

Enhancing NHRIs' capacity for effective implementation of Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights

Webinar 2, Thursday 17th September, 11.00-12.00 CET

“How can NHRIs take part in the ECtHR judgments implementation process?”

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There are various ways for NHRIs to take part in the ECHR judgment implementation process. One avenue is to take part in the Strasbourg-based supervisory mechanism, by submitting written communications to the Committee of Ministers (CM). Another crucial element is to put implementation onto the agenda at the national level. Participants will learn more about:

- The basics of the CM execution process and what are the important elements to keep in mind when engaging with it
- What they can do domestically to push for enhanced awareness of the importance of judgments' implementation, including through experience sharing.

Programme of the event

- 11.00-11.05 The basics of the CM execution process: opening remarks**
by George Stafford, EIN Director
- 11.05-11.12 The CM execution process: a formalized dialogue**
Intervention by Nikolaos Sitaropoulos, Head of Division, Department of the Execution of Judgments
- 11.12-11.22 Experience Sharing**
Using the CM process to put pressure on the authorities to make progress on new legislation
Intervention by Tamar Abazadze, Head of the Analytical Department within the Public Defender's Office (PDO) of Georgia on “How the PDO managed to achieve the setting up of an independent State's Inspector Service by putting pressure on the authorities through Rule 9 submissions”.
- 11.22-11.30 Q & A session**
- 11.30-11.35 Putting implementation onto the agenda at the national level**
Intervention by George Stafford, EIN Director
- 11.35-11.45 Experience Sharing**
Intervention by Mikayel Khachatryan, Head of the International Cooperation Department and Gohar Simonyan, Coordinator of the National Preventive Mechanism Implementation, Human Rights Defender's Office of Armenia, on “The use of Adjunct Counsels and training seminars to enhance NGO's capacity to take part in the ECHR judgments' implementation process”.
- 11.45-11.55 Q & A session**
- 11.55-12.00 Wrap-up session by George Stafford, EIN Director, and presentation of webinars 3 and 4 (open to core group only).**