

MODEL COURT GUIDELINE FOR THE BASIC AND HIGHER COURTS IN THE REPUBLIC OF SERBIA



Republic of Serbia
The High Court Council





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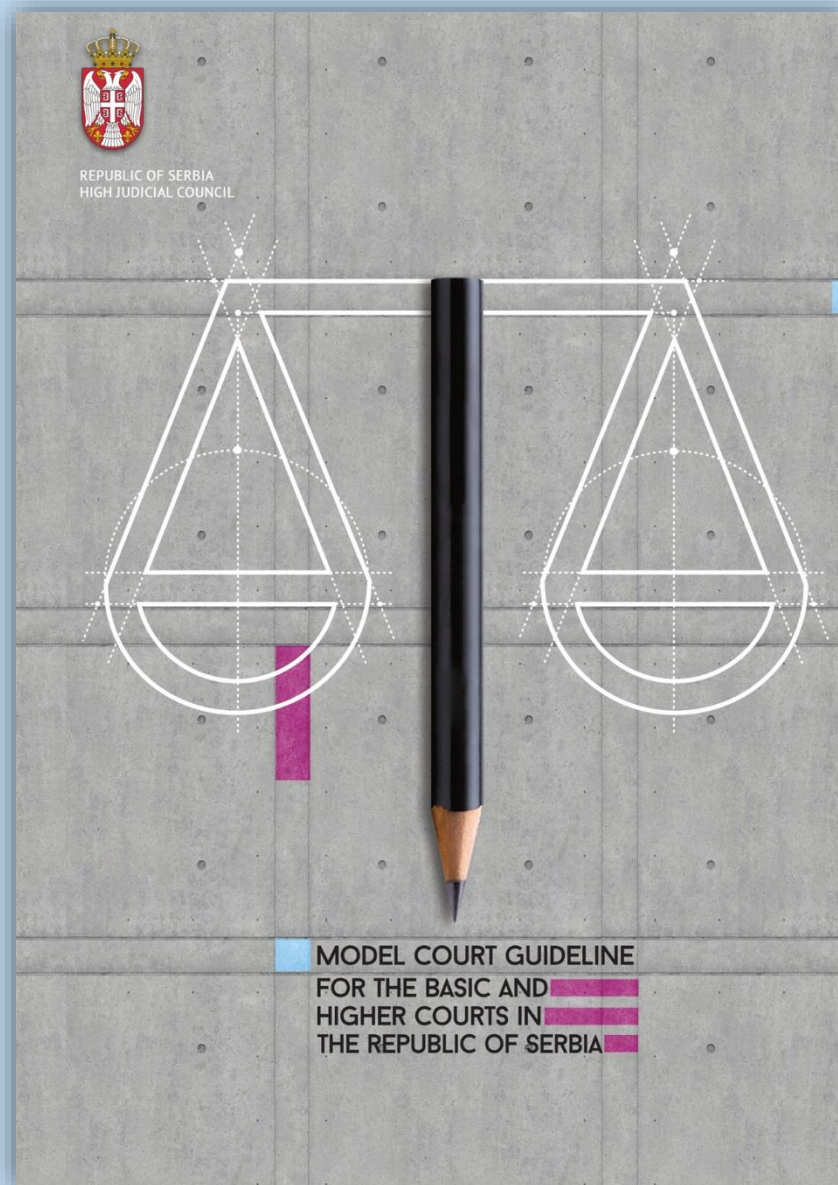
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Beneficiaries of the „Model Court Guidelines“:

- **The High Judicial Council of the Republic of Serbia**
- **Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Serbia**
- **Relevant representatives of the judicial system**
- **Direct participants in the implementation of each project**

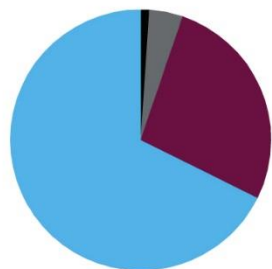
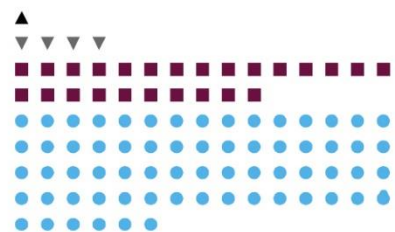


Application of the „Model Court Guidelines“:

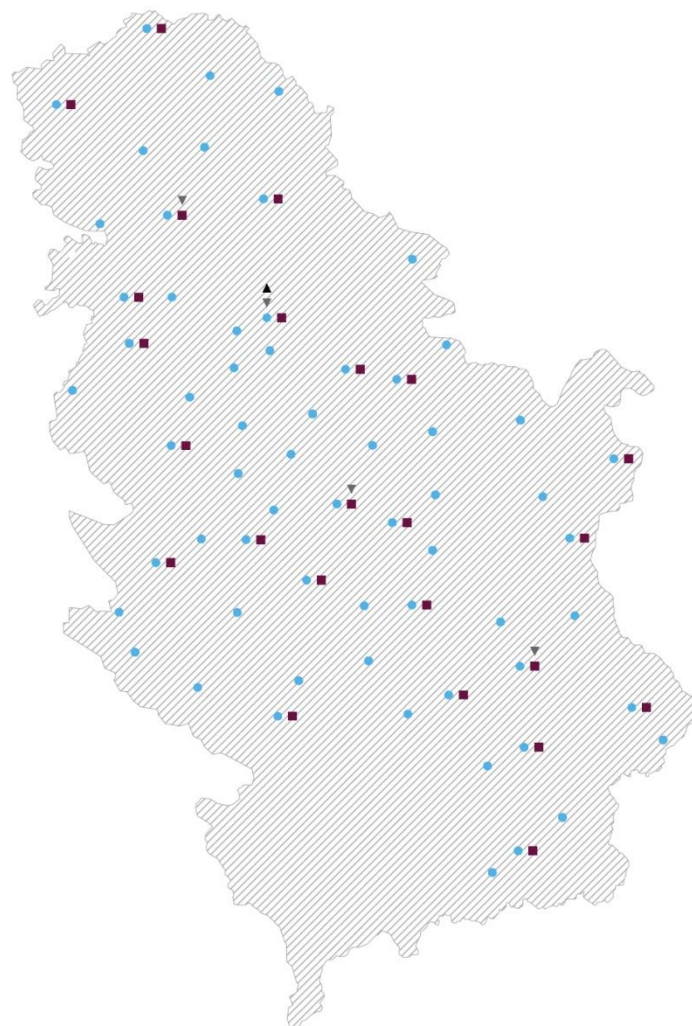
- **Direct - Basic and Higher Courts**
- **Indirect - courts of special jurisdiction and courts of higher instance**



2014 - ...



Source:
Law on Seats and Territories of the Courts
and Public Prosecutors Offices
(Official Gazette of RS, no. 116/2008)
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Risks in use of the document

- **Uncritical and completely taking over of the data**
- **Fragmentary application**
- **Systemic changes during Guidelines application**



NUMBER OF JUDGES IN HIGH COURT

Judge

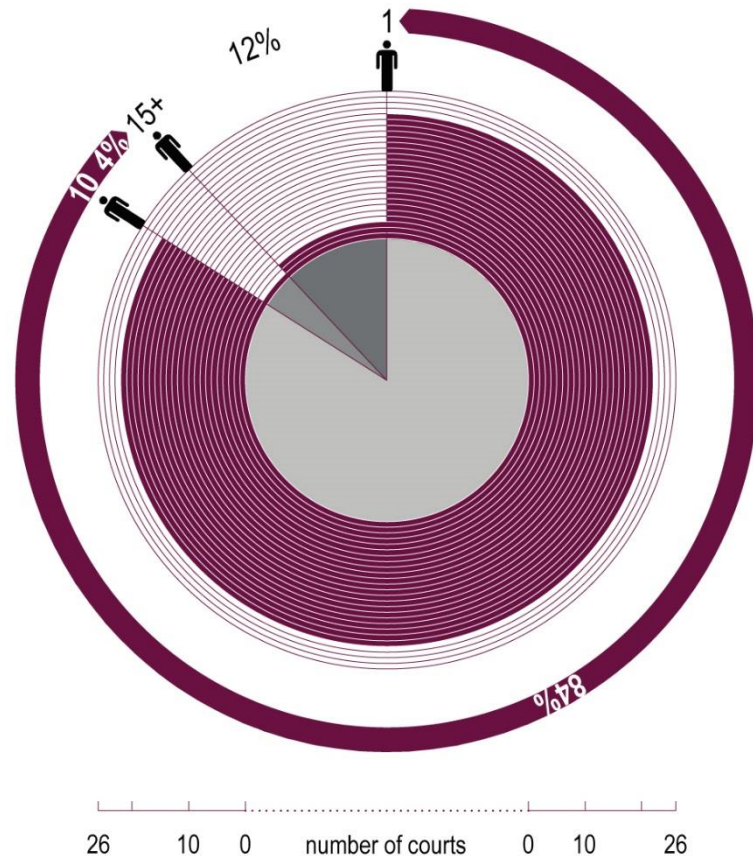


Courts
on which Model Court Guidelines
for Basic and High Court of the
Republic of Serbia may be applied



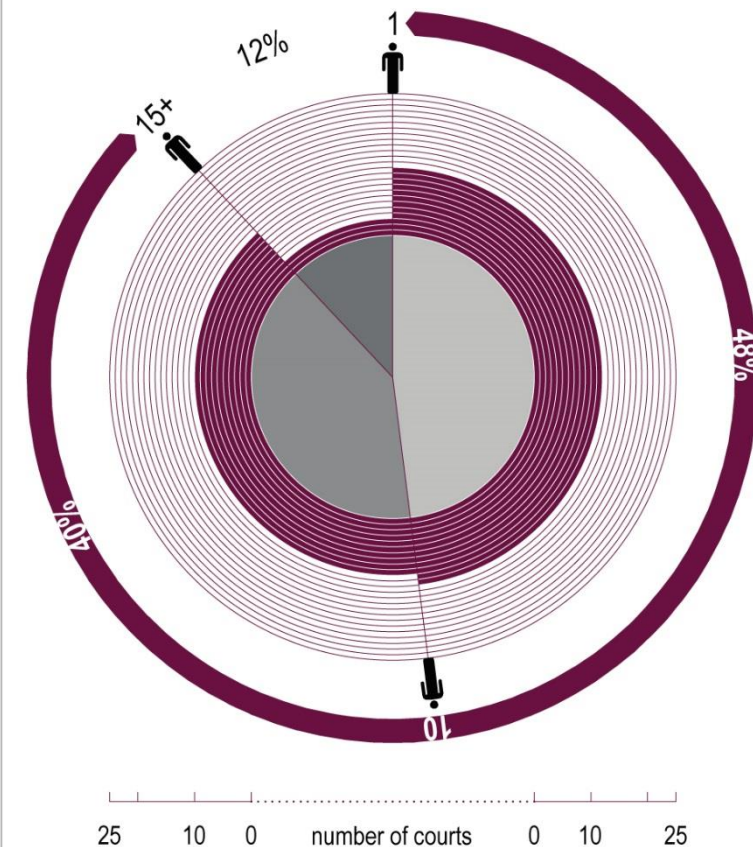
2010 - 2013

01 - 10 judges _ 22 high courts [84%]
11 - 15 judges _ 1 high court [4%]
15 + judges _ 3 high courts [12%]



2014 - ...

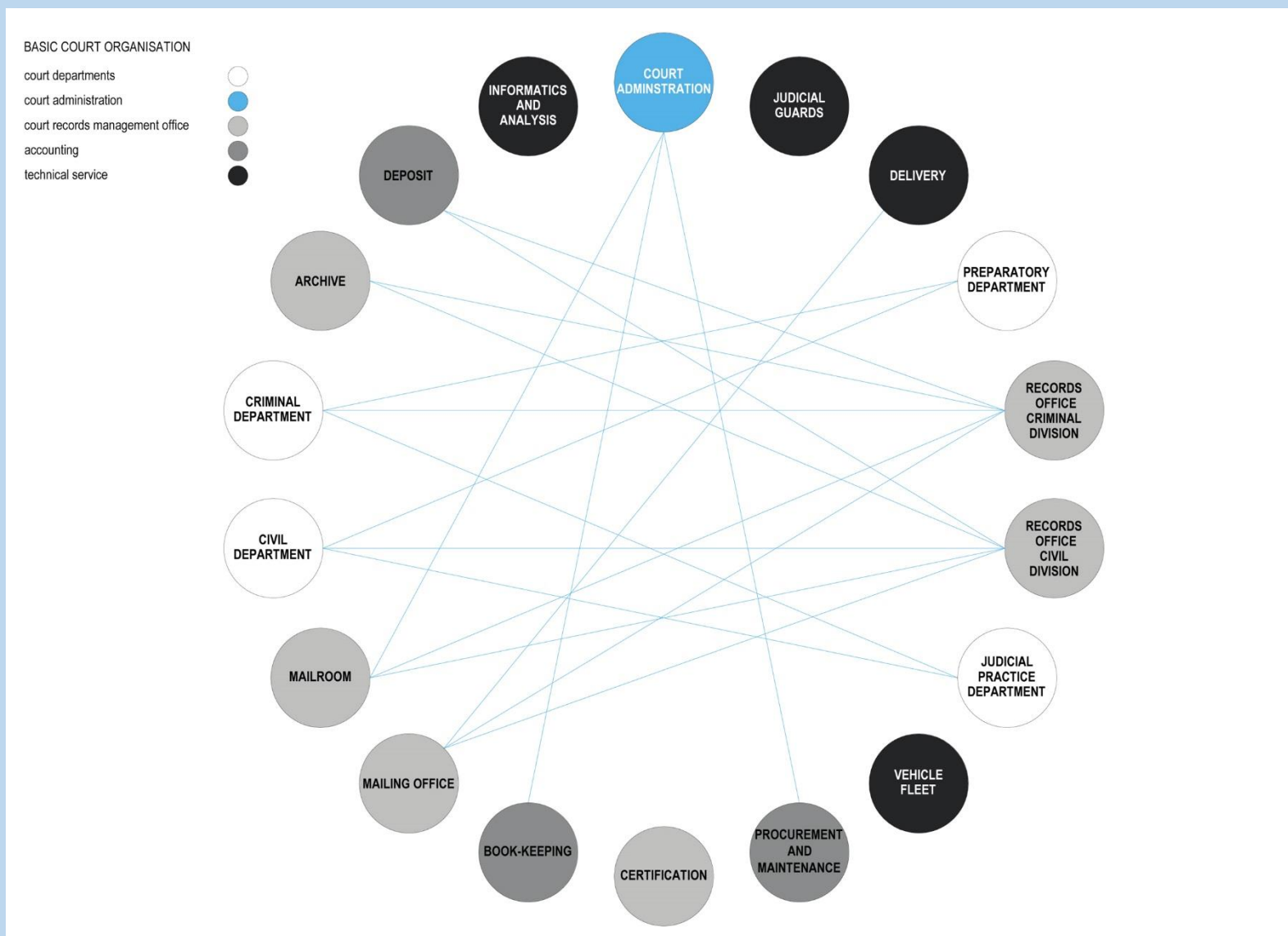
01 - 10 judges _ 12 high courts [48%]
11 - 15 judges _ 10 high courts [40%]
15 + judges _ 3 high courts [12%]





Document Structure

- **Courts in the Republic of Serbia**
 - **Project Development**
 - **Model Court**
 - **Architecture**
 - **Technology**
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BASIC COURT _ MODEL WITH 30 JUDGES _ NUMBER OF STAFF

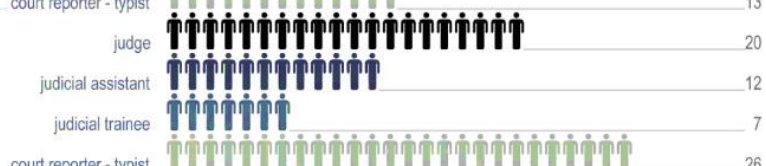
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CRIMINAL DIVISION 32



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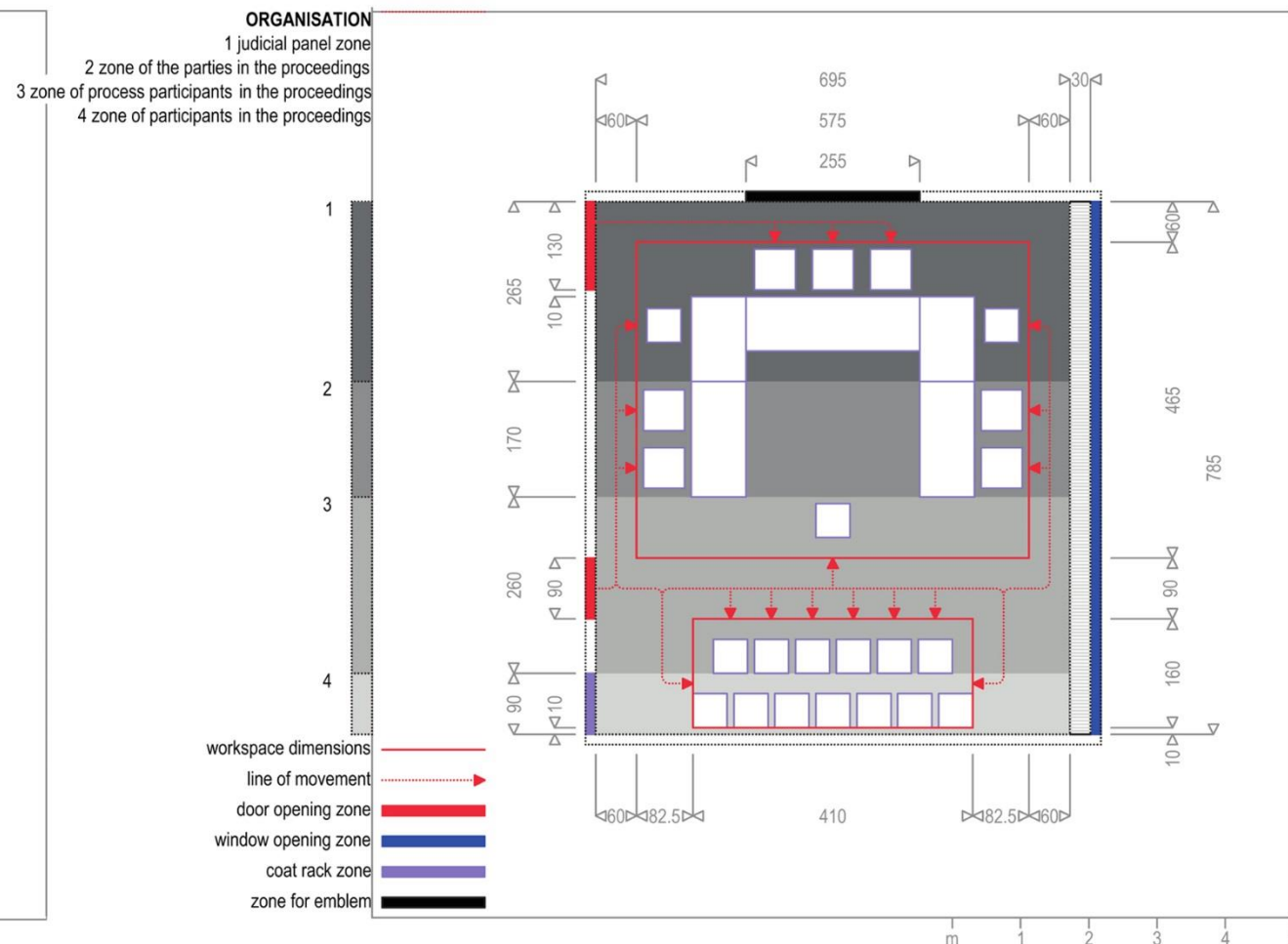
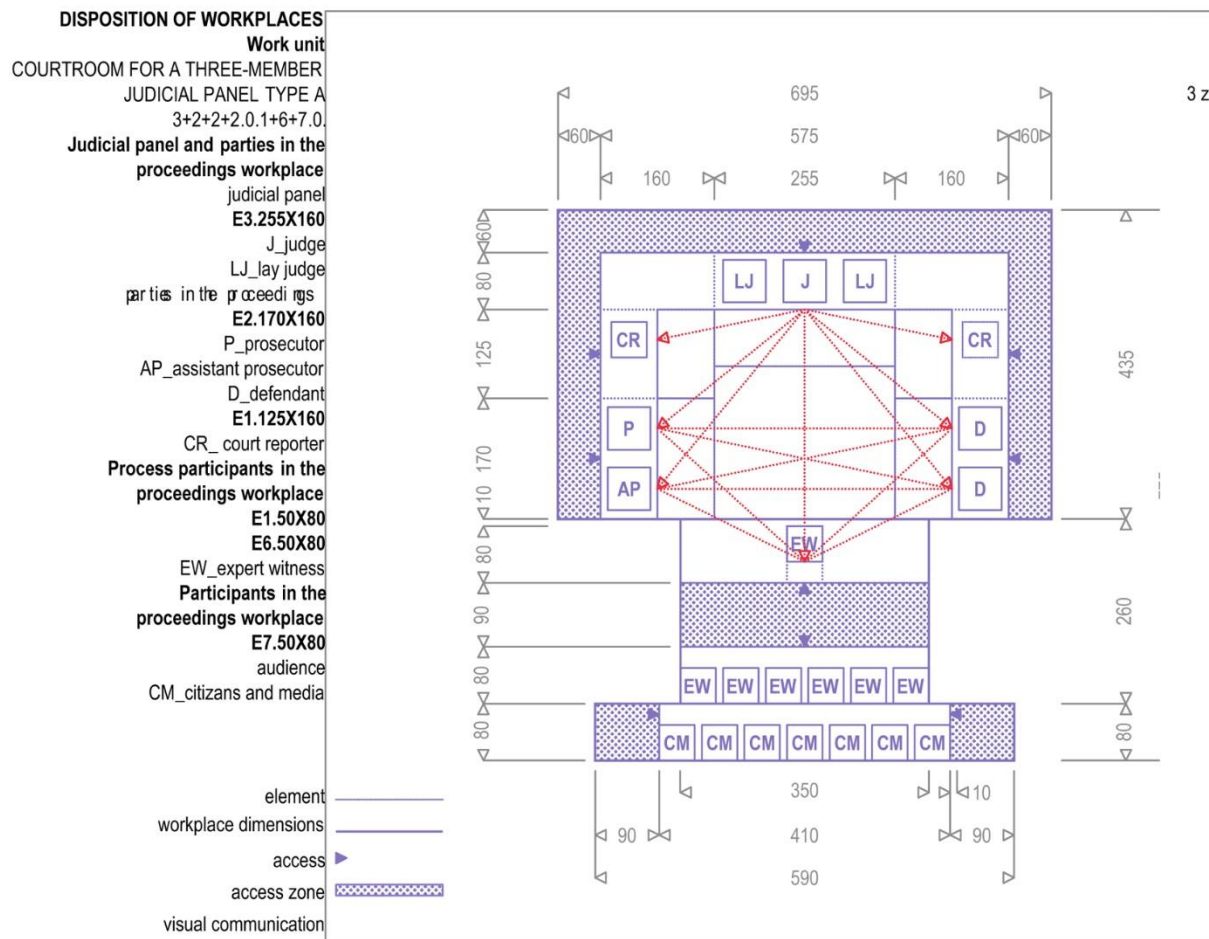


TECHNOLOGICAL STANDARD 1



HYGIENIC STANDARD 13





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The purpose of the „Model Court Guidelines“:

- **The program and spatial harmonization in each court**
 - **Harmonization of work processes with maximum efficiency and effectiveness**
 - **Optimization of the required number of court staff**
 - **Dimensional adequacy of court premises with modern technological solutions and the full safety of all participants in the trial**
 - **Long-term predictability of costs and rationally and objectively budgeting**
 - **Approximation to the ideal of equal access to justice**
 - **Effective judiciary**
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The application of the „Model Court Guidelines“:

- **The reconstructed building of the Basic Court in Leskovac, 2014.**
- **The projected building of the Basic Court in Kraljevo, the start of constructions is scheduled in 2016.**
- **Basic document in the IPA 2012 projects: "Infrastructure" and "The efficiency of the judiciary"**

