



EXPERT DISCUSSION

Effectiveness of Investigation into Deaths in Ukraine: Compliance with the Obligations under Article 2 ECHR

PROGRAMME

29 May 2023

10:00-12:30 Kyiv time

Hybrid format

The event will be in Ukrainian and English with simultaneous interpretation

The event is organised jointly by the Ministry of Justice of Ukraine, Prosecutors' Training Centre of Ukraine, and the Council of Europe within the framework of the Project "Fostering Human Rights in the Criminal Justice System in Ukraine", which is part of the Council of Europe Action Plan for Ukraine (2023-2026)

Objectives of the event:

- To take stock of the current issues concerning the effectiveness of investigation into deaths as a result of road accidents or those perpetrated by private parties in Ukraine;
- To facilitate expert discussion on the issues related to the effectiveness of investigation into deaths in Ukraine and on whether legislative framework and institutional capacity in Ukraine corresponds to the case law of the European Court of Human Rights and the standards of the Council of Europe

Zoom link

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09:30 – 10:00	<i>Registration of participants/testing the Internet connection</i>
10:00 – 10:10	Opening remarks Margaryta Sokorenko , Government Agent before the European Court of Human Rights, Ministry of Justice of Ukraine Olesia Otradnova , Director of the Prosecutors' Training Centre Natia Japaridze , Project Manager, Department of Implementation of Human Rights, Justice and Legal Co-operation Standards, CoE
10:10 – 10:30	Positive obligations of states under Article 2 of the European Convention on Human Rights Jeremy McBride , international consultant of the CoE, barrister at Monckton Chambers, member of the CoE Expert Advisory Group to the OPG
10:30 – 10:50	Execution of Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights on effectiveness of investigation into deaths by Ukraine Margaryta Sokorenko , Government Agent before the European Court of Human Rights, Ministry of Justice of Ukraine
10:50 – 11:10	Application of Art 2 the European Convention on Human Rights in Ukraine from the perspective of execution of Khaylo group of judgments of the European Court of Human Rights against Ukraine Khrystyna Fedunyshyn , Legal Officer, Department of Execution of Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights, CoE
11:10 – 11:30	Romania's experience in executing the European Court of Human Rights cases related to the effectiveness of investigation into deaths Razvan Horatiu Radu , Prosecutor within the Prosecutor's Office attached to the High Court of Cassation and Justice, Romania

11:30 – 12:20 Q&A and moderated discussion

Moderator – Taras Leshkovych, Senior Project Officer, Department of Implementation of Human Rights, Justice and Legal Co-operation Standards, CoE

12:20 – 12:30 Conclusions and closing remarks

List of participants

- Ministry of Justice (representatives of the Government Agent Office, Directorate of Criminal Justice)
- Supreme Court staff and judges as well as judges from other courts;
- National School of Judges;
- Prosecutors – Office of the Prosecutor General;
- Prosecutors Training Centre;
- National Police;
- State Bureau of Investigation
- NGO representatives;
- CoE Secretariat.