Russia 2022

Prohibition of torture index





INVESTIGATION EFFECTIVENESS INDEX $5,44$	
Population — 146 447 424	Convicted persons — 433 006
Police officers — 922 061	Persons under investigation — 114 717
Penitentiary system employees — 225 784	Detainees under administrative arrest — 75 734
Law enforcement budget (police, prison service) —	Budget per prisoner — € 2.8 per day
€ 39 699 418 687,08	
STATE'S TORTURE RE	SPONSE MECHANISM
Number of investigators	No information available other than the overall number of the Investigative Committee staff

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Number of complaints of torture and ill-treatment	No information available
Number of complaints of torture and ill-treatment from places of detention	78

GOVERNMENT BODY INVESTIGATING ALLEGATIONS OF TORTURE	
Whether there is a body authorized to investigate torture	A separate independent body, subordinate to the President
Geographic coverage	Represented in all administrative units
Budget	Covers minimum essential costs
Number of complaints alleging torture	No data available
Number of criminal cases instituted	No data available
Number of cases taken to court	No data available

JUDICIAL REVIEW	
Provisions on inadmissibility of evidence obtained through torture	The relevant norms are not binding
Number of statements made in court alleging torture during investigation	No data available
Number of convictions for the use of torture	463
PATIFICATION OF INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENTS	

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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)	Neither signed nor ratified
European Convention for the Prevention of Torture and Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment (1987)	Signed and ratified
European Convention on Human Rights	Neither signed nor ratified (denounced)

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 not incorporated in national legislation
Definition of torture is consistent with provisions of relevant conventions	Not entirely consistent with the provisions of relevant conventions

AVAILABILITY OF PROCEDURAL GUARANTEES	
Documenting the actual detention start time	In practice, several hours or days can elapse between the actual arrest/detention start time and the time the arrest report is drawn up
Lawyer notification at the actual arrest/detention start time	No notification or after 3 hours By law, in certain cases a lawyer must be provided from the moment of actual arrest, but this provision does not work in practice
Family notification	After a while (up to 3 hours)
Medical examination	After a while (up to 3 hours)
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Independent external review mechanism	Operational, but controlled by the authorities
Video surveillance	Some but not all facilities are equipped
Access to archived video evidence	Not protected and accessible to officials at places of detention