

Annual Rule of Law Report - Council of Europe contribution



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Directorate General Human Rights and Rule of Law (DG I)

Slovenia

I Justice System

CEPEJ

The European Commission for the Efficiency of Justice (CEPEJ) regularly collects data on judicial systems concerning efficiency and quality of the justice system. In the framework of the CEPEJ Study for the EU Justice Scoreboard, CEPEJ prepares Country profiles annually, including [Slovenia](#).

The 2024 data have been collected, quality checked and sent to DG-JUST in the framework of the 2026 EU Justice Scoreboard. The publication of the country profiles based on 2024 data will depend on final acceptance of the CEPEJ Study by DG-JUST. The CEPEJ Secretariat (christel.schurrer@coe.int) remains at the disposal of European Commission for any question related to these data.

EXECUTION OF JUDGMENTS OF THE EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS

Official statistics on the execution of judgments of the European Court of Human Rights are published in the Committee of Ministers [Annual reports on the execution](#) (next edition to be published in March 2026). The Department for the Execution of Judgments can be consulted for any question on statistics: DGI-Execution@coe.int.

[Pintar and Others](#) (49969/14) (enhanced supervision): concerns the authorities' failure to introduce remedies that would provide the applicants with a reasonable opportunity to challenge the Bank of Slovenia's 2013-2014 decisions, resulting in the cancellation of all shares or subordinated bonds held by the applicants, and/or seek compensation for the cancellation of shares or bonds they held in domestic banks.

Latest decisions of the Committee of Ministers: [CM/Del/Dec\(2024\)1507/H46-32](#)

Latest submissions: [DH-DD\(2024\)731](#)

CHILDREN'S RIGHTS

The joint European Union - Council of Europe Child-friendly Justice project aims to improve the protection of children in contact with the law – as offenders, victims or witnesses in non-judicial, judicial (such as civil and criminal cases) and administrative proceedings – across Europe at national and local level. Focus countries of the project are Belgium, Slovenia and Poland. These countries have undergone assessments on child-friendly justice using the Child-Friendly Justice Assessment Tool (in [English](#), [French](#), [Slovenian](#), [Dutch](#)). Recommendations were formulated to improve the justice systems in this regard.

[Project website](#)

[Final self-assessment on child-friendly justice in Slovenia](#)

The European Union-Council of Europe Joint Project “Ensuring the best interests of the child in civil court proceedings in Slovenia” aims to improve the protection of children’s rights in civil court proceedings in Slovenia through ensuring the best interests of the child.

[Project website](#)

In the framework of the project the following reports were developed and subsequently recommendations were formulated to improve the protections of children in civil proceedings:

- [an assessment of the current legal, policy and institutional framework with a focus on priority issues identified with the Ministry of Justice and the IMWG \(Original \[Slovenian version\]\(#\), \[unofficial English translation\]\(#\)\)](#)
- [Comparative Study: A selection of guidance, methods and tools on securing the best interests of the child in civil proceedings used in Council of Europe member and observer states \(Original full version in \[English\]\(#\) / \[Summary in English\]\(#\); \[Summary in Slovenian\]\(#\)\)](#)
- [Strategy and national action plan \(available in \[English\]\(#\) / \[Slovenian\]\(#\)\)](#)
- [a training gap analysis for professionals working with and for child involved civil court proceedings \(Original \[Slovenian version\]\(#\), \[unofficial English translation\]\(#\)\)](#)

II Anti-corruption framework

N/A

III Media pluralism

N/A

IV Other institutional issues related to checks and balances

N/A