North Macedonia – national procedures for transfer of sentenced persons Updated 10/02/2025

The information contained in this table should be updated on a yearly basis.

The Central Authority (name of the institution, address, telephone, fax and e-mail where available) responsible for the transfer of sentenced persons:	MINISTRY OF JUSTICE of the Republic of North Macedonia Dimitrie Chupovski 9, 1000 Skopje Republic of Macedonia Tel.+389 (0)2 3116 - 493, +389 (0)2 3116 - 648 Fax: +389 (0)2 3226 - 975 gmilevska@justice.gov.mk
If different from the Central Authority, the authority to which the request should be sent (name of the institution, address, telephone, fax and e-mail where available):	
	Ministry of interior smps@moi.gov.mk
Channels of communication for the request for the transfer of sentenced persons (directly, through diplomatic channels or other):	Directly Ministry of Justice with the Ministry of Justice of a respective country.

All of the above, the originals have to be sent later if received by mail or fax. In case of conversion of sentence, the subject-matter jurisdiction court: - is bound by the established facts contained in the judgment, - may not convert a sanction involving deprivation of freedom into pecuniary sanction, - shall fully deduct the time spent in prison by the sentenced person.

Language requirements:	Official languages used in the Council of Europe.
Documentation required:	Regarding the request for transfer, the following documents must be furnished: 1) a certified transcript of the final judgment rendered against the sentenced person; 2) legal provisions that were applied; 3) any information regarding the duration of the prison term that has already been served and information regarding detention or any other information regarding the serving of the prison sentence and 4) statement by the sentenced person consenting to the transfer. 5) some personal details, like place of residence, nationality
Continued enforcement or conversion of the sentence ² :	Conversion of sentence

 $^{^1}$ Please indicate if encryption or electronic signature is required. 2 In case the sentence is converted, please specify whether this is done before or after the transfer has taken place.

General rules on early release:	The domestic subject-matter jurisdiction court shall stop
	the enforcement of the sentence as soon as the foreign
	competent authority notifies it about the decision or the
	resolution to terminate the enforcement. All the provision
	on early release, like amnesty or pardon apply as in any
	national case
Scope of application with regard to	Same as not mentally disordered persons
transfer of mentally disordered	
persons:	
Scope of application with regard to	Applies for nationals and residents
nationals and/or residents:	

Other	particularly	relevant
informatio	on (such as	practice
regarding	time limits or rev	ocation of
consent):		

Links to national legislation,	The website of the ministry of justice is gurrantly being	
national guides on procedure:	The website of the ministry of justice is currently being updated and information will be on its web site.	
	www.pravda.gov.mk	
Link to information about the Convention (according to Article 4) in the official language(s) of the State Party (see also Rec. R (84) 11 of the Committee of Ministers concerning information about ETS°112 and PC-OC INF 12):	The domestic competent authority shall send the letter rogatory or the request together with the documentation in Macedonian language and in Cyrillic script with a translation into the language of the certain state and into one of the official languages used in the Council of Europe.	
For Parties to the Additional Protocol		
Information on the implementation of Article 2 (e.g. interpretation of "by fleeing to"):	We do not apply it.	
Information on the implementation of Article 3 (e.g. interpretation of the requirement of a consequential link between the decision on expulsion and the sentence):	We do not apply it. (More explanation on this one needed)./	

Documentation required:	1
Other relevant information:	
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