# ACTION PLAN FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STRATEGY FOR REFORM OF JUDICIARY 2019-2022 (for the period 2019-2020)

#### Strategic Objective 1: STRENGTHENING OF THE INDEPENDENCE, IMPARTIALITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE JUDICIARY

a) Independence of Judiciary

Objective 1: Strengthening the independence and professionalism of the judiciary through the full implementation of the system of human resources' planning in the judiciary and state prosecution

Indicator 1:  Independence and professionalism of the judiciary are strengthened	Baseline value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
through the implementation of the system for appointment of judges and state prosecutors	15 appointed candidates for judges and 9 appointed candidates for state prosecutors at the beginning of 2019.	15 candidates for judges and 9 candidates for state prosecutors underwent training at the end of 2020.	25 judges and 14 state prosecutors appointed at the end of 2022. 25 presidents of courts appointed at the end of 2022.
	No president of courts/heads of state prosecution offices appointed at the beginning of 2019.	10 selected candidates for judges at the end of 2020.  16 presidents of courts appointed at the end of 2020.  26 state prosecutors appointed at the end of 2020.  15 heads of state prosecution offices appointed at the end of 2020.	15 heads of state prosecution offices appointed at the end of 2022.

•	Indicator 2:  System for evaluation of the work and progress of judges and state			e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
prosecutors is fully implemented		30% of judges and state prosecutors evaluated (of the total number subject to evaluated  50% of judges and state prosecutors evaluated (of the total number subject evaluated)  subject evaluated)		80% of judges and state prosecutors evaluated (of the total number subject to evaluated I)		
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
1.1.1 Adopt the plan of vacant judicial positions	Plan of vacant judicial positions adopted	JC	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019	No additional budget funds required	Judicial Council Budget
1.1.2 Publish announcements and fill vacant judiciary job positions pursuant to the Plan	4 internal announcements for first instance courts published. 4 public announcements published. 16 presidents of courts appointed 15 judges appointed.	JC	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	523.275,00 EUR	Judicial Council Budget
1.1.3 Implement the evaluation system for judges and presidents of courts	work of 15 presidents of courts evaluated work of 90 judges evaluated	JC	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judicial Council Budget
1.1.4 Adopt the Plan of vacant prosecutorial positions	Plan of vacant prosecutorial positions adopted	PC	II Quarter 2019	III Quarter 2019	No additional budget funds required	Prosecutorial Council Budget
1.1.5 Publish announcements and fill vacant prosecutorial positions pursuant to the Plan	2 internal and 3 public announcements published.  26 state prosecutors evaluated and 14 heads	PC	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	301.202,98 EUR	Prosecutorial Council Budget

	of state prosecution offices appointed.					
1.1.6 Implement the procedure for evaluation of state prosecutors and heads of state prosecutions	14 heads of state prosecutions performance evaluated and 40 state prosecutors.	PC	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Prosecutorial Council Budget

# Objective 2: Strengthening the professional and personnel capacities of courts, state prosecutors' offices, the Judicial Council and the Prosecutorial Council and their Secretariats

Indicator:  Strengthened professional capacities of courts, state prosecutors' offices, the Judicial Council and the Prosecutorial Council and their Secretaries through increased number of judges, state prosecutors and advisers in the judiciary, state prosecutors' offices and councils of those who underwent training		85% of judg	es and state s underwent se end of 2018	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation  90% of judges and state prosecutors underwent trainings at the end of 2020.	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation  100% of judges and state prosecutors underwent trainings at the end of 2022.	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of End of realization		Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
1.2.1 Develop the training plan for the presidents of courts, judges, heads of state prosecutors' offices and state prosecutors	Training Plan developed	CTJSP	III Quarter 2019	III Quarter 2019	No additional budget funds required	Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
1.2.2 Implement the trainings for the presidents of courts,	Number of trainings, number and structure of the	CTJSP	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	20.000,00 EUR	Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
judges, heads of state prosecutors' offices and state prosecutors pursuant to the Training Plan	participants				10.000,00 EUR	Donor funds

1.2.3 Implement the trainings for the employees in courts and state prosecutors' offices and Secretariats of the	Number of trainings, number and structure of the participants	HRMA CTJSP	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Human Resources Management Authority Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
Councils					16.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
1.2.4 Exchange of experience with the EU countries and the training of judges and state prosecutors for carrying out the proceedings involving children in accordance with the standards of the judiciary fit for children	Annual Report on number and type of the trainings and number of participants who completed the Training for Trainers (ToT)	CTJSP	IV Quarter 2019	III Quarter 2020	31.000,00 EUR	Donor funds

# Objective 3: Strengthening of the financial independence of the judiciary

Indicator:  Improved system of financial independence of courts and state		Baselir	ne value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation	
prosecution offices in t system, through the rec offices as separate bud	the budget planning and scognition of courts and seget units and through the	dget planning and implementation on of courts and state prosecution wits and through their independent esources in the amount of 1% of GDP  Courts and prosecutors' of independent their own		offices are not tly managing	Courts and state prosecutors' offices recognized as independent budgetary units	Courts and state prosecutors' offices independently managing their own funds in the amount of 1% of GDP to be provided
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization End of		Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
1.3.1 Monitor budget	Submission of quarterly	JC	I Quarter	IV Quarter	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary and State Prosecution
execution by courts or	reports on the	PC	2019	2020		Budget
state prosecutors'	budgetary funds	MF				Judicial Council Budget

offices as a preparation for the introduction of special budgets by courts or state prosecutors' offices	spending per budgetary items to the Judicial Council or Prosecutorial Council by the presidents of courts or heads of state prosecutors' offices					
1.3.2 Provide for funds for the work of the judiciary and state prosecutors' offices in the budget all according to the law	Funds in amount of at least 1 % of GDP provided annually	MF JC PC	l Quarter 2019	l Quarter 2020		Judiciary and State Prosecution Budget
1.3.3 Recognition of courts and state prosecutors' offices as independent budgetary units in the Law on Budget Law on budget	Courts and state prosecutors' offices recognizes as independent budgetary units	MF JC PC	l Quarter 2020	l Quarter 2020		Judiciary and State Prosecution Budget
1.3.4 Install the software for budget execution in all courts and state prosecutors' offices	Installed software	SC SSP Courts State prosecutors' offices	IV Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	100.000,00 EUR	Judiciary and State Prosecution Budget

#### b) Impartiality of the judiciary and liability of judges and state prosecutors

Objective 4: Strengthening of impartiality and integrity of holders of judicial functions through the consistent adherence to the principle of random allocation of cases, through the application of provisions for exemption and adherence to the codes of ethics

Indicator 1:  Random electronic allocation of cases implemented in all courts	Baseline value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
'	Electronic allocation of cases	Created technical preconditions in	Electronic allocation of cases
	not applied in	the judiciary information system for	applied in misdemeanour courts
	misdemeanour courts	applying the electronic allocation of	

					cases in misdemeanour courts	
Adherence to the code of	Indicator 2:  Adherence to the code of ethics by judges and state prosecutors			e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
Autherence to the code of ethics by Judges and State prosecutors		against judges violation at th 4 initiated against public determined vi	procedures /1 determined e end of 2018 procedures prosecutors/0 olations at the f 2018	in 70% of initiated procedures against judges/state prosecutors Commissions made decisions at the end of 2020	in 100% of the proceedings initiated against the judges/state prosecutors Commissions made decisions at the end of 2022	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
1.4.1 Adopt annual work schedules in misdemeanour courts in compliance with the principle of random allocation of cases	Annual work schedule adopted in misdemeanour courts	Misdemeanour courts	I Quarter 2019	l Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget
1.4.2 Conduct continuous monitoring of the system of random allocation of cases	Annual Report on the number of conducted out supervisions and identified deficiencies	MoJ	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget
1.4.3 Monitor the application of provisions on the exemption of judges and state prosecutors	Annual Report on the number of submitted and adopted requests for exemption by the parties, judges and public prosecutors.	JC SSP	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judicial Council Budget Budget of the State Prosecutors' Office
1.4.4. Implement procedures instituted upon the initiatives for	Number of initiated procedures for determining the	JC PC	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judicial Council Budget Prosecutorial Council Budget

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establishing violations of	violation of the Code of					
the Code of Ethics by	Ethics of judges and					
the judges and the state	state prosecutors					
prosecutors						
1.4.5. Implement	4 trainings on ethical	CTJSP	I Quarter	IV Quarter	16.000,00 EUR	Budget of the Centre for Training in
continuous education of	codes of judges and		2019	2020		Judiciary and State Prosecution
judges and state	state prosecutors and					
prosecutors and the	members of the Judicial					
members of the Judicial	and Prosecutorial					
and Prosecutorial	Council conducted					
Councils on the Code of						
Ethics						
1.4.6. Publish the Code	Information published	Association of	I Quarter	IV Quarter	No additional budget funds required	Judges Association Budget
of Ethics and	on the websites of the	Judges	2019	2020		State Prosecutors Association
information on the	Judicial and	Association of				Budget
websites of the Judicial	Prosecutorial Councils	State				Judicial Council Budget
and Prosecutorial		Prosecutors				Prosecutorial Council Budget
Councils on the						
possibility of addressing		JC				
to the Committee for		PC				
monitoring its						
implementation for the						
purpose of reporting the						
noncompliance with the						
Codes of Ethics by the						
judges and state						
prosecutors						
1.4.7 Raising citizens'	2 developed and	Association of	I Quarter	IV Quarter		Judges Association Budget
awareness on the	distributed information	Judges	2019	2020		State Prosecutors Association
mechanism of control of	brochures for the	Association of				Budget
the work of judges and	citizens	State				Judicial Council Budget
state prosecutors	2 press conferences	Prosecutors				Ĭ
	2 TV shows hosting				5.000,00 EUR	Prosecutorial Council Budget
	judges and state	JC				
	prosecutors took part	PC				NGOs Budget
	and members of the	NGO's				

	Council					
1.4.8. The Code of Ethics Committee provides advisory opinions regarding the violation of the Code of Ethics	The Code of Ethics Committee acted in 100% requests for advisory opinions	JC PC	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judicial Council Budget Prosecutorial Council Budget

# c) Liability of other professions in the judiciary

#### Objective 5: Strengthen the system of liability of other professions in the judiciary through the promotion of ethics and professional conduct

By implementing accoun	Indicator:  By implementing accountability procedures and promoting ethics			e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation			
and professional behavior, the system of responsibility of other professions in the judiciary (lawyers, notaries, bailiffs and court experts) strenghtened		determini /disciplinar lawyers, not and court exp	orocedures for ing ethical y liability of aries, bailiffs pert witnesses d of 2018	70% out of the total number of the initiated procedures for determining ethical /disciplinary liability resolved at the end of 2020	90% out of the total number of the initiated procedures for determining ethical /disciplinary liability resolved at the end of 2022				
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources			
1.5.1 Monitor the implementation of the procedures for determining ethical/disciplinary liability of notaries, bailiffs, lawyers, expert court witnesses  Connection with the	report on the number of initiated procedures and number and type of imposed sanctions drafted	Chamber of Notaries Chamber of Bailiffs Bar Association Court Expert Witnesses Association	IV 2019 2020			Notary Chamber Budget Public Enforcement Officers Budget Bar Association Budget Court Association of bailiffs Donor funds			
activities: 5.3.4, 5.4.7, 5.5.5, 5.6.5									

1.5.2 Raise citizens' awareness on the existence of supervision mechanism of the work of notaries, bailiffs, lawyers, court expert witnesses	1 developed and distributed information brochures for the citizens 2 press conferences 5 TV shows hosting notaries, bailiffs, lawyers, court expert witnesses	Chamber of Notaries Chamber of bailiffs Officers Bar Association Association of Court Expert Witnesses	I Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	3.000,00 EUR	Notary Chamber Budget Public Enforcement Officers Association Budget  Bar Association Budget Court  Expert Witnesses Association Budget Donor funds
Objective 6: Strengthen t	he system of disciplinary lia	ability of judges an	d public prosec	utors		
By increasing the numbe	notional activities	Baselin	ne value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation  Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation		
	By increasing the number of educational and promotional activities strengthened system of disciplinary liability of judges and public prosecutors		liability of jud prosecutors a Annual Trainin 20	he disciplinary dges and state are part of the ng Program for 119 g conducted	2 trainings, as well as 2 other promotional activities held at the end of 2020	4 trainings, as well as 4 other promotional activities held at the end of 2022
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
1.6.1 Implement trainings for persons authorized by the law to submit the proposal for determining disciplinary liability of judges and state prosecutors	3 trainings held Number and structure of participants	CTJSP	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	6.000,00 EUR	Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
1.6.2 Holding the meetings of the presidents of the courts or heads of state	Conclusions from held meetings of presidents of courts or heads of state prosecutors'	Courts State prosecutors' offices	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget State Prosecutors' Offices Budget

prosecutors' offices on	offices regarding			
the topic of disciplinary	disciplinary liability of			
liability	judges/state			
	prosecutors			

#### **Strategic objective 2: STRENGTHENING THE EFFICIENCY OF THE JUDICIARY**

a) Rationalisation the judicial network

#### Objective 1: Improvement of the normative framework with the aim to rationalize the judiciary network

Indicator:  The judiciary network streamlined in line with the recommendations			Baselin		Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
from the new Analysis for the needs of the rationalization of the judicial network"		There is a need to change the territorial jurisdiction of the courts		Analysis for rationalisation judicial network with recommendations developed at the end of 2020 performed in accordance with recommendations from the Analyses at the end of 2022		
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
2.1.1 Preparation of project documentation for the purpose of drafting the Analysis for the rationalization of the judicial network	The project documentation for the purposes of preparation of Analysis for the rationalization of the judicial network developed	MoJ	IV Quarter 2019	l Quarter 2020	1.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
2.1.2. Develop Analysis for rationalization	Analysis for rationalization judicial	MoJ	I Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		MoJ Budget
judicial network	network developed				5.000,00 EUR	Donor funds

#### b) Improvement of criminal and civil legislation

Objective 2: Alignment of criminal legislation with international standards and the EU acquis communitaire and the continuous education of judges and stat prosecutors in accordance with changes of legislation

accordance with changes										
Criminal legislation in lin	Indicator:  Criminal legislation in line with the commitments arising from the			ie value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation				
Programme of Accession of Montenegro to the EU (PAMNE) is aligned with the EU acquis communitaire		Criminal legislation is 100% aligned with the EU acquis (according to the present Programme of Accession of Montenegro to the EU (PAMNE)) at the end of 2018		Criminal legislation is 100% aligned with the EU acquis (according to the present Programme of Accession of Montenegro to the EU (PAMNE)) at the end of 2020  Criminal legislation is 100% aligned with the EU acquis (according to the present Programme of Accession of Montenegro to the (PAMNE)) at the end of 202						
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources				
2.2.1. Strengthen capacities for an efficient implementation of	6 trainings conducted	CTJSP	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	30.000,00 EUR	Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution Donor funds				
investigative mechanisms for the fight against corruption, particularly in reference to the criminal assets recovery and the prosecution of legal entities as perpetrators of criminal offenses										
2.2.2 Conduct continuous monitoring of the application of	Booklet on Domestic Violence drafted	SC SSP	II Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget State Prosecutors' Offices Budget				

	for criminal offences of trafficking in human beings drafted  Analyses of criminal	SC	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019		
	policy of courts for most serious crimes for the period 2017 and 2018 developed		l Quarter 2020	l Quarter 2020		
2.2.3. Conduct continuous monitoring over the application of the Law on the Treatment of Juveniles in the Criminal Proceeding and capacity strengthening of professional services	Annual Report on the number of trained judges and state prosecutors and employees of professional services on treatment of juveniles in criminal procedures	SSP CTJSP	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	22.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
Objective 3: Alignment of	f civil legislation with intern	ational standards	and EU acquis	communitaire		
Civil legislation in line w	Indicator:	e Programme of	Baselir	ne value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
Civil legislation in line with commitments from the Programme of Accession of Montenegro to the EU (PAMNE) is aligned with the EU acquis communitaire.		Civil legislation is 100% aligned with the EU acquis (according to the present Programme of Accession of Montenegro to the EU (PAMNE))at the end of 2018		Civil legislation is 100% aligned with the EU acquis (according to the present Programme of Accession of Montenegro to the EU (PAMNE))at the end of 2020	Civil legislation is 100% aligned with the EU acquis (according to the present Programme of Accession of Montenegro to the EU (PAMNE)) at the end of 2022	

Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
2.3.1 Draft an analysis of	Analysis of the degree	MoJ	I Quarter	IV Quarter	5.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
the degree of	of harmonization of		2020	2020		
harmonization of	Montenegrin civil and					
Montenegrin civil and	enforcement legislation					
enforcement legislation	with the EU acquis					
with the EU acquis	drafted					
2.3.2 Conduct	Annual Analyses on	MJ	II Quarter	II Quarter	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget
continuous monitoring	efficiency of the		2019	2020		
of the civil legislation	enforcement system					
application	drafted					
2.3.3 Conduct	Analyses on	MJ	IV Quarter	IV Quarter	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget
continuous monitoring	implementation of the		2019	2020		
of the Family Law and	institute of the support					
strengthening capacities	stuff to the child in					
of judges and support	family disputes					
staff	developed					
	Report on number of					
	trained judges and					
	support stuff					

#### c) Reduction of the number of backlogs

## Objective 4: Improved efficiency of the work of courts

Indicator 1:  The efficiency of work of courts improved through the reduction in	Baseline value	5% at the end of 2020 by 8% at the end of 2022  Targeted value in the middle of the Targeted value in the end of the		
the number of backlog cases	10.304 of backlog cases at the end of 2018	Reduced number of backlog cases by 5% at the end of 2020	Reduced number of backlog cases by 8% at the end of 2022	
Indicator 2:  Adherence to the right to a trial in a reasonable time	Baseline value	_	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation	
	According to the case law of	According to the case law of the	According to the case law of the	

Activity Outcome Indicators Competent			the ECHR con and actions fo are effective Procedure b courts lasts up in 59% of Beginning of	or fair redress legal remedy pefore Basic o to 3 months,	ECHR control requests and actions for fair redress are effective legal remedy at the end of 2020 Procedure before Basic courts lasts up to 3 months, in 61% of cases at the end of 2020 Funds planned for the	ECHR control requests and actions for fair redress are effective legal remedy at the end of 2022  Procedure before Basic courts lasts up to 3 months, in 62% of cases at the end of 2022  Financial resources
2.4.1 Statistic	PRIS generated report	institution SC	realization I Quarter	realization  IV Quarter	implementation of activities  No additional budget funds required	Supreme Court Budget
monitoring of backlog cases within the PRIS	This generated report	JC JC	2019	2020	The additional budget funds required	Judicial Council Budget
2.4.2 Develop the plan for resolution of backlogs in all courts	Published plans and annual reports on resolution of backlogs	Courts SC	l Quarter 2019	l Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget Supreme Court Budget
2.4.3 Monitor the application of the Law on Protecting the Right to Trial within a Reasonable Time through annual reporting of courts	Annual Report on the number of lodged control requests, number of notifications determining the deadline for undertaking certain procedural actions, number of actions for fair redress, number of decisions determining fair redress, number of decisions dismissing the actions for fair redress	Courts SC JC	I Quarter 2020	I Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget Judicial Council Budget

Objective 5: Strengthening	Objective 5: Strengthening of enforcement of court rulings									
Increased number of enter	Indicator:  Increased number of enforced court rulings and reduced duration of			e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation				
enforcement proceedings		5.988 - 49,969 court rulings ( "I" and Iv" co total nu enforcement o at the en	total finished ases") out of mber of cases received	52% of enforced court rulings (total finished "I" and Iv" cases") out of total number of enforcement cases received at the end of 2020	55% of enforced court rulings (total finished "I" and Iv" cases out of total number of enforcement cases received at the end of 2022					
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources				
2.5.1 Develop the Analyses of the system of enforcement of court decisions and implement activities in accordance with the recommendations from the analysis	Developed annual analysis Recommendations implemented	MJ SC JC	II Quarter 2019	III Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Supreme Court Budget Judicial Council Budget MoJ Budget				
2.5.2 Statistical monitoring of the duration of enforcement proceedings by the courts	Annual Report on the duration of enforcement proceedings with the courts	SC JC	l Quarter 2019	l Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Supreme Court Budget Judicial Council Budget				
2.5.3 Statistical monitoring of the duration of enforcement proceedings by the bailiffs	Annual Report on the duration of enforcement proceedings with the bailiffs	Chamber of bailiffs	l Quarter 2019	l Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Bailiffs Budget				
2.5.4 Conduct monitoring of the work of the bailiffs in	Number of performed supervisions, number of identified	MJ Chamber of bailiffs	II Quarter 2020	II Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget Bailiffs Budget				

accordance with the supervision plan	irregularities							
d) Improvement of the system of judicial management and administration								
Objective 6: Improvemen	t of the system of judicial i	management and a	dministration					
Indicator:  Improved system of judicial management and administration through			Baselin	e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation		
efficient planning and management of the budget and human resources		presidents a state prosecut effective bud	lget planning ent of human					
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources		
2.6.1 Develop an analysis for training needs for efficient planning and management of the	Analysis for training needs for efficient planning and management of the budget and human	CTJSP	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution		

IV Quarter

2020

budget and human

2.6.2 Implement the

system of judicial management and administration for the presidents of courts, as well as the heads of state prosecutors' offices in reference to the human resources

training programme for

the improvement of the

resources

resources developed

2 trainings conducted

CTJSP

**IV** Quarter

2019

Budget of the Centre for Training in

Judiciary and State Prosecution

Donor funds

and budgetary funds management						
2.6.3 Employ/Professionally	Adopted Decision on selection of 15 interns	SC			207.944,00 EUR	Judiciary Budget
develop interns in courts state	in courts  Decision on selection				20,111.22 EUR	MoJ Budget
prosecutor's offices in accordance with the new legal solutions	of 15 interns in state prosecutor's offices Adopted	SSPO			166.475,00 EUR	Budget of the State Prosecutors' Office
	Conduct the theoretical part of the vocational training of interns according to the adopted Training Program for interns in Courts and State Prosecutors' Offices	CTJSP	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution Donor funds
	Adopted Plan on number of interns in courts on the national level and public announcements published	SC				

#### **Strategic objective 3: MONTENEGRIN JUDICIARY AS A PART OF EUROPEAN JUDICIARY**

a) Further alignment of normative and institutional framework with the EU acquis communitaire

#### Objective 1: Judicial cooperation in criminal matters improved by aligning regulations with EU acquis commultaire

Legislation in the area of	Indicator:  Legislation in the area of judicial co-operation in criminal matters			e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation			
aligned with the EU acquis communitaire in accordance with the Programme of Accession of Montenegro to EU (PAMNE)		4 of the regulations in the field of criminal legislation to be harmonized with the obligations from the PAMNE		3 of the regulations in the field of criminal legislation to be harmonized with the obligations from the PAMNE	4 of the regulations in the field of criminal legislation harmonized with the obligations from the PAMNE				
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources			
3.1.1 Develop the Proposal of the Law on Amendments to the Law on Courts in order to comply with the Law on International Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters with EU member states	Determined Proposal for the Law on Amendments to the Law on Courts	MoJ Government	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget			
3.1.2 Develop the Proposal for the Law on Amendments to the Law on International Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters in order to define the procedures for setting up joint investigation teams	Determined Proposal for the Law on Amendments to the Law on International Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters	MoJ Government	III Quarter 2019	III Quarter 2019	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget			

3.1.3 Develop the	Determined Proposal	MoJ	I Quarter	IV Quarter	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget
Proposal for the Law on	for the Law on	Government	2019	2019		
State Prosecution Office	Amendments to the					
Amendments to the Law	Law on State					
on State in order to	Prosecution Office					
comply with the Law on						
International Legal						
Assistance in Criminal						
Matters with EU member						
states						
3.1.4 Develop the	<b>Determined Proposal</b>	MoJ	IV Quarter	IV Quarter	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget
Proposal for the Law on	for the Law on	Government	2020	2020		
Amendments to the Law	Amendments to the					
on Judicial Cooperation	Law on Judicial					
in Criminal Matters with	Cooperation in					
the EU Member States in	Criminal Matters with					
order to comply with the	the EU Member States					
remaining part of the EU						
acquis in this area						

#### b) Further development of bilateral, regional and multilateral judicial co-operation

## Objective 2: Improvement of bilateral and regional cooperation

Indicator: Improved co-operation and expanded conventional basis for judicial			Baselin	e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
co-operation with the regional countries, including regular meet-ups of representatives of judicial institutions		Necessity for signed bilatera the regiona		2 bilateral treaties 3 bilateral treaties amended/supplemented by 2020 amended/supplemented by		
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of End of realization		Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
3.2.1 Organize regional forum on judicial	Forum organised	MoJ	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		MoJ Budget
cooperation			2013		64.000,00 EUR	Donor funds

	legal assistance in criminal matters, Agreement on extradition and Agreement on mutual enforcement of court decisions in criminal							
	matters)							
Objective 3: Improvement	of multilateral cooperation	on in the field of ju	stice					
Improved co-operation at	Indicator:			e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation Targeted value in the end of the			
participation of represent work of the European jud	Improved co-operation at the international level as well as the participation of representatives of Montenegrin institutions in the work of the European judiciary networks and of other international judicial networks and bodies		13 meetings judicial netwo in 2018 at representa Monte	tks and bodies tended by tives from	20 meetings of european judicial netwotks and bodies at the end of 2020 attended by representatives from Montenegro	30 meetings of european judicial networks and bodies at the end of 2022 attended by representatives from Montenegro		
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources		
3.3.1 Enable the entities from Montenegro (state organs, private organizations, international organizations, private-profit organizations) to apply for projects of	Entities from Montenegro participated in 1 project under the Justice Programme	LoM	IV Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	42.563,00 EUR	MoJ Budget		

3.2.2 Conduct review of

3.2.3 Sign treaties with

the rest of the Western Balkan countries

the current bilateral

treaties

Number of reviewed

of the current bilateral

treaties

Signed treaty with

Republic of Kosovo

(Agreement on mutual

MoJ

MoJ

II Quarter

2020

IV Quarter

2020

II Quarter

2020

IV Quarter

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MoJ Budget

Donor funds

MoJ Budget

Justice programme					
3.3.2 EUROJUST cases involving Montenegro through the work of appointed liaison prosecutors in EUROJUST	Annual Report on the number of cases involving Montenegro through the work of appointed liaison prosecutors in EUROJUST	State Prosecution	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	Budget of the State Prosecutors' Office Donor funds
3.3.3 Develop report on the participation of Montenegrin representatives in the work of the European judicial networks and authorities	Annual Report developed on the participation of Montenegrin representatives in the work of the European judicial networks and authorities	MoJ	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	MoJ Budget Donor funds
3.3.4 Sign new multilateral treaties in the field of justice	Signed and ratified treaties: Convention on criminal acts regarding cultural assets, Protocol amending additional Protocol with Convention on transfer of convicted persons, Protocol on Applicable Law for Obligation of Alimony (The Hague, 23. November 2007)	MoJ MLSW	IV Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	MoJ Budget

c) Improvement of the capacities of judges and employees in the judiciary in the field of implementation of the EU acquis communitaire

#### Objective 4: Improve the capacities of judges and prosecutors for the application of the EU acquis including trainings in foreign languages, in all regions of Montenegro

The increase in the level of	Indicator:  The increase in the level of education for judges and state prosecutors			e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
for the application of EU acquis implemented, including the trainings for foreign languages		2 trainings he beginning		8 trainings held to the end of 2020	10 trainings held by the end of 2022	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
3.4.1 Implement education of the holders of judiciary function on	7 trainings conducted	CTJSP	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	18.000,00 EUR	Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
the EU legal system pursuant to determined training plan					30.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
3.4.2 Improving knowledge of the English language of judges /	2 training conducted	CTJSP MoJ	l Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
state prosecutors					7.200,00 EUR	Donor funds

#### Strategic objective 4: STRENGTHENING OF ACCESSIBILITY, TRANSPARENCY AND PUBLIC TRUST IN THE JUDICIARY

a) Further development of uniformity and publication of the case law

Objective 1: Improvement of knowledge of holders of judicial functions about the case law of the European Court of Human Rights and the harmonisation of the national case-law with the practices of that court.

Indicator:  National courts apply the case-law and standards of the European	Baseline value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
Court of Human Rights to a larger extent	467 decisions in which the	The number of decisions in which the	The number of decisions in which
5 5	courts applied the case law	courts applied the case law and	the courts applied the case law and

		and standard at the end of 2 to the PI	.018 (pursuant	standards of the ECHR at the end of 2020 increased by 5% in regard to the starting point (pursuant to the PRIS data)	standards of the ECHR at the end of 2022 increased by the 10% (pursuant to the PRIS data)	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
4.1.1 Publish decisions of the European Court of Human Rights on cases concerning Montenegro	Published decisions of the European Court of Human Rights on cases concerning Montenegro	SC  Office of Representative of Montenegro before the European Court of Human Rights	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget Budget of the General Secretariat of the Government of Montenegro
4.1.2 Distribute Analysis of the judgments of the European Court of Human Rights in concerning Montenegro to all courts	Analysis distributed to all courts  Number of decisions in which the courts relied on the case law of the European Court of Human Rights	SC	III Quarter 2019 I Quarter 2020	III Quarter 2019 I Quarter 2020		Judiciary Budget
4.1.3 Deliver to judges the information obtained through the Superior Courts Network on the case-law of the European Court of Human Rights and Convention Right	Delivered monthly reports on the latest case-law of the European Court of Human Rights to judges of the Supreme Court of Montenegro and the presidents of all courts Published monthly reports on the website of the Supreme Court	SC	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget

	of Montenegro					
4.1.4 Develop and publish semi-annual reports on the case-law of the European Court of Human Rights	Semi-annual reports developed and distributed to all courts	SC	III Quarter 2019	III Quarter 2020		Judiciary Budget
4.1.5 Organize trainings for the holders of the judicial function on the case-law of the European Court of Human Rights	4 trainings held	CTJSP SC SSP	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	9.000,00 EUR 100.000,00 EUR	Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution  Donor funds
4.1.6 Organize expert meetings on the application of the European Convention on Human Rights and the case-law of the European Court	3 expert meetings rganized	SC	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	9.000,00 EUR	Judiciary Budget Donor funds
4.1.7 Continuous exchange of information between the Supreme Court of MNE and the Superior Courts Network	Information received about the case –law of the European Court Answers to the "comparative requirements" of the European Court Participation of a contact person at the annual meeting of the Superior Courts Network	SC	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Judiciary Budget

Objective 2: Improvement of knowledge of holders of judicial functions about the legal system of EU, the role, competences and case-law of the EU Court of Justice							
Indicator:  Increased number of trainings of judges and state prosecutors in legal			Baselin	e value		Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation	
system of the EU, the role, competences and case-law of the EU Court of Justice		10 trainings he		21 trainings held at the end of 2020	25 trainings held at the end of 2022		
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources	
4.2.1 Organize expert meetings on the case-law of the European Court of Justice	Number and type of training and number and structure of participants per year	SC	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Judiciary Budget	
4.2.2 Compile an annual Annual Report SC report on the case-law of the European Court of Report distributed to Justice judges		I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Judiciary Budget		

#### b) Improvement of the system of legal aid

Objective 3: Enhancement of the legal aid system through the improvement of legislative framework by recognising the new categories of legal aid beneficiaries and an increased number of users of legal aid

Indicator:  Increased number of beneficiaries of legal aid			Baselin	e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
			ries at the end 018	Number of beneficiaries increased by 10% at the end of 2020	Number of beneficiaries increased by 15% at the end of 2022	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
4.3.1 Develop and	Developed and	SC	II Quarter	II Quarter		Judiciary Budget
distribute a brochure on the right to free legal aid	distributed brochure on the right to free	Association of Judges	2020	2020		Judges Association Budget

available to citizens in all courts and on the	legal aid available to citizens in all courts	NGO's			3.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
websites of the MoJ and courts	and on the websites of the MoJ and courts					
4.3.2 Organize promotional activities (round tables, debates, meetings, etc.)	3 promotional activities organized	NGO's Courts	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	9.000,00 EUR	NGO's Budget Judiciary Budget
4.3.3 Conduct public opinion surveys on the subject of free legal aid	1 public opinion survey conducted	NGO's Courts	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		NGO's Budget Judiciary Budget
4.3.4 Develop an analysis of the system of free legal aid in terms of the number of beneficiaries of free legal aid and	Developed analysis of the results of functioning of the free legal aid system	MoJ	II Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		MoJ Budget
financial resources paid on the basis of free legal aid, as well as the quality of provisions of legal assistance services, and monitor the implementation of the recommendations from the analysis	Developed annual report of the Bar Association on the quality of providing free legal aid	Bar Association	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Bar Association
4.3.5. Provide a greater degree of awareness of children and families on access to justice (with a focus on children belonging to minorities, children with disabilities,	Developed informative materials for children and families about children's access to justice	Protector of Human Rights and Freedoms NGO	IV Quarter 2019	III Quarter 2020	20.000,00 EUR	Donor funds

children living in poverty,	Informational material	Protector of	IV Quarter	IV Quarter	30.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
etc.)	distributed directly or	Human Rights	2019	2020		
	online to 30% of	and Freedoms				
	children and their	NGO				
	families in					
	Montenegro, including					
	through workshops for					
	200 socially vulnerable					
	children, 80 parents					
	and at least 200					
	children from rural					
	areas in 30 schools in					
	rural areas;					
		Protector of	IV Quarter	IV Quarter	10.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
	Three public debates/	Human Rights	2019	2020	10.000,00 LON	
	conferences held on	and Freedoms				
	the topic of child	NGO				
	access to justice					

## c) Improvement of the transparency of work of the judiciary

Objective 4: Improve the transparency of the work of judicial authorities and other judicial professions by increasing the citizens' awareness about their work.

Indicator:  Improved transparency of work of judicial bodies and of other judicial	Baseline value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation				
professions as well as the level of citizens' awareness about their	80 releases and information	100 releases and information to the	185 releases and information to				
work.	to the public published on	public published on the web site of	the public published on the web				
	the web site of Judicial	Judicial Council and courts at the end	site of Judicial Council and courts at				
	Council and courts at the	of 2020	the end of 2022				
	end of 2018						
			120 releases and information to				
	86 releases and information	100 releases and information to the	the public published on the web				
	to the public published on	public published on the web site of	site of State Prosecutor's Office				
	the web site of State	State Prosecutor's Office and	and Prosecutorial Council at the				
	Prosecutor's Office and	Prosecutorial Council at the end of	end of 2022				
	Prosecutorial Council at the	2020					

			end of 2018			
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
4.4.1 Develop and distribute brochures including information on the manner in which a	1brochure developed and distributed	JC PC Association of Judges	II Quarter 2020	II Quarter 2020	3.000,00 EUR	Judiciary Budget  Budget of the State Prosecutors'  Office
party is addressing to a judicial authority, procedural actions in the		Association of State Prosecutors				Judges Association Budget Budget of the Association of State Prosecutors
procedure, free legal aid, procedural costs, and conditions for exemption from the payment of costs		Courts SC				rroscediors
4.4.2 Improve webpage	Data available to	PC	IV Quarter	IV Quarter	10.000,00 EUR	Prosecutorial Council Budget
of the State Prosecutors' Office	of the State  Prosecutors' Office		2020	2020		Donor funds
4.4.3 Promote the judicial inspection among the citizens and the manner in which citizens can address the inspection	On the website of the Ministry of Justice, published information about the work of the judicial inspection and the manner of citizens addressing	MoJ	I Quarter 2020	l Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget
4.4.4 Regular publishing of final and enforceable decisions, updated regulations and information relevant to the work of the courts, State Prosecutors'	Number of published decisions, regulations and information per year	JC PC Courts State Prosecutors' Offices	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget Budget of the State Prosecution Judicial Council Budget Prosecutorial Council Budget

Offices, the Judicial and						
Prosecutorial Councils						
4.4.5. Regular publishing	Standardized data	JC	I Quarter	IV Quarter	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget
of standardized data on	available through the	PC	2019	2020		Budget of the State Prosecution
the work of courts and	JC/PC websites	Courts				Judicial Council Budget
prosecutors' offices		State				Prosecutorial Council Budget
		Prosecutors'				
4.4.C.D	A	Offices	LOwenter	D / O		Dodge differently a localistic and
4.4.6 Regular	Annual regular press	JC	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Budged for the judiciary
organization of press	conferences organized	PC SC	2019	2020		Budget of the State Prosecution
conferences, meetings with media	and Report on number of meetings	SSP				Judicial Council Budget Prosecutorial Council Budget
representatives, NGO,	and other events	33P				Prosecutorial Council Budget
etc.	and other events					
4.4.7 Establish PR	Amended Rulebook on	SC	II Quarter	II Quarter	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget
Services in the Supreme	Internal Organization	30	2019	2019	No additional budget funds required	Judiciary Budget
Court of Montenegro	and Systematization		2013	2013		
4.4.8 Appoint the PR	PR Judge appointed	SC	I Quarter	I Quarter		Judiciary Budget
Judge	The state of the s		2020	2020		
4.4.9 Fill public relations	3 job positions in the	SC	I Quarter	I Quarter	38.943,00 EUR	Judiciary Budget
job positions	public relations		2020	2020		
	department filled in					
4.4.10 Adopt the	Communication	SSP	II Quarter	IV Quarter		Budget of the State Prosecution
Communication Strategy	Strategy of the	PC	2019	2019		Prosecutorial Council Budget
of the Prosecutorial	Prosecutorial Council					
Council and the State	and the State					
Prosecutor's Office	Prosecutor's Office					
	adopted					
4.4.11 Improve the level	Published information	MJ	IV Quarter	IV Quarter	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget
of information among	on the website of the		2020	2020		Bar Association Budget
citizens about the role,	Ministry of Justice, Bar	Bar Association,				Notary Chamber Budget
obligations and	Association, Chamber	Chamber of				Bailiffs Budget
responsibilities of the	of Notaries, Chamber	Notaries,				Court Expert Witnesses Association
functioning of lawyers,	of the Bailiffs,	Chamber of the				Budget

notaries, bailiffs and court witness experts	Association of Court Witness Experts	Bailiffs, Association of Court Witness Experts				
4.4.12 Media education regarding court proceedings, rights of parties, jurisdictions of judicial institutions, their organization and constitutional principles	Development of 1brochure 2 trainings held	SC SSP JS PC NGO's	IV Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	3.000,00 EUR	Budged of the judiciary  Budget of the State Prosecution Judicial Council Budget Prosecutorial Council Budget

#### d) Improvement of the system of infrastructure and security of judicial facilities and the physical access to judicial institutions

#### Objective 5: Improved infrastructure, accessibility and security of judicial facilities

Infrastructure, accessibility	Indicator: y and security of judicial fa	acilities	Baselin	e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
improved in accordance with the Plan for the construction,		Analysis of spa	itial capacities	Plan for the Construction,	Beginning of the implementation of	
reconstruction and adapta	reconstruction and adaptation of judicial facilities		drafted at the	beginning of	Reconstruction and Adjustment of	the Plan for the Construction,
			20	19	Judicial Facilities developed at the	Reconstruction and Adjustment of
					end of 2020	Judicial Facilities at the end of 2022
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent	Beginning of End of		Funds planned for the	Financial resources
		institution	realization	realization	implementation of activities	
4.5.1 Pursuant to the	Plan of adaptation	SC	I Quarter	III Quarter		Budged for the judiciary
Spatial Capacities	developed	SSC	2020	2020		Budget of the State Prosecution
Analysis, develop a Plan						Donor funds
for the construction,						
reconstruction and						
adaptation of judicial						
facilities with established						
priorities and assessment						
of the required financial						
resources						

4.5.2 Setting priorities for	Priorities for the	HC	IV Quarter	IV Quarter	Budged for the judiciary
the construction of new	construction of new	SSPO	2020	2020	<b>Budget of the State Prosecution</b>
buildings and the	buildings and the				Donor funds
development of	development of				
feasibility study and	feasibility study and				
preliminary designs for	preliminary designs for				
prioritised facilities	prioritised facilities set				
4.5.3 Continuous	Number of courts/	SC	IV Quarter	IV Quarter	Budged for the judiciary
improvement of the	prosecution offices	SSC	2020	2020	Budget of the State Prosecution
security of judicial	buildings in which the				Donor funds
facilities and the	security of judicial				
adoption of a Protocol on	facilities has been				
the procedure when	improved				
entering the building					
	Protocol on procedure				
	adopted				

#### e) Judicial infrastructure fit for a child

#### Objective 6: Upgrade Judicial infrastructure in the best interest of children

Indicator:  Number of building of courts and prosecution offices that have rooms		Baselin	e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation	
fit for a child.		0		2 rooms adapted to fit for a child	4 rooms adapted to fit for a child	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
4.6.1 Adjust children's hearing rooms in judicial institutions	2 courts or prosecutors' offices in Montenegro equipped with audiovisual equipment and furniture for carrying out a children's hearing	SC SSP	I Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	24.000,00 EUR	Donor funds

# Strategic objective 5: DEVELOPMENT OF THE MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, CENTRE FOR TRAINING, PROFESSIONAL OF LAWYERS, NOTARIES, BAILIFFS AND COURT EXPERT WITNESSES

#### a) Ministry of Justice (MoJ)

#### Objective1: Improvement of professional and administrative capacities in the Ministry of Justice and having continuous trainings of employees

Strengthened professional	Indicator:  Strengthened professional and administrative capacities of the			e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
Ministry of Justice and continuous training of employees conducted		69 employed staff at the beginning of 2019 23 employees underwent trainings at the end of 2018		76 employed staff at the end of 2020 30 employees underwent trainings at the end of 2020	81 employed staff at the end of 2022 40 employees underwent trainings at the end of 2022	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
5.1.1 Carry out training of employees of the Ministry of Justice in accordance with the Training Plan of the Human Resource Management Authority	5 trainings conducted	HRMA	I Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Budget of the Human Resource Management Authority
5.1.2 Professional development of employees aimed at	2 seminars/workshops /visits were conducted to the international	MoJ	l Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	4.260,00	MoJ Budget
exchanging experience and good practices in relation to international standards	institutions				17.152,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.1.3 Improving knowledge of the English	1 course held for 8 participants	MoJ	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019	2.880,00 EUR	Donor funds

language						
5.1.4 Adopt the new	The new Rulebook on	MoJ	II Quarter	II Quarter	228.893,00 EUR	MoJ Budget
Rulebook on Internal	Internal Organization		2019	2019		
Organization and	and Systematization of					
Systematization of the	the Ministry of Justice					
Ministry of Justice with	with an increase in the					
an increase in the	number of employees					
number of employees	adopted					

## b) Centre for the Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution (CTJSP)

#### Objective 2: Organizational development and strengthening of the institution

Professional and administr	<u>Indicator:</u> Professional and administrative capacities of the Centre/Secretariats		Baselin	e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
improved and professionally updated		The bodies of the Centre established and operating in full capacity, and the Secretariat of the Centre in capacity of 70% at the end of 2018		Newly elected members of the Centre's bodies underwent the necessary training, and the administrative capacities of the Secretariat of the Centre established in the capacity of up to 85% at the end of 2020	Members of the Centre's bodies professionally trained (in terms the training curricula development, carrying out the supervision over the implementation and assessment of its quality), and the administrative capacities of the Secretariat established in the capacity of 95% at the end of 2022	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of End of realization		Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
5.2.1 Strengthen capacity of the Programming Council to improve	2 trainings conducted	CTJSP	I Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
training and programme planning through trainings					60.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.2.2 Improve the procedure for selection of trainers by passing the	Improved selection procedure through adoption of Rulebook	CTJSP	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	40.000,00 EUR	Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution

Rulebook on the selection of trainers, to train trainers who are on the trainers list and to improve the evaluation of the trainers through the modification of the evaluation sheet filled out by the participants  5.2.3 Establish a distance	on selection of trainers  Performed of 3 training modules for trainers Amended evaluation of trainers  Platform established	CTJSP	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter	21.600,00 EUR	Donor funds  Budget of the Centre for Training in
learning platform (e- learning)			2019	2020		Judiciary and State Prosecution
3,					17.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.2.4. Improve the current evaluation methods of the training	Evaluation form improved and a new method of training	CTJSP	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
programmes through the amendments of the evaluation form and through special software system for evaluation	evaluation by the participants introduced				25.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.2.5 Analyse the need for training of employees in the Secretariat of the Centre and adopt a training plan	Training plan adopted Report on number of trainings, at least 2 times annually	CTJSP	l Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution Donor funds
5.2.6 Conduct trainings of the employees of the Centre for the projects development and planning	1 training conducted	CTJSP	l Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution Donor funds
5.2.7 Provision of budgetary funds for the work of the Centre in accordance with the law	Funds provided in the amount of 2% of the allocated budget for the judiciary and the	CTJSP MF	l Quarter 2019	l Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution Donor funds

	state prosecution					
5.2.8 Strengthen co- operation with judicial training institutions at	Established cooperation at the regional and	CTJSP	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution
the regional and international levels, in the form of facilitating the participation of judges and prosecutors in regional training and recruitment of experts	international level				40.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.2.9 Ensure social media presence of the Centre	Social Media Accounts opened	CTJSP	l Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution Donor funds
5.2.10 Strengthen co- operation with professional associations and the NGO sector by signing memorandums of cooperation	Established cooperation Memorandums signed	CTJSP	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Centre for Training in Judiciary and State Prosecution Donor funds

## c) Lawyer's profession

#### Objective 3: Strengthening of the system of liability of lawyers and professional capacities of the Bar Association

Indicator: rengthened system of liability of lawyers and professional capacities	Baseline value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
of the Bar Association	6 initiated procedures for determining	70% out of the total number of the initiated procedures for determining	90% out of the total number of the initiated procedures for
	ethical/disciplinary liability of lawyers at the end of	ethical /disciplinary liability resolved by the Bar Association at the end of	determining ethical /disciplinary liability resolved by the Bar
	2018	2020	Association at the end of 2022

Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
5.3.1 Conduct an analysis	Analysis of the	Bar Association	II Quarter	II Quarter		Budget of the Bar Association
of the normative	normative framework		2020	2020		
framework for	for establishing the				5.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
establishing the	ethical/disciplinary					
ethical/disciplinary	liability of lawyers					
liability of lawyers with	conducted					
recommendations						
5.3.2 Implement	Recommendations	Bar Association	I Quarter	IV Quarter		Budget of the Bar Association
recommendations from	implemented		2020	2020		Donor funds
the Analysis of the						
normative framework for						
establishing the						
ethical/disciplinary						
liability of lawyers						
5.3.3. Conduct training of	2 trainings conducted	Bar Association	I Quarter	IV Quarter		Budget of the Bar Association
lawyers on standards of			2020	2020		
ethics and professional					9.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
conduct						
5.3.4. Monitor the	Number of	Bar Association	I Quarter	IV Quarter		Budget of the Bar Association
implementation of	implemented		2019	2020		
procedures for	procedures and					
determining the	number and type of					
ethical/disciplinary	sanctions imposed per					
liability of the lawyer	year					
Connection with activity						
1.5.1						

#### d) Notaries

#### Objective 4: Improvement of the system of functioning, efficiency and liability of notaries

Indicator:  Notarial system is reinforced through the appointment of notaries, their continuous training, strengthened system of notaries' liabilities system and professional capacities of the Chamber of Notaries		Baseline value  53 notaries appointed at the end of 2018		Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation  54 notaries appointed at the end of 2020	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation  56 notaries appointed at the end of 2022	
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
5.4.1 Further development of notaries' profession directed to the appointment of notaries in all official seats envisaged by the law	Announced two anouncements for appointment of notaries  1 notary appointed	MoJ	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	300,00 EUR	MoJ Budget
5.4.2 Adopt and publish Supervision plan	Annual Supervision plan adopted and published Report on number of performed supervisions, number of identified irregularities and number of initiated procedures compiled	MoJ Chamber of Notaries	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget Notary Chamber Budget
5.4.3 Conduct an annual analysis of the supervision of notaries work in accordance with the Supervision Plan	Analysis of supervision on the work of notaries drafted	MoJ	II Quarter 2020	II Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget

5.4.4 Conduct an analysis of the normative	Analysis of normative framework for	Chamber of Notaries	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019		Notary Chamber Budget
framework for determining the ethical/disciplinary liability of notaries	determining the ethical/disciplinary liability of notaries conducted				5.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.4.5. Implement recommendations from	Recommendations implemented	Chamber of Notaries	I Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	2.000,00 EUR	Notary Chamber Budget
the Analysis of normative framework for determining the ethical/disciplinary liability of notaries	implemented	rotaries	2020	2020		Donor funds
5.4.6 Conduct training of notaries on standards of	1 training conducted	Chamber of Notaries	I Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Notary Chamber Budget
ethics and professional conduct			_0_0		3.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.4.7 Monitor the implementation of procedures for determining the ethical/disciplinary liability of notaries  Connection with activity 1.5.1	number of conducted procedures and number and type of sanctions imposed per year	Chamber of Notaries	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	Notary Chamber Budget
5.4.8 Networking all notary offices with state authorities with which they have business cooperation (Tax Administration, Real Estate Administration, Ministry of Interior)	Provide technical conditions for all notary offices to have access to databases of bodies with which they have business cooperation (Tax Administration, Real Estate Administration,	Chamber of Notaries	III Quarter 2019	III Quarter 2019		Notary Chamber Budget Budget of other relevant authorities

	Ministry of Interior)					
5.4.9 Adopt Training plan	Training plan adopted	Chamber of	I Quarter	I Quarter	28.000,00 EUR	Notary Chamber Budget
for notaries with special		Notaries	2020	2020		
emphasis on the EU law	2 trainings conducted					
			IV Quarter	IV Quarter		
			2020	2020		
5.4.10 Adopt the plan	Plan of scheduled	Chamber of	I Quarter	I Quarter	6.000,00 EUR	Notary Chamber Budget
Strengthening the	training seminars for	Notaries	2020	2020		
professional capacities of	notaries adopted					
the Chamber of Notaries						
in terms of monitoring	2 trainings conducted					
the quality of work of the			IV Quarter	IV Quarter		
notaries and their			2020	2020		
accountability						

#### e) Bailiffs

#### Objective 5: Improvement of the system of functioning, efficiency and liability of bailiffs

Indicator:  System of bailiffs strengthened within the continuous trainings of		Baselin	e value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation		
public enforcement office liabilities and of profession	ers, through reinforced	system of their			determining initiated procedures for determining ethical/disciplinary liability ethical /disciplinary liability resolved		90% out of the total number of the initiated procedures for determining ethical /disciplinary liability resolved by the Chamber of Bailiffs at the end of 2022
Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources	
5.5.1. Continuous supervision of the work of bailiffs in accordance with the adopted and	Annual Supervision plan adopted and published Report on number of	MoJ	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget	

published Supervision Plan	performed supervisions and number of identified irregularities, number of initiated procedures					
5.5.2 Conduct annual analyses of the efficiency of the enforcement system functioning	Annual Analysis of the normative framework for determining the ethical/disciplinary liability of the bailiffs conducted	MoJ	II Quarter 2019	II Quarter 2020	No additional budget funds required	MoJ Budget
5.5.3 Review the ethical code of bailiffs	Review the ethical code of bailiffs performed	Chamber of Bailiffs	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019		Budget of the Chamber of Bailiffs
5.5.4 Conduct training of bailiffs standards of	Report on number of trainings conducted	Chamber of Bailiffs	l Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Budget of the Bailiffs
ethics and professional conduct	and number of participants				12.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.5.5 Monitor the implementation of procedures for determining the ethical/disciplinary liability of bailiffs  Connection with activity 1.5.1	Number of initiated procedures and number and type of sanctions imposed per year	Chamber of Bailiffs	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	30.000,00 EUR	Donor funds

5.5.6 Networking all bailiffs with state	All bailiffs offices networked with the	Chamber of Bailiffs	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	10.800,00 EUR	Bailiffs Budget
authorities with which	records of other					Budget of other relevant
they have business cooperation ( Real Estate	authorities					authorities
Administration, Ministry						
of Interior)						
5.5.7 Carry out	2 trainings conducted	Chamber of	I Quarter	IV Quarter	10.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
continuous education of		Bailiffs	2019	2020		
bailiffs with special		CTJSP				
emphasis on the EU law						
5.5.8 Development and	Commentary	Chamber of	II Quarter	II Quarter	3.000,00 EUR	Bailiffs Budget
distribution of the	developed and	Bailiffs	2020	2020		
Commentary on the Law	distributed to the					Donor funds
on Enforcement and	bailiffs and					
Securing of Claims, with	enforcement judges					
examples of the case-law						
and forms of acts						
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#### f) Court Expert Witnesses

#### Objective 7: Improvement of the system of functioning, efficiency and liability of court expert witnesses

Indicator: e system of court expert witnesses is reinforced through the	Baseline value	Targeted value in the middle of the strategic document implementation	Targeted value in the end of the strategic document implementation
appointment of court expert witnesses, their continuous trainings, strengthened system of court expert witnesses' liabilities and of professional capacities of the Association of court expert witnesses.	No proceedings initiated for determining ethical/disciplinary liability of court expert witnesses at the end of 2018	70% out of the total number of the initiated procedures for determining ethical /disciplinary liability resolved by the Association of court expert witnesses at the end of 2020	90% out of the total number of the initiated procedures for determining ethical /disciplinary liability resolved by the Association of court expert witnesses at the end of 2022

Activity	Outcome Indicators	Competent institution	Beginning of realization	End of realization	Funds planned for the implementation of activities	Financial resources
5.6.1 Further development of the system of court expert witnesses directed to the appointment and re- appointment of court expert witnesses for particular professions	Number of announced public calls and number of appointed court expert witnesses per year	MoJ	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		MoJ Budget
5.6.2 Conduct an analysis of the normative framework for	Annual Analysis of the normative framework for determining the	Court Expert Witnesses Association	IV Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2019		Court Expert Witnesses Association Budget
determining the ethical/disciplinary liability of court expert witnesses with recommendations	ethical/disciplinary liability of court expert witnesses conducted	Association			5.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.6.3. Implement recommendations from the Analysis of normative framework for determining the ethical/disciplinary liability of court expert witnesses	Recommendations implemented	Court Expert Witnesses Association	I Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Court Expert Witnesses Association Budget Donor funds
5.6.4 Conduct training of court expert witnesses on standards of ethics	Number of trainings conducted and number of participants	Court Expert Witnesses Association	l Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020		Court Expert Witnesses Association Budget
and professional conduct	per year				7.000,00 EUR	Donor funds
5.6.5 Monitor the implementation of procedures for determining the ethical/disciplinary	Number of conducted procedures and number and type of sanctions imposed per year	Court Expert Witnesses Association	I Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020		Court Expert Witnesses Association Budget

liability of court expert witnesses					
Connection with activity 1.5.1					
1.5.1					
5.6.6 Carry out continuous education of court expert witnesses	Annual Training plan adopted Report on number of trainings and number of participant	Court Expert Witnesses Association	l Quarter 2019	IV Quarter 2020	Court Expert Witnesses Association Budget
5.6.7 Strengthening the professional capacities of the Association of Court Experts regarding the monitoring of the quality of their work and responsibilities	A comparative analysis of EU member states and regions regarding the status of court experts performed	Association of Court Experts	l Quarter 2020	IV Quarter 2020	Court Expert Association Budget Donor funds

#### Note:

During the development of the Action Plan for the Implementation of the Strategy for the Reform of the Judiciary 2019-2020, the activities from the AP for Implementation of the Strategy for the Reform of the Judiciary 2017-2018 which were implemented in continuity were taken into account, as well as those partially implemented and not implemented.

These activities have been incorporated into the new Action Plan, in addition to activities related to the ICT of the judiciary and mediators.

Activities related to the ICT of the judiciary are not part of the new Action Plan since they already form integral part of ICT Strategy for judiciary 2016-2020 and Action Plan for the implementation of ICT Strategy for judiciary.

Activities related to mediators are not part of the new Action Plan since they are the integral part Alternative Dispute Resolution Program 2019-2021 with the accompanying Action Plan.