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Prohibition of torture index			
INVESTIGATION EFFECTIVENESS INDEX		1	
Number of police officers — 11 019		Number of convicted — 1 101	
Number of penitentiary system employees — 214 women, 1 698 men		Number of persons under investigation — 1 256	
Law enforcement budget (police, prison service) — € 3 133 461		Detainees under administrative arrest — 2 296, including 100 women and 27 minors	
Of this, the actual costs total €30 615 766 (according to the Penitentiary Service of the Ministry of Justice); €161 591 938 (according to the Ministry of Finance)		Budget per prisoner — € 31	
STATE'S TORTURE RESPONSE MECHANISM			
Number of investigators		Information can be provided upon request	
Number of complaints alleging torture and ill-treatment		340 criminal cases instituted, of which 90 terminated and one taken to court	
Number of complaints of torture/ill-treatment from places of deprivation of liberty		202 (the penitentiary service did not keep separate records of complaints alleging torture/inhuman or degrading treatment. According to the Ministry of Interior, no reports have been filed alleging torture/inhuman or degrading treatment/violence against detainees at the hands of police officers)	
GOVERNMENT BODY INVESTIGATING ALLEGATIONS OF TORTURE			
Whether there is a body authorized to investigate torture		There is no separate body	
Geographic coverage		Present only in major administrative units of the country	
Budget		There is a budget and the authority to form and spend it	
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Number of cases taken to court		1	
JUDICIAL REVIEW			
Provisions on inadmissibility of evidence obtained through torture		There are binding norms	
Number of statements made in court alleging torture during investigation		No data available	
Number of convictions for the use of torture		No data available	
RATIFICATION OF INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENTS			
UN Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (1984)		Signed and ratified	
Optional Protocol to the UN Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (2002)		Signed and ratified	
European Convention for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (1987)		Signed and ratified	
European Convention on Human Rights		Signed and ratified	
ANTI-TORTURE PROVISIONS IN DOMESTIC LAW			
Explicit legal prohibition of torture		Explicit prohibition in domestic law	
Criminal sanctions for torture		Clear and specific sanctions	
Implementation of the Istanbul Protocol in national legislation		The Istanbul Protocol standards are partially incorporated in national legislation	
Definition of torture consistent with the provisions of relevant conventions		Definition of torture is consistent with the provisions of relevant conventions	
AVAILABILITY OF PROCEDURAL GUARANTEES			
Documenting the actual detention start time		Documented starting from the moment of delivery to the police station	
Lawyer notification at the actual start time of detention/deprivation of liberty		After a while (up to 3 hours)	
Family notification		After a while (up to 3 hours)	
PREVENTION OF TORTURE			
Independent external review mechanism		Independent and autonomous body	
Video surveillance		Some, but not all facilities are equipped	
Access to the archived video evidence		Protected and accessible to officials at places of detention	