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Prohibition of torture index

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INVESTIGATION EFFECTIVENESS INDEX 5 \$\frac{1}{2}\$

Population — 36 000 000	Convicted persons — 30 878
Police officers — 134 300	Persons under investigation — 13 743
Penitentiary system employees — 18 578	Detainees under administrative arrest — no data
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STATE'S TORTURE RESPONSE MECHANISM		
Number of investigators	Exact data not available	
Number of complaints of torture and ill-treatment from places of detention	No exact data available	
Recording system for complaints of torture and ill-treatment	Ordinary system for crime record	
GOVERNMENT BODY INVESTIGATING ALLEGATIONS OF TORTURE		
Whether there is a body authorized to investigate torture	A separate independent body subordinate to the Government	
Geographic coverage	Represented only in large territorial units	
Budget	Covers minimum essential costs	
Number of complaints alleging torture	No exact data available	
Number of criminal cases instituted	118	
Number of cases taken to court	49	
JUDICIAL REVIEW		
Provisions on inadmissibility of evidence obtained through torture	There are relevant binding norms	
Number of statements made in court alleging torture during investigation	No data available	
Number of convictions for the use of torture	24	
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 partly incorporated in national legislation	
Definition of torture is consistent with provisions of relevant conventions	Consistent with the relevant conventions	
AVAILABILITY OF PROCEDURAL GUARANTEES		
Documenting the actual detention start time	The actual detention start time is documented	
Lawyer notification at the actual arrest/detention start time	Immediately, from the actual detention start time	
Family notification	Immediately, from the actual detention start time	
Medical examination of administrative detainee	After a while (up to 3 hours)	
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PREVENTION OF TORTURE	
Independent external review mechanism	Independent and autonomous body
Video surveillance	Some but not all facilities are equipped
Access to archived video evidence	Not protected and accessible to officials at places of detention