**

**44. Question 77 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Concerning court activities, have you defined performance and quality indicators?

Yes  No

**45. Question 78 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If yes, please select the main performance and quality indicators that have been defined for courts:

- Number of incoming cases
- Length of proceedings (timeframes)
- Number of resolved cases
- Number of pending cases
- Backlogs
- Productivity of judges and court staff
- Satisfaction of court staff
- Satisfaction of users (regarding the services delivered by the courts)
- Costs of the judicial procedures

- Number of appeals
- Appeal ratio
- Clearance rate
- Disposition time
- Other

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

**46. Question 77-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Concerning public prosecution activities, have you defined performance and quality indicators?**

- Yes  No

**47. Question 78-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, please select the main performance and quality indicators for the public prosecution services that have been defined:**

- Number of incoming cases
- Length of proceedings (timeframes)
- Number of resolved cases
- Number of pending cases
- Backlogs
- Productivity of prosecutors and prosecution staff
- Satisfaction of prosecution staff
- Satisfaction of users (regarding the services delivered by the public prosecutors)
- Costs of the judicial procedures
- Clearance rate
- Disposition time
- Percentage of convictions and acquittals
- Other

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

**48. Question 73 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Do you have a system to evaluate regularly court performance based primarily on the defined indicators?**

- Yes  
 No

**49. Question 73-0 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, please specify the frequency:**

- Annual
- Less frequent
- More frequent

Comments - If "Less frequent" or "More frequent", please specify:

**50. Question 73-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is this evaluation of the court activity used for the later allocation of resources within this court?**

- Yes  
 No

**51. Question 73-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, which courses of action are taken (multiple replies possible)?**

- Identifying the causes of improved or deteriorated performance
- Reallocating resources (human/financial resources based on performance)
- Reengineering of internal procedures to increase efficiency
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**52. Question 73-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Do you have a system to evaluate regularly the performance of the public prosecution services based primarily on the defined indicators?**

- Yes
- No

**53. Question 73-4 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, please specify the frequency:**

- Annual
- Less frequent
- More frequent

Comments - If "Less frequent" or "More frequent", please specify:

**54. Question 73-5 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is this evaluation of the activity of public prosecution services used for the later allocation of resources within this public prosecution service?**

- Yes
- No

**55. Question 73-6 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, which courses of action are taken (multiple replies possible)?**

- Identifying the causes of improved or deteriorated performance
- Reallocating resources (human/financial resources based on performance)
- Reengineering of internal procedures to increase efficiency
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**56. Question 79 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Who is responsible for evaluating the performance of the courts (multiple replies possible):**

- High Judicial Council
- Ministry of Justice
- Inspection authority
- Supreme court
- External audit body
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**57. Question 79-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Who is responsible for evaluating the performance of the public prosecution services (multiple replies possible):**

- Public Prosecutorial Council
- Ministry of Justice
- Head of the organisational unit or hierarchically superior public prosecutor
- Prosecutor General /State public prosecutor
- External audit body
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Measuring courts' / public prosecution services' activity**

### **58. Question 70 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Do you regularly monitor court activities (performance and quality) concerning:**

- Number of incoming cases
- Length of proceedings (timeframes)
- Number of resolved cases
- Number of pending cases
- Backlogs
- Productivity of judges and court staff
- Satisfaction of court staff
- Satisfaction of users (regarding the services delivered by the courts)
- Costs of the judicial procedures
- Number of appeals
- Appeal ratio
- Clearance rate
- Disposition time
- Other, please specify:

### **59. Question 70-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Do you regularly monitor public prosecution activities (performance and quality) concerning:**

- Number of incoming cases
- Length of proceedings (timeframes)
- Number of resolved cases
- Number of pending cases
- Backlogs
- Productivity of prosecutors and prosecution staff
- Satisfaction of prosecution staff
- Satisfaction of users (regarding the services delivered by the public prosecution)
- Costs of the judicial procedures
- Clearance rate
- Disposition time
- Percentage of convictions and acquittals
- Other, please specify:

### **60. Question 71 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Do you monitor the number of pending cases and cases that are not processed within a reasonable timeframe (backlogs) for:**

- civil law cases
- criminal law cases
- administrative law cases

### **61. Question 72 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Do you monitor waiting time during judicial proceedings?**

within the courts  Yes  No

within the public prosecution services  Yes  No

Comments - If yes, please specify:

## **Information regarding courts /public prosecution services activity**

### **62. Question 80 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there a centralised institution that is responsible for collecting statistical data regarding the functioning of the courts?**

- Yes (please indicate the name and the address of this institution): \_\_\_\_\_  
 No

### **63. Question 80-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are the statistics on the functioning of each court published:**

- Yes, on the internet  
 No, only internally (on an intranet website)  
 No

### **64. Question 80-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there a centralised institution that is responsible for collecting statistical data regarding the functioning of the public prosecution services?**

- Yes (please indicate the name and the address of this institution): \_\_\_\_\_  
 No

### **65. Question 80-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are the statistics on the functioning of each public prosecution service published?**

- Yes, on the internet  
 No, only internally (on an intranet website)  
 No

### **66. Question 81 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are individual courts required to prepare an activity report (that includes, for example, data on the number of resolved cases or pending cases, the number of judges and administrative staff, targets and assessment of the activity)?**

- Yes  
 No

Comments - If yes, please describe the content of the report and its audience (i.e. to whom the report is intended):

### **67. Question 81-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, please specify in which form this report is released:**

- Internet  
 Intranet website  
 Paper distribution

### **68. Question 81-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, please, indicate the periodicity at which the report is released:**

- Annual  
 Less frequent  
 More frequent

### **69. Question 81-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are public prosecution services required to prepare an activity report (that includes, for example, data on the number of incoming cases, the number of decisions, the number of public prosecutors and administrative staff, targets and assessment of the activity)?**

Yes  No

Comments - If yes, please describe the content of the report and its audience (i.e. to whom the report is intended):

**70. [Question 81-4 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

**If yes, please specify in which form this report is released:**

- Internet
- Intranet website
- Paper distribution

**71. [Question 81-5 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

**If yes, please, indicate the periodicity at which the report is released:**

- Annual
- Less frequent
- More frequent

### **Courts administration**

**72. [Question 82 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

**Is there a process or structure of dialogue between the public prosecution services and courts regarding the way cases are presented before courts (for example the organisation, number and planning of hearings, on-call service for urgent cases, selection of simplified procedures of prosecution...)?**

- Yes
- No

Comments - If yes, please specify:

**73. [Question 82-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

**Is there in general a process or structure of dialogue between lawyers and courts regarding the way cases are presented before courts in other than criminal matters (e.g. organisation, number and planning of hearings, on-call service for urgent cases)?**

- Yes  No

Comments - If yes, please specify:

### **Performance and evaluation of judges and public prosecutors**

**74. [Question 83 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

**Are there quantitative performance targets defined for each judge (e.g. the number of resolved cases in a month or year)?**

- Yes  No

**75. [Question 83-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)**

**Who is responsible for setting the individual targets for each judge?**

- Executive power (for example the Ministry of Justice) - please specify \_\_\_\_\_
- Legislative power
- Judicial power (for example the High Judicial Council, Supreme Court)
- President of the court
- Other - please specify \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

**75-1. What are the consequences for a judge if quantitative targets are not met?**

- Warning by court's president

- Disciplinary procedure
- Temporary salary reduction
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- No consequences

NAP

**76. Question 114 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there a system of qualitative individual assessment of the judges' work?**

Yes  No

**76-1. Who is responsible for setting the criteria for qualitative assessment of the judges' work?**

- Executive power (for example the Ministry of Justice) - please specify \_\_\_\_\_
- Legislative power
- Judicial power (for example the High Judicial Council, Supreme Court)
- President of the court
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

**77. Question 114-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, please specify the frequency of this assessment:**

- Annual
- Less frequent
- More frequent

**78. Question 83-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are there quantitative performance targets defined for each public prosecutor (e.g. the number of decisions in a month or year)?**

Yes  No

**79. Question 83-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Who is responsible for setting the individual targets for each public prosecutor?**

- Executive power (for example the Ministry of Justice)
- Prosecutor General /State public prosecutor
- Public Prosecutorial Council
- Head of the organisational unit or hierarchically superior public prosecutor
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

**79-1. What are the consequences for a prosecutor if quantitative targets are not met?**

- Warning by head of prosecution
- Disciplinary procedure
- Temporary salary reduction
- Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- No consequences
- NAP

**80. Question 120 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there a system of qualitative individual assessment of the public prosecutors' work?**

Yes  No

**80-1. Who is responsible for setting the criteria for qualitative assessment of the public prosecutors' work?**

- Executive power (for example the Ministry of Justice) - please specify \_\_\_\_\_
- Prosecutor General /State public prosecutor
- Public Prosecutorial Council
- Head of the organisational unit or hierarchical superior public prosecutor
- Other - please specify \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

**81. Question 120-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If yes, please specify the frequency of this assessment:

- Annual
- Less frequent
- More frequent

**Indicator 3.3 Electronic case management system and court activity statistics**

**82-0. Is there a IT strategy for the judiciary?**

- Yes If yes, please provide the currently valid document in English:
- No

**82. Question 63-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there a case management system (CMS)** (Software used for registering judicial proceedings and their management)?

- Yes  No

**82-1. When was the running CMS developed (or in case of major redevelopment when it was redesigned)?**

- In the last 2 years
- Between 2 and 5 years
- Between 5 and 10 years
- More than 10 years
- Other

Comments - If "other", please specify:

**82-2. Are there plans for a significant change in the present IT system in the judiciary in the next year (Change of CMS or other main application)?**

- Yes If yes, please provide details of the planned changes and its timeline including when the new system is expected to become operational:
- No

**83. Question 63-1-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Please specify the following information:

	<b>CMS deployment rate</b>	<b>Status of case online</b>	<b>Centralised or interoperable database</b>	<b>Early warning signals (for active case management)</b>	<b>Status of integration/connection of a CMS with a statistical tool</b>
<b>Civil and/or commercial</b>	<input type="radio"/> 100% <input type="radio"/> 50-99% <input type="radio"/> 10-49% <input type="radio"/> 1-9%	<input type="checkbox"/> Accessible to parties <input type="checkbox"/> Publication of decision online	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully integrated including BI <input type="checkbox"/> Integrated



	<input type="radio"/> 0% (NAP) <input type="radio"/> NA	<input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> Not accessible at all <input type="checkbox"/> NAP			<input type="checkbox"/> Not integrated but connected <input type="checkbox"/> Not connected at all <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
<b>Criminal</b>	<input type="radio"/> 100% <input type="radio"/> 50-99% <input type="radio"/> 10-49% <input type="radio"/> 1-9% <input type="radio"/> 0% (NAP) <input type="radio"/> NA	<input type="checkbox"/> Accessible to parties <input type="checkbox"/> Publication of decision online <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> Not accessible at all <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully integrated including BI <input type="checkbox"/> Integrated <input type="checkbox"/> Not integrated but connected <input type="checkbox"/> Not connected at all <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
<b>Administrative</b>	<input type="radio"/> 100% <input type="radio"/> 50-99% <input type="radio"/> 10-49% <input type="radio"/> 1-9% <input type="radio"/> 0% (NAP) <input type="radio"/> NA	<input type="checkbox"/> Accessible to parties <input type="checkbox"/> Publication of decision online <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> Not accessible at all <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Fully integrated including BI <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Integrated <input type="checkbox"/> Not integrated but connected <input type="checkbox"/> Not connected at all <input type="checkbox"/> NAP

Comments – If it exists in other matters please specify:

**84. Question 62-4 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Is there a centralised national database of court decisions (case-law, etc.)?

Yes  No

**85. Question 62-4-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If yes, please specify the following information:

	<i>For 1<sup>st</sup> instance decisions</i>	<i>For 2<sup>nd</sup> instance decisions</i>	<i>For 3<sup>rd</sup> instance decisions</i>	<i>Link with ECHR case law</i>	<i>Data anonymised</i>	<i>Case-law database available free online</i>	<i>Case-law database available in open data</i>
<b>Civil and/or commercial</b>	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Criminal</b>	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Administrative</b>	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="radio"/> Yes all judgments <input type="radio"/> Yes some judgments <input type="radio"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Comments – If it exists in other matters please specify:

**Indicator 4 Access to justice - legal aid**

**Indicator 4.1 Number of cases for which legal aid has been granted**

**86. Question 20 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Please indicate the number of cases for which legal aid has been granted:

	Total	Cases brought to court	Cases not brought to court
Total	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP
In criminal cases	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP
In other than criminal cases	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP

Comments - Please specify when appropriate:

### Indicator 4.2 (Amount of legal aid)

#### 87. Question 23-0 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Does your country have an income and assets evaluation for granting full or partial legal aid?

Yes  No

#### 88. Question 23 CEPEJ Questionnaire

If yes, please specify in the table:

- For full legal aid to the applicant:

	Annual income value (for one person), (in €)	Assets value (for one person), (in €)
for criminal cases	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP
for other than criminal cases	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP

- For partial legal aid to the applicant:

	Annual income value (for one person), (in €)	Assets value (for one person), (in €)
for criminal cases	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP
for other than criminal cases	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP

Comments - Please indicate if any other eligibility criteria are taken into account for granting the legal aid and any comment that could explain the figures provided above:

### Indicator 4.3 (Timeframes for granting legal aid)

#### 88-1. Question 20-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Please indicate the timeframes of the procedure for granting legal aid, in relation to the duration from the initial legal aid request to the final approval of the legal aid request:

	Time in days
Maximum duration prescribed in law/regulation	_____ / NA / NAP
Actual average duration	_____ / NA / NAP

Comments - Please specify if the envisaged timeframe is set in a statutory law, or in other regulation. Furthermore, if different timeframes are envisaged for criminal and other than criminal cases please provide more information:

### Indicator 5 Appointment/recruitment/mandate of judges/prosecutors

#### Indicator 5.1 Selection and recruitment

Description of the specific procedure of recruitment (entry procedure/selection/appointment) for a judge:

#### 89. Question 110 CEPEJ Questionnaire

How are judges recruited?

- Mainly through a competitive exam (open competition)  
 Mainly through a recruitment procedure for experienced legal professionals (for example experienced lawyers)

- A combination of both (competitive exam and working experience)
- Other, please specify:

## **A. Criteria for entry into the process to become a judge**

### **90. What are the entry criteria to become a judge?**

<b>Criteria</b>	<b>Via Judicial Academy</b>	<b>Without Judicial Academy</b>
Basic law studies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advanced law studies (masters or PhD)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judicial exam/bar exam	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Average grades in education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Years of work experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Relevance of previous work experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clean criminal record	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Foreign language knowledge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Entry test	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other" or "Clean criminal record", please specify:

### **91. Which authority is competent during the entry selection procedure?**

	<b>Via Judicial Academy</b>	<b>Without Judicial Academy</b>
Parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Executive power	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High Judicial Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judicial Academy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other body" or "Executive power", please specify:

### **92. Is there a public call for candidates to become a judge?**

- Via the Judicial Academy
- Without Judicial Academy

### **93. Are the entry criteria to become a judge publicly available?**

	<b>Via Judicial Academy</b>	<b>Without Judicial Academy</b>
Yes, announced as part of the public call	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, announced separately	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

### **94. Is there a list of pre-selected candidates which is public?**

	<b>Via Judicial Academy</b>	<b>Without Judicial Academy</b>
Yes, published on the internet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No, sent only to the candidates who participated in the competition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

### **95. Is there a possibility for non pre-selected candidates to appeal?**

	<b>Via Judicial Academy</b>	<b>Without Judicial Academy</b>
Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**96. If yes, what body is competent to decide on appeal?**

	Via Judicial Academy	Without Judicial Academy
Parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Executive power	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High Judicial Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judicial Academy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Court	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other body", "Court" or "Executive power", please specify:

**B. Selection procedure for judges (after exam/interviews, etc.)**

**97. What are the criteria for the selection of judges?**

Criteria	Judicial Academy graduates	Other than Judicial Academy graduates
Results/score from Judicial Academy training / Additional testing for non-Academy graduates	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Relevance of previous work experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Duration of previous work experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Age	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Interview evaluation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Performance appraisal (from previous employer)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other criteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Automatic selection of each successful candidate from the Judicial Academy or every pre-selected experienced candidate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other criteria", please specify:

**98. Which authority is competent to select judges?**

	Via Judicial Academy	Without Judicial Academy
Parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Executive power	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High Judicial Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judicial Academy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other body" or "Executive power", please specify:

**C. Formal decision of appointment of judges (including by Parliament)**

**99. Which authority is competent for the final appointment of a judge?**

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- High Judicial Council
- Judicial Academy
- Court/Court president concerned
- Higher court/Supreme Court
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**100. Which competences has this authority in the final appointment procedure (multiple replies possible):**

- Only confirms all the selected (proposed) candidates
- Has a right to appoint some and reject some among the selected (proposed) candidates
- Has a right to appoint candidates that were not selected (proposed) by the competent authority

Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**101. May non-selected candidates appeal against the decision of appointment?**

Yes  No

**102. If yes, what body is competent to decide on appeal?**

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- High Judicial Council
- Court
- Judicial Academy
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**103. How do you check the integrity of candidate judges?**

#### **D. Mandate of judges**

**104. Question 121 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are judges appointed to office for an undetermined period (i.e. "for life" = until the official age of retirement)?**

- Yes. If yes, please indicate the compulsory retirement age: \_\_\_\_\_
- No

Comments - If yes, are there exceptions (e.g. dismissal as a disciplinary sanction)? Please specify:

**105. Question 122 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there a probation period for judges (e.g. before being appointed "for life")? If yes, how long is this period?**

- Yes Duration of the probation period (in years): \_\_\_\_\_
- No
- NAP

**106. If yes, which authority is competent to decide if the probation period is successful?**

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- High Judicial Council
- Judicial Academy
- Court/Court president concerned
- Higher court/Supreme Court
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**107. Is there a possibility to appeal against this decision?**

Yes  No

**108. Question 125 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If the mandate for judges is not for an undetermined period (see question 104), what is the length of the mandate (in years)?**

Length of the mandate for judges (in years): \_\_\_\_\_ / NA/ NAP

**109. Question 125-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is it renewable?**

Yes  No  NAP

**Description of the specific procedure of recruitment (entry procedure/selection/appointment) for a prosecutor:**

**111. Question 116 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**How are public prosecutors recruited?**

- mainly through a competitive exam (open competition)
- mainly through a recruitment procedure for experienced legal professionals (for example experienced lawyers)
- a combination of both (competitive exam and working experience)
- other

Comments - If "other", please specify:

**A. Criteria for entry into the process to become a prosecutor**

**112. What are the entry criteria to become a prosecutor?**

Criteria	Via Judicial Academy	Without Judicial Academy
Basic law studies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advanced law studies (master or PhD)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judicial exam/bar exam	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Average grades in education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Years of work experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Relevance of previous work experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clean criminal record	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Foreign language knowledge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Entry test	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Clean criminal record" or "Other", please specify:

**113. Which authority is competent during the entry selection procedure?**

	Via Judicial Academy	Without Judicial Academy
Parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Executive power	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prosecution services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judicial Academy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Executive power" or "Other body", please specify:

**114. Is there a public call for candidates to become a prosecutor?**

- Via the Judicial Academy
- Without Judicial Academy

**115. Are the entry criteria to become a prosecutor publicly available?**

	Via Judicial Academy	Without Judicial Academy
Yes, announced as part of the public call	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, announced separately	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

**116. Is there a list of pre-selected candidates which is public?**

	Via Judicial Academy	Without Judicial Academy
Yes, published on the internet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No, sent only to the candidates who participated in the competition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

**117. Is there a possibility of non-pre-selected candidates to appeal?**

	Via Judicial Academy	<u>Without Judicial Academy</u>
Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**118. If yes, what body is competent to decide on appeal?**

	Via Judicial Academy	<u>Without Judicial Academy</u>
Parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Executive power	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High Judicial/Prosecutorial council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prosecution services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judicial Academy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Court	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other body", "Court" or "Executive power", please specify:

**B. Selection procedure for prosecutors (after exam/interview, etc)**

**119. What are the criteria of selection of public prosecutor?**

Criteria	Judicial Academy graduates	Other than Judicial Academy graduates
Results/score from Judicial Academy training/ Additional testing for non-Academy graduates	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Relevance of previous work experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Duration of previous work experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Age	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Interview evaluation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Performance appraisal (from previous employer)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other criteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Automatic selection of each successful candidate from the Judicial Academy or every pre-selected experienced candidate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other criteria", please specify:

**120. Which authority is competent during the selection procedure of a public prosecutor?**

	Via Judicial Academy	<u>Without Judicial Academy</u>
Parliament	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Executive power	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prosecution services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Judicial Academy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other body	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NAP	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other body" or "Executive power", please specify:

### C. Formal decision of appointment of prosecutors (including by Parliament)

121. Which authority is competent for the final appointment of a prosecutor?

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify \_\_\_\_\_
- High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- Judicial Academy
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

121-1. Which competences has this authority in the final appointment procedure (multiple replies possible):

- Only confirms all the selected (proposed) candidates
- Has a right to appoint some and reject some among the selected (proposed) candidates
- Has a right to appoint candidates that were not selected (proposed) by the competent authority
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

122. May non-selected candidates appeal against the decision of appointment?

- Yes
- No

123. If yes, what body is competent to decide on appeal?

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- Court/prosecution office
- Judicial Academy
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

124. How do you check the integrity of candidate prosecutors?

### D. Mandate of prosecutors

125. Question 123 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Are public prosecutors appointed to office for an undetermined period (i.e. "for life" = until the official age of retirement)?

- Yes. If yes, please indicate the compulsory retirement age: \_\_\_\_\_
- No

Comments - If yes, are there exceptions (e.g. dismissal as a disciplinary sanction)? Please specify:

126. Question 124 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Is there a probation period for public prosecutors? If yes, how long is this period?

- Yes Duration of the probation period (in years): \_\_\_\_\_
- No

127. If yes, which authority is competent to decide if the probation period is successful?

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- Judicial Academy
- Prosecution office concerned
- Higher prosecution office / Prosecutor general (State public prosecutor)
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

128. Is there a possibility to appeal against this decision?

- Yes  No  NAP

129. Question 126 CEPEJ Questionnaire

If the mandate for public prosecutors is not for an undetermined period (see question 125), what is the length of the



**mandate (in years)?**

Length of the mandate for public prosecutors (in years): \_\_\_\_ / NA / NAP

**130. Question 126-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is it renewable?**

Yes  No  NAP

## Indicator 6 Promotion

### For judges

**132. Which authority is competent for the promotion of judges?**

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_
- High Judicial Council
- Judicial Academy
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_

**133. Question 113 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**What is the procedure for the promotion of judges? (multiple replies possible)**

- Competitive test / Exam
- Other procedure (interview or other)
- No special procedure

Comments - Please specify how the promotion procedure for judges is organised (especially if there is no competition or examination):

**134. Question 113-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Please indicate the criteria used for the promotion of a judge: (multiple replies possible)**

- Years of experience
- Professional skills (and/or qualitative performance)
- Performance (quantitative)
- Subjective criteria (e.g. integrity, reputation)
- Other
- No criteria

Comments - Please specify any useful comment regarding the criteria (especially if you have ticked the box "Performance" or "Other"):

**135. Can a decision on the promotion of judges be appealed?**

Yes  No  NAP

**136. If yes, what is the body competent to decide on appeal?**

- Parliament
- Executive power
- High Judicial council
- Court
- Judicial academy
- Other body

Comments - If "Executive power" and/or "Other", please specify:

### For prosecutors

137. Which authority is competent for the promotion of prosecutors?

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- Judicial Academy
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

138. Question 119 CEPEJ Questionnaire

What is the procedure for the promotion of prosecutors? (multiple replies possible)

- Competitive test / exam
- Other procedure (interview or other)
- No special procedure

Comments - Please, specify how the promotion procedure for prosecutors is organised (especially if there is no competition or examination):

139. Question 119-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Please indicate the criteria used for the promotion of a prosecutor (multiple replies possible):

- Years of experience
- Professional skills (and/or qualitative performance)
- Performance (quantitative)
- Subjective criteria (e.g. integrity, reputation)
- Other
- No criteria

Comments - Please specify any useful information regarding the criteria (especially if you have ticked the box "Performance" or "Other"):

140. Can a decision on the promotion of prosecutors be appealed?

- Yes  No  NAP

141. If yes, what body is competent to decide on appeal?

- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- Court/prosecution office
- Judicial Academy
- Other body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

## Indicator 7 Training

### Indicator 7.1 Training

142. Question 131-0 CEPEJ Questionnaire

What is the budget of the training institution(s)?

Type of institution	Budget of the institution for the reference year, in €
One institution for judges	_____/ NA / NAP
One institution for prosecutors	_____/ NA / NAP
One single institution for both judges and prosecutors	_____/ NA / NAP

143. Question 127 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Training of judges:

Type of training	Compulsory	Optional	No training proposed
Initial training (e.g. attend a judicial school, traineeship in a court)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
General in-service training	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for specialised judicial functions (e.g. judge for economic or administrative issues)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for management functions of the court (e.g. court president)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for the use of computer facilities in courts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training on ethics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training on child-friendly justice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

144. [Question 129 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)

Training of public prosecutors:

Type of training	Compulsory	Optional	No training proposed
Initial training	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
General in-service training	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for specialised functions (e.g. public prosecutor specialised in organised crime)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for management functions (e.g. Head of prosecution office, manager)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for the use of computer facilities in office	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training on ethics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training on child-friendly justice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

145. [Question 128 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)

Frequency of the in-service training of judges:

Type of training	Regularly (for example every year)	Occasional (as needed)	No training proposed
General in-service training	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for specialised judicial functions (e.g. judge for economic or administrative issues)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for management functions of the court (e.g. court president)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for the use of computer facilities in courts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training on ethics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training on child-friendly justice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - Please indicate any information on the periodicity of the continuous training of judges:

146. [Question 130 CEPEJ Questionnaire](#)

Frequency of the in-service training of public prosecutors:

Type of training	Regularly (for example every year)	Occasional (as needed)	No training proposed
General in-service training	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for specialised functions (e.g. public prosecutor specialised on organised crime)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for management functions (e.g. Head of prosecution office, manager)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training for the use of computer facilities in office	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training on ethics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In-service training on child-friendly justice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - Please indicate any information on the periodicity of the in-service training of prosecutors:

147. **Question 131-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Number of in-service training courses available and delivered (in days) by the public institution(s) responsible for training.**

	Number of in-person training courses available	Number of delivered in-person training courses in days	Online training courses available during the reference year (e-learning)
<b>Total</b>	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
For judges	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
For prosecutors	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
For non-judge staff	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
For non-prosecutor staff	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
Training for other professionals	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP

Comments – Please specify if there are training courses of judges and/or prosecutors that include other professionals in the field of justice:

**147-1. Question 131-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Number of participants of the training courses during the reference year**

	Number of participants in in-person training courses	Number of participants in online training courses (e-learning)
<b>Total</b>	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
Judges	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
Prosecutors	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
Non-judge staff	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
Non-prosecutor staff	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
Other professionals	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP

**148. If in-service training is compulsory for judges, are sanctions foreseen if judges do not attend the training sessions? If yes, please specify.**

Yes, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

No

**149. If in-service training is compulsory for prosecutors, are sanctions foreseen if prosecutors do not attend the training sessions? If yes, please specify.**

Yes, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

No

**150. Do judges/public prosecutors have to undergo compulsory in-service training solely dedicated to ethics, the prevention of corruption and conflicts of interest?**

- Judges  
 Public prosecutors

Comments - Please describe this training:

**151. If yes, what is the duration of this training in total?**

- Up to 1 day  
 2-3 days  
 longer  
 NAP

**152. If yes, how often during their career do they need to participate on this training?**

	Frequency
judges	<input type="checkbox"/> Only once <input type="checkbox"/> More than once on an ad hoc basis <input type="checkbox"/> More than once on a regular basis <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
prosecutors	<input type="checkbox"/> Only once <input type="checkbox"/> More than once on an ad hoc basis <input type="checkbox"/> More than once on a regular basis <input type="checkbox"/> NAP

**153. Question 59-1 CEPEJ questionnaire**

**Do prosecution offices have prosecutors who are specially trained in areas of domestic violence and sexual violence?**

Domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, specifically for minor victims <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Sexual violence	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, specifically for minor victims <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/> NAP

Comments - If yes, please specify:

## Indicator 7.2 Training in EU Law

**154. Number of training courses organised by the institutions responsible for training and number of participating judges and prosecutors concerning the following categories.**

Type of training	Number of in-person training courses available	Number of delivered in-person training courses in days	Number of online training courses (e-learning) available	Number of judges participating	Number of prosecutors participating
EU law	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP
EU Charter of Fundamental Rights/European Convention on Human Rights	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP	_____/ NA / NAP

155. **Number of these training courses organised/financed by other stakeholders in the framework of co-operation programmes (for ex. EU funded projects).**

Type of training	Number of in-person training courses available	Number of delivered in-person training courses in days	Number of online training courses (e-learning) available	Number of judges participating	Number of prosecutors participating
EU law	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
EU Charter of Fundamental Rights/European Convention on Human Rights	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP

## Indicator 8 Accountability and processes affecting public trust

### Indicator 8.1 Confidence and satisfaction of the public with their justice system

156. **Question 37 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Is there a system for compensating users in the following circumstances:

	Number of requests for compensation	Number of condemnations	Total amount (in €)
Total	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
excessive length of proceedings	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
non-execution of court decisions	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
wrongful arrest	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
wrongful conviction	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
other	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP

Comments - Where appropriate, please give details of the compensation procedure and the calculation method for the amount of the compensation (e.g. the amount per day for unjustified detentions or convictions):

157. **Question 40 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Is there a national or local procedure for filing complaints about the functioning of the judicial system? (for example, handling of the case by a judge or the duration of a proceeding)

Yes  No

158. **Question 41 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If yes, please specify certain aspects of this procedure:

	Authority responsible for dealing with the complaint	Existence of a time limit to deal with the complaint for this authority
Court concerned	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Higher court	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ministry of Justice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High Judicial Council	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other external bodies (e.g. Ombudsman)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

159. **Question 41-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

If yes, please specify certain aspects of this procedure:

	Number of complaints	Compensation amount granted in euros
TOTAL	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
Court concerned	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
Higher court	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP

Ministry of Justice	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP
High Judicial Council	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP
Other external bodies (e.g. Ombudsman)	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP

Comments - If possible, please give information concerning the efficiency of this complaint procedure and any useful comment:

**160. Question 85 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there a procedure to effectively challenge a judge (recusal), if a party considers that the judge is not impartial?**

- Yes  
 No

Comments - Please, could you briefly specify:

**161. Question 85-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, what is the ratio between the total number of initiated procedures and the total number of recusals pronounced (in the reference year):**

\_\_\_\_\_ /  NA

Comments - Please, could you briefly specify:

**Q162-0. Question 115 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**What is the status of public prosecution services?**

- Has an independent status as a separate entity among state institutions  
 Is part of the executive power but enjoys functional independence (please briefly explain how and to what extent)  
 Is part of the executive power (without functional independence)  
 Is part of the judicial power but enjoys functional independence (please briefly explain how and to what extent)  
 Is part of the judicial power (without functional independence)  
 Is a mixed model (please explain)  
 Has other status (please explain)

Comments - When appropriate, please specify the objective guarantees of this independence (such as funding) and where they are enshrined (Constitution, legislation etc.). Furthermore, if "mixed model" or "other", please specify:

**162. Question 115-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Does the law or other regulation prevent specific instructions to prosecute or not, addressed to a public prosecutor?**

- Yes  No

Comments - If yes, please specify:

**162-1. Question 115-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If you answered "Yes" to Q162, are there exceptions provided by the law/regulations?**

- Yes  No  NAP

Comments - Please describe this exception:

**162-2.0. Question 115-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If you answered "No" to Q162, which authority can issue the specific instructions?**

- General Prosecutor  
 Higher prosecutor/Head of prosecution office  
 Executive power  
 Other

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

**162-2. Question 115-4 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If you answered "No" to Q162, what form these instructions may take?**

- Oral instruction
- Oral instruction with written confirmation
- Written instruction
- Other
- NAP

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

**Q162-3. Question 115-5 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**In that case, are the instructions:**

- Issued seeking prior advice from the competent public prosecutor
- Mandatory
- Argued
- Recorded in the case file
- Other
- NAP

Comments - If "Other", please specify:

**162-4. Question 115-6 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**What is the frequency of this type of instructions:**

- Exceptional
- Occasional
- Frequent
- Systematic
- NAP

**162-5. Question 115-7 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Can the public prosecutor oppose/report an instruction to an independent body?**

- Yes  No  NAP

Comments - If yes, please specify to which body/institution and please describe under which conditions:

**163. Question 31 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are there special favourable arrangements to be applied, during judicial proceedings, to the following categories of vulnerable persons:**

	Information mechanism	Special arrangements in hearings	Other specific arrangements
Victims of sexual violence/rape	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Victims of terrorism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Minors (witnesses or victims)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Victims of domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ethnic minorities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Persons with disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Juvenile offenders	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (e.g. victims of human trafficking, forced marriage, sexual mutilation)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other vulnerable person" and/or "Other special arrangements", please specify:

**Indicator 8.2 Promotion of integrity and prevention of corruption**



164. What are the legal provisions in the hierarchy of norms, which guarantee the independence of judges?

- Constitution
- Special law
- Bylaw
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

165. Please indicate the articles and copy the relevant legal provisions in English which ensure guarantees of the independence of judges:

166. What are the legal provisions in the hierarchy of norms, which guarantee the independence of prosecutors?

- Constitution
- Special law
- Bylaw
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

167. Please indicate the articles and copy the relevant legal provisions in English which guarantee the independence of prosecutors:

168. Please indicate and copy the terms of the laws and regulations (criminal code, law on disciplinary liability, codes of conduct, etc.) which describe the different possible breaches of integrity of judges:

169. Please indicate and copy the terms of the laws and regulations (criminal code, law on disciplinary liability, codes of conduct, etc.) which describe the different possible breaches of integrity of prosecutors:

170. Please indicate and copy the terms of the laws and regulations (criminal code, law on disciplinary liability, codes of conduct, etc.) which describe the different possible breaches of integrity of staff of the court:

171. Number of criminal cases against judges or prosecutors.

	Number of initiated cases	Number of completed cases	Number of sanctions pronounced
Judges	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP
Prosecutors	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP

172-0. Are specific measures to prevent corruption in place?

	Judges	Prosecutors
Rotation of assignments of judges, prosecutors and staff	Yes / No / NAP	Yes / No / NAP
Gift rules	Yes / No / NAP	Yes / No / NAP
Specific training	Yes / No / NAP	Yes / No / NAP
Internal controls	Yes / No / NAP	Yes / No / NAP
Safe complaints mechanisms	Yes / No / NAP	Yes / No / NAP
Other (please specify)	Yes / No / NAP	Yes / No / NAP
No mechanism in place	Yes / No / NAP	Yes / No / NAP

172. Is there a code of ethics applicable to all judges? Please provide the link.

- Yes. Please provide the link
- No

173. If yes, is it regularly updated?

- Yes  No  NAP

If yes, please specify how often:

\_\_\_\_\_

**174. Is there a code of ethics applicable to all prosecutors? Please provide the link.**

- Yes Please provide the link \_\_\_\_\_  
 No

**175. If yes, is it regularly updated?**

- Yes  No  NAP

If yes, please specify how often:  
\_\_\_\_\_

**176. Question 138 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there in your country an institution / body giving opinions on ethical questions of the conduct of judges (e.g. involvement in political life, use of social media by judges, etc.)**

- Yes  No

**177. Question 138-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, who are the members of this institution / body?**

- Only judges  
 Judges and other legal professionals  
 Other, please specify:

**178. Question 138-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are the opinions of this institution / body publicly available?**

- Yes  
 No  
 NAP

Comments - Please describe the work of this institution / body, the frequency of opinions, etc.:

**179. Question 138-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Is there in your country an institution / body giving opinions on ethical questions of the conduct of prosecutors (e.g. involvement in political life, use of social media by prosecutors, etc.)**

- Yes  
 No

**180. Question 138-4 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**If yes, who are the members of this institution / body?**

- Only prosecutors  
 Prosecutors and other legal professionals  
 Other, please specify:

**181. Question 138-5 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are the opinions of this institution / body publicly available?**

- Yes  
 No  
 NAP

Comments - Please describe the work of this institution / body, the frequency of opinions, etc.:

**182. Is there in your system an established mechanism to report attempts on influence/corruption on judges and prosecutors?**

- for judges, please describe \_\_\_\_\_  
 for prosecutors, please describe \_\_\_\_\_

**183. Is transparency in distribution of court cases ensured in your judicial system?**

- Yes

No

**184. How is distribution of court cases organized in your system?**

- automatic allocation (first available judge/allocation from predefined list)
- random allocation (completely by random algorithm)
- other type of allocation, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- specific allocation for priority cases, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- possibility to exclude a judge from the allocation, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- all interventions on the system are irreversibly logged/registered

Comments - If there are exceptions from the main process, please specify:

**185. What are the different possible reasons for reassigning a case?**

- Conflict of interest declared by the judge or by the parties
- Recusal of the judge or requested by the parties
- Physical unavailability (illness, longer absence)
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**186. Does the reassignment of cases have to be reasoned?**

- Yes, for all reassignments
- Yes, for some reassignments
- No
- NAP

Comments - Please specify:

**187. Are all reassignments of cases processed through the computerised distribution of cases?**

- Yes
- No
- NAP

**188. If yes, how are reassignments of cases processed:**

- automatic allocation (first available/allocation from predefined list)
- random allocation (completely by random algorithm)
- by discretion of a president of a court, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- other, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- all interventions on the system are irreversibly logged/registered

**189. Level of implementation of the recommendations addressed by GRECO (Council of Europe Group of States against Corruption) to the country concerned in its Evaluation Report (in the framework of the 4th cycle of evaluation concerning the prevention of corruption in respect of members of parliament, judges and prosecutors)**

## Indicator 8.3 Declaration of assets

### For judges

**190. Which law(s) and regulation(s) require a declaration of assets by judges?**

- Constitution
- Law regulating the status of judges
- Law on High Judicial Council
- Special law
- Special regulation
- Bylaw
- Other
- NAP

**191. Please indicate and copy the terms of these law(s) and regulation(s) in English which require a declaration of assets by judges:**

NAP

**192. Can you provide the declaration of assets form (attachment)?**

NAP

**193. What items are to be declared?**

- assets
- financial interests
- sources of income
- liabilities
- gifts
- others. Please specify.
- NAP

**194. What is the moment of the declaration of assets of judges?**

- at the beginning of the term of office
- at the end of the term of office
- when there is a significant change in the items to be declared.
- other
- NAP

Comments - Please specify what a significant change is:

**195. Does this declaration concern the members of the family?**

- spouse
- partner,
- children (under legal age)
- adult children
- other family members, please specify:
- NAP

**196. Is the declaration for family members the same as for the judge?**

- Yes
- No
- NAP

**197. Which authority receives the declaration? Please specify the status and nature of this authority (is it an independent body, what is the procedure for appointing members etc.):**

NAP

**198. Are these declarations of assets verified as regards:**

- the timeliness of the form/declaration
- the completeness of the form/declaration
- the accuracy of the content of the declaration
- unexplained financial discrepancies (unusual change in assets, liabilities, income, etc.)
- NAP

**199. Is there a register of declaration of assets?**

Yes

- No
- NAP

**200. Where is the declaration published?**

- On internet
- In an official journal
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Not published
- NAP

**201. What is the sanction in case of non-declaration of assets?**

- Warning
- Fine
- Withdrawal from cases
- Transfer to another geographical (court) location
- Suspension
- Other criminal sanction, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other disciplinary sanction, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_
- NAP

**202. Number of proceedings against judges due to violations/discrepancies in their declaration of assets:**

	Number of cases initiated	Number of cases completed	Number of sanctions pronounced
	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP

**For prosecutors**

**203. Which law(s) and regulation(s) require a declaration of assets by prosecutors**

- Constitution
- Law regulating the status of prosecutors
- Law on High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- Special law
- Special regulation
- Bylaw
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

**204. Please indicate and copy in English the terms of these law(s) and regulation(s) which require a declaration of assets by prosecutors:**

- NAP

**205. Can you provide the declaration of assets form? (attachment) \_\_\_\_\_**

- Yes
- No
- NAP

**206. What items are to be declared?**

- assets
- financial interests
- sources of income
- liabilities
- gifts
- others, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

**207. What is the moment of the declaration of assets of prosecutors?**

- at the beginning of the term of office
- at the end of the term of office
- when there is a significant change in the items to be declared
- other
- NAP

Comments - Please specify what a significant change is:

**208. Does this declaration concern the members of the family?**

- spouse
- partner
- children (under legal age)
- adult children
- other family members, please specify:
- NAP

**209. Is the declaration for family members the same as for the prosecutor?**

- Yes
- No
- NAP

**210. Which authority receives the declaration?** \_\_\_\_\_

- NAP

**211. Are these declarations of assets verified as regards:**

- the timeliness of the form/declaration
- the completeness of the form/declaration
- the accuracy of the content of the declaration
- unexplained financial discrepancies (unusual change in assets, liabilities, income, etc.)
- NAP

**212. Is there a register of declaration of assets?**

- Yes
- No
- NAP

**213. Where is the declaration published?**

- On internet
- In an official journal
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_
- Not published
- NAP

**214. What is the sanction in case of non-declaration of assets?**

- Warning
- Fine
- Withdrawal from cases
- Transfer to another public prosecution office
- Suspension
- Other criminal sanction, please specify: \_\_\_\_
- Other disciplinary sanction, please specify: \_\_\_\_:
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_
- NAP

**215. Number of proceedings against prosecutors due to violations/discrepancies in their declaration of assets:**

	Number of cases	Number of cases	Number of
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	initiated	completed	sanctions pronounced
	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP

## Indicator 8.4 Conflicts of interests

### For judges

216. Please indicate the title(s) of the law(s)/regulation(s), the article and copy the text in English (law on prevention of “conflicts of interest” but also criminal procedure code, civil procedure code, code of ethics, etc.) concerning conflicts of interest of judges (and related issues such as recusals, accessory activities, gifts):

217. Select and describe the procedures/mechanisms for managing (potential) conflicts of interest of judges:

- Regulation/procedure on reporting a (potential) conflict of interest \_\_\_\_\_  
 Regulation/procedure for recusal/withdrawal from a case \_\_\_\_\_  
 Regulation on receiving gifts \_\_\_\_\_  
 Regulation on combining the profession of a judge with other functions/professional activities \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

218. Question 135 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Can judges combine their work with any of the following other functions/activities?

Functions/activities	With remuneration	Without remuneration
Teaching	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Research and publication	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Arbitrator	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consultant	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cultural function	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Political function	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mediator	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other function	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If rules exist in your country (e.g. authorisation needed to perform these activities), please specify. If "Other function", please specify:

219. Is an authorisation needed to perform these accessory activities for judges?

- Yes  
 No  
 Yes, for some  
 NAP

220. If yes, who is giving authorisation for these accessory activities for judges?

- The court in question  
 High Judicial Council  
 Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
 NAP

221. If not, does the judge have to inform his or her hierarchy about these accessory activities?

- Yes  
 No

**222. Under which law/regulation are proceedings for breaches of rules on conflicts of interest in respect of judges regulated?**

- law on prevention of conflict of interest
- criminal procedure code
- civil procedure code
- code of ethics
- law on judges
- law on the High Judicial Council
- other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

**223. In which law is the procedure to sanction breaches of the rules on conflicts of interest in respect of judges regulated:**

- law on the prevention of conflicts of interest
- criminal procedure code
- criminal code
- civil procedure code
- civil code
- code of ethics
- law on judges
- law on the High Judicial Council
- other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

Comments - Please briefly describe the procedure:

**224. Number of procedures initiated/completed/sanctions pronounced for breaches of the rules on conflicts of interest in respect of judges in the reference year**

	Number of cases initiated	Number of cases completed	Number of sanctions pronounced
	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP

**For prosecutors**

**225. Please indicate the title(s) of the law(s)/regulation(s), the article and copy the text in English (law on prevention of “conflicts of interest” but also criminal procedure code, civil procedure code, code of ethics, etc.) concerning conflicts of interest of prosecutors (and related issues such as recusals, accessory activities, gifts):**

**226. Select and describe the procedures/mechanisms for managing (potential) conflicts of interest of prosecutors:**

- Regulation/procedure on reporting a (potential) conflict of interest \_\_\_\_\_
- Regulation/procedure for recusal/withdrawal from a case \_\_\_\_\_
- Regulation on receiving gifts \_\_\_\_\_
- Regulation on combining the profession of a prosecutor with other functions/professional activities \_\_\_\_\_
- Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

**227. Question 137 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Can public prosecutors combine their work with any of the following other functions/activities?**

Functions/activities	With remuneration	Without remuneration
Teaching	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Research and publication	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Arbitrator	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consultant	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cultural function	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Political function	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mediator	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other function	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



Comments - If rules exist in your country (e.g. authorisation needed to perform these activities), please specify. If "Other function", please specify:

**228. Is an authorisation needed to perform these accessory activities for public prosecutors?**

- Yes
- No
- Yes, for some
- NAP

**229. If yes, who is giving authorisation for these accessory activities for public prosecutors?**

- The public prosecution office in question
- High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**230. If not, does the prosecutor have to inform his or her hierarchy about these accessory activities?**

- Yes
- No

**231. Under which law/regulation are proceedings for breaches of rules on conflicts of interest in respect of prosecutors regulated?**

- law on the prevention of conflict of interests
- criminal procedure code
- civil procedure code
- code of ethics
- law on public prosecutors/public prosecution
- law on the Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

Comments - Please briefly describe the procedure:

**232. In which law is the procedure to sanction breaches of the rules on conflicts of interest in respect of prosecutors regulated:**

- law on the prevention of conflict of interests
- criminal procedure code
- criminal code
- civil procedure code
- civil code
- code of ethics
- law on public prosecutors/public prosecution
- law on the High Judicial/Prosecutorial Council
- other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- NAP

**233. Number of procedures initiated/completed/sanctions pronounced for conflicts of interests against prosecutors in the reference year**

	Number of cases initiated	Number of cases completed	Number of sanctions pronounced
	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP	_____ / NA / NAP

**Indicator 8.5 Discipline**

**Description of the disciplinary procedure against judges:**

**234. Question 140 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Who is authorised to initiate disciplinary proceedings against judges (multiple replies possible)?

- Court users
- Relevant Court or hierarchical superior
- High Court / Supreme Court
- High Judicial Council

- Disciplinary court
- Disciplinary body (disciplinary prosecutor, investigator etc.)
- Ombudsman
- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- This is not possible

**235. Question 142 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Which authority has disciplinary power over judges? (multiple replies possible)

- Court
- Higher Court / Supreme Court
- High Judicial Council
- Disciplinary court or body
- Ombudsman
- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**236. What are the possibilities for the judge to present an argumentation? (multiple replies possible)**

- Hearing
- Written submission
- None

**237. Number of disciplinary proceedings initiated during the reference year against judges.**

Type of disciplinary proceeding - initiated	Judges
Total number (1 to 5)	____ / NA / NAP
1. Breach of professional ethics (including breach of integrity)	____ / NA / NAP
2. Professional inadequacy	____ / NA / NAP
3. Corruption	____ / NA / NAP
4. Other criminal offence	____ / NA / NAP
5. Other	____ / NA / NAP

Comments - If "Other", please describe what is included in this category:

**237-1. If you choose "Professional inadequacy", please describe what is included in this category?**

**238. Number of cases completed in the reference year against judges.**

Type of disciplinary proceeding - completed	Judges
Total number (1 to 5)	____ / NA / NAP
1. Breach of professional ethics (including breach of integrity)	____ / NA / NAP
2. Professional inadequacy	____ / NA / NAP
3. Corruption	____ / NA / NAP
4. Other criminal offence	____ / NA / NAP
5. Other	____ / NA / NAP

**239. Question 145 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Number of sanctions pronounced during the reference year against judges.

Type of sanctions	Judges
Total number (total 1 to 10)	____ / NA / NAP
1. Reprimand	____ / NA / NAP
2. Suspension	____ / NA / NAP
3. Withdrawal from cases	____ / NA / NAP
4. Fine	____ / NA / NAP

5. Temporary reduction of salary	____ / NA / NAP
6. Position downgrade	____ / NA / NAP
7. Transfer to another geographical (court) location	____ / NA / NAP
8. Resignation	____ / NA / NAP
9. Other	____ / NA / NAP
10. Dismissal	

Comments - If "Other", please specify. If a significant difference exists between the number of disciplinary proceedings and the number of sanctions, please indicate the reasons:

**240. Can a disciplinary decision be appealed?**

- Yes
- No

**241. If yes, what body is competent to decide on appeal?**

- Court
- Higher Court / Supreme Court
- High Judicial Council
- Disciplinary court or body
- Ombudsman
- Parliament
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**242. Question 121-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Can a judge be transferred to another court without his/her consent?**

- For disciplinary reasons
- For organisational reasons
- For other reason, please specify modalities and safeguards: \_\_\_\_\_
- No

**Description of the disciplinary procedure against prosecutors:**

**243. Question 141 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Who is authorised to initiate disciplinary proceedings against public prosecutors (multiple replies possible):**

- Citizens
- Head of the organisational unit or hierarchical superior public prosecutor
- Prosecutor General / State public prosecutor
- Public Prosecutorial Council (High Judicial Council)
- Disciplinary court
- Disciplinary body (disciplinary prosecutor, investigator etc.)
- Ombudsman
- Professional body
- Executive power (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_
- This is not possible

**244. Question 143 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Which authority has disciplinary power over public prosecutors? (multiple replies possible):**

- Supreme Court
- Head of the organisational unit or hierarchical superior
- Prosecutor General / State public prosecutor
- Public prosecutorial Council (High Judicial Council)
- Disciplinary court or body
- Ombudsman
- Professional body, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**245. What are the possibilities for prosecutors to present an argumentation (multiple replies possible)?**

- Hearing  
 Written submission  
 None

**246. Number of disciplinary proceedings initiated during the reference year against public prosecutors.**

Type of disciplinary proceeding - initiated	Prosecutors
Total number (1 to 5)	____ / NA / NAP
1. Breach of professional ethics (including breach of integrity)	____ / NA / NAP
2. Professional inadequacy	____ / NA / NAP
3. Corruption	____ / NA / NAP
4. Other criminal offence	____ / NA / NAP
5. Other	____ / NA / NAP

Comments - If "Other", please describe what is included in this category:

**246-1. If you choose "Professional inadequacy", please describe what is included in this category?**

**247. Number of cases completed in the reference year against public prosecutors.**

Type of disciplinary proceeding - completed	Prosecutors
Total number (1 to 5)	____ / NA / NAP
1. Breach of professional ethics (including breach of integrity)	____ / NA / NAP
2. Professional inadequacy	____ / NA / NAP
3. Corruption	____ / NA / NAP
4. Other criminal offence	____ / NA / NAP
5. Other	____ / NA / NAP

**248. Question 145 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Number of sanctions pronounced during the reference year against public prosecutors.**

Type of sanctions	Prosecutors
<b>Total number</b> (total 1 to 10)	____ / NA / NAP
1. Reprimand	____ / NA / NAP
2. Suspension	____ / NA / NAP
3. Withdrawal from cases	____ / NA / NAP
4. Fine	____ / NA / NAP
5. Temporary reduction of salary	____ / NA / NAP
6. Position downgrade	____ / NA / NAP
7. Transfer to another public prosecution	____ / NA / NAP
8. Resignation	____ / NA / NAP
9. Other	____ / NA / NAP
10. Dismissal	____ / NA / NAP

Comments - If "Other", please specify. If a significant difference exists between the number of disciplinary proceedings and the number of sanctions, please indicate the reasons:

**250. Can the disciplinary decision be appealed?**

- Yes  
 No

**251. If yes, what body is competent to decide on appeal?**

- Supreme Court  
 Head of the organisational unit or hierarchical superior public prosecutor  
 Prosecutor General /State public prosecutor  
 Public prosecutorial Council (High Judicial Council)  
 Disciplinary court or body  
 Ombudsman  
 Professional body

- Executive power, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

## Indicator 9 Alternative Dispute Resolution

### 252. Question 163 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Does the judicial system provide for court-related mediation procedures?

- Yes  No

### 253. Question 163-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire

In some fields, does the judicial system provide for mandatory mediation with a mediator?

- Before/instead of going to court
- Ordered by the court, the judge, the public prosecutor or a public authority in the course of a judicial proceeding
- No mandatory mediation

Comments - If there is mandatory mediation, please specify which fields are concerned:

### 254. Question 163-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire

In some fields, does the legal system provide for mandatory informative sessions with a mediator?

- Yes  No  NAP

Comments - If there are mandatory informative sessions, please specify which fields are concerned:

### 255. Question 164 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Please specify, by type of cases, who provides court-related mediation services:

Type of cases	Private mediator	Public authority (other than the court)	Judge	Public prosecutor
Civil and commercial cases	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Family cases	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Administrative cases	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Labour cases including employment dismissals	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Criminal cases	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Consumer cases	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP

- NAP

### 256. Question 165 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Is there a possibility to receive legal aid for court-related mediation or receive these services free of charge?

- Yes  No  NAP

Comments - If yes, please specify (only one or both options):

### 257. Question 166 CEPEJ Questionnaire

Number of accredited or registered mediators for court-related mediation:

Total	Males	Females
<input type="text"/> / NA / NAP	<input type="text"/> / NA / NAP	<input type="text"/> / NA / NAP

**258. Question 167 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Number of court-related mediations:

	Number of cases for which the parties agreed to start mediation	Number of finished court-related mediations	Number of cases in which there is a settlement agreement
<b>Total (1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5+ 6)</b>	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
1. Civil and commercial cases	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
2. Family cases	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
3. Administrative cases	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
4. Labour cases including employment dismissal cases	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
5. Criminal cases	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP
6. Consumer cases	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP	____ / NA / NAP

NAP

Comments - Please indicate the source:

**259. Question 168 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Do the following alternative dispute resolution (ADR) methods exist in your country?

- Mediation other than court-related mediation
- Arbitration
- Conciliation (if different from mediation)
- Other ADR, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**Indicator 10 ECtHR**

**Indicator 10.1 ECHR**

**260. Question 86 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Is there in your country a monitoring system for violations related to Article 6 of the European Convention on Human Rights?

- For civil procedures (non-enforcement):  Yes  No
- For civil procedures (timeframe):  Yes  No
- For criminal procedures (timeframe):  Yes  No
- NAP

Comments - Please, specify what are the terms and conditions of this monitoring system (information related to acknowledged violations by ECHR at the State/courts level; implementation of internal systems to prevent other violations (that are similar) and if possible to measure an evolution of the established violations):

**261. Question 86-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Is there in your country a possibility to review a case after a finding of a violation of the European Convention on Human Rights by the European Court of Human Rights?

- Yes
- No
- NAP

**262. Number of applications against the country allocated to a judicial formation of the European Court of Human Rights during the reference year (Data to be provided by ECHR or Department of execution of judgments of ECHR)**

**263. Number of judgments delivered against the country finding at least one violation of the European Convention on Human Rights (Data to be provided by ECHR or Department of execution of judgements of ECHR)**

264. **Number of cases considered as closed after a judgment of the European Court of Human Rights and the execution of judgments process (Data to be provided by ECHR or Department of execution of judgements of ECHR)**

**Indicator 11 Council for the Judiciary/ Prosecutorial Council**

265. **Do you have a Council for the Judiciary?**

- Competent only for judges
- Competent only for prosecutors
- Competent for judges and prosecutors

266. **What is the composition of the Council(s)? Please specify the number of members from relevant bodies/institutions?**

Number of members proposed by:	Single Council for the judiciary	Council for judges only	Council for prosecutors only
Total	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Highest authority (Supreme Court/Highest prosecution instance)	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Constitutional Court	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Second instance (courts/prosecution offices)	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
First instance (courts/prosecution offices)	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Parliament	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Ministry of justice	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Ministry of interior	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Academics	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Bar Association	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Civil Society Organisations	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP
Other	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

Comments - If "Other", please describe where the other members come from and how many:

267. **What is the procedure to appoint the different members of the Council(s):**

In case of a single Council for the judiciary \_\_\_\_\_ NAP  
 In case of a Council for judges only \_\_\_\_\_ NAP  
 In case of a Council for prosecutors only \_\_\_\_\_ NAP

268. **Are there selection criteria for non-judge/non-prosecutor members in the Council(s)?**

Yes  No

If yes, what are the criteria? \_\_\_\_\_

269. **What is the term of office of the members of the Council(s) in years?**

	Single Council for the judiciary	Council for judges only	Council for prosecutors only
Term of office as member of the Council	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP	____/ NA / NAP

Comments - If the term in office is different for different members, please specify:

270. **Conditions for the term of office of members of the Council(s)?**

	Single Council for the judiciary	Council for judges only	Council for prosecutors only
_____			

Is the term of office of members renewable (in totality or partially)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Is it a full-time position?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If not a full-time position, are members subject to evaluation procedures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If you have additional comments please specify:

**271. Please describe the different competences of the Council(s).**

Single Council for the judiciary \_\_\_\_\_  
 Council for judges only \_\_\_\_\_  
 Council for prosecutors only \_\_\_\_\_

**272. Please describe what are the operational arrangements in place to avoid an over-concentration of powers in the same hands concerning the different functions to be performed by members of the Judicial Council/Prosecutorial Council?**

NAP

**273. What accountability measures are in place regarding the activities of the Council(s)?**

	Single Council for the judiciary	Council for judges only	Council for prosecutors only
published activity reports	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
published decisions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
reasoned decisions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Comments - If "Other" please specify. Please provide links to the publication sites:

**274. Is/Are the Council(s) competent when it is evident that there is a breach of the independence or the impartiality of a judge or pressure on a prosecutor?**

	For judges	For prosecutors
Single Council for the judiciary	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Council for judges only	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP
Council for prosecutors only	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NAP

Comments – If the Council(s) has/have this competence, please describe:

**Indicator 12 Gender Equality**

**275. Question 61-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

Are there specific provisions for facilitating gender equality within the framework of the procedures for recruiting:

- judges  Yes  No  NAP If "yes", please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- prosecutors  Yes  No  NAP If "yes", please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- non-judge staff  Yes  No  NAP If "yes", please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- lawyers  Yes  No  NAP If "yes", please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- notaries  Yes  No  NAP If "yes", please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- enforcement agents  Yes  No  NAP If "yes", please specify: \_\_\_\_\_



Yes  No

If "yes", please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments - If the situation changed since the reference year, please specify in the comments. If you have additional comments please specify:

**276. Question 61-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are there specific provisions for facilitating gender equality within the framework of the procedures for promoting:**

- judges  
 Yes  No                      If "yes", please specify:
- prosecutors  
 Yes  No                      If "yes", please specify:
- non-judge staff  
 Yes  No                      If "yes", please specify:
- lawyers?  
 Yes  No                      If "yes", please specify:
- notaries  
 Yes  No                      If "yes", please specify:
- enforcement agents  
 Yes  No                      If "yes", please specify:

Comments - If the situation changed since the reference year or you have additional comments, please specify:

**277. Question 61-3-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are there specific provisions for facilitating gender equality within the framework of the procedures for the appointment of:**

**court president**

Yes  No

If "yes", please specify:

**head of prosecution services**

Yes  No

If "yes", please specify:

**278. Question 61-5 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Does your country have an overarching document (e.g. policy/strategy/action plan/program) on gender equality that applies specifically to the judiciary?**

Yes  No

Comments - If the situation changed since the reference year, please indicate in the comments. Could you specify the reference or internet link of this/these document(s) or send/upload it/them to us?

**279. Question 61-6 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**At national level, is there any specific person (e.g. an equal opportunities commissioner)/institution dealing with gender issues in the justice system concerning:**

- the recruitment of judges  
 Yes  No    if yes, please specify:
- the promotion of judges  
 Yes  No    if yes, please specify:
- the recruitment of prosecutors  
 Yes  No    if yes, please specify:
- the promotion of prosecutors  
 Yes  No    if yes, please specify:
- the recruitment of non-judge staff  
 Yes  No    if yes, please specify:

- the promotion of non-judge staff  
 Yes  No if yes, please specify:

Comments - if other than recruitment and/or promotion, please specify. If the situation changed since the reference year, please specify in the comments:

**280. Question 61-6-1 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Please specify the text which set up this person/institution (title, date, nature of the text):**

NAP

**281. Question 61-6-2 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Please specify the status of this person/institution (e.g. independent, attached to the Ministry of Justice, to the High Judicial Council or equivalent or to an inter-ministerial institution specifically dedicated to gender equality):**

NAP

**282. Question 61-6-3 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Please specify if this person/institution has an information and consultative function or if its opinions/decisions have legal consequences (e.g. to block a decision or allow an appeal):**

NAP

**283. Question 61-7 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**At the court or public prosecution services level, is there a person (e.g. an equal opportunities commissioner)/institution specifically dedicated to ensure the respect of gender equality in the organisation of judicial work:**

- in courts (judges)  
 Yes  No
- in public prosecution services (prosecutors)  
 Yes  No
- for courts' non-judge staff  
 Yes  No

Please specify the details of this person/institution, in particular its titles and function:

**284. Question 61-8 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Does the feminisation of certain functions, if it exists in your country, within courts or public prosecution services, lead to concrete changes in the organisation of the work in the following areas:**

- Assignment to different positions  
 Yes  No
- Workload distribution  
 Yes  No
- Working hours  
 Yes  No
- Modalities of teleworking and presence in the workspace  
 Yes  No
- Replacement of absent persons  
 Yes  No
- Organisation of the hearings  
 Yes  No
- Other  
 Yes  No

Comments - If other, please specify. Could you also indicate concrete examples referring to the various possibilities mentioned? If the situation changed since the reference year, please specify in the comments:

**285. Question 61-9 CEPEJ questionnaire**

**In order to improve gender balance in access to different judicial professions and equality in promotion and in access to functions of responsibility, what are the measures, in your country, which:**

- have been already implemented (please specify)
- are planned (please specify)
- NAP

Comments - If the situation changed since reference year, please specify in the comments:

**286. Question 61-10 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are there evaluation studies or official reports regarding the main causes of possible inequalities with regard to:**

Recruitment procedures (please specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, please specify _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointment to the position of court president	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, please specify _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Appointment to the position of head of prosecution services	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, please specify _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Promotion procedures and access to the functions of responsibility (please specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, please specify _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No
Other studies	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, please specify _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No

NAP

Comments - Please specify also the reference documents:

**287. Question 39 CEPEJ Questionnaire**

**Are there statistical data concerning male and female court users, persons who initiate a case, victims, accused persons, etc.?**

- Yes, please specify:
- No

Comments - If you have additional comments please specify: