

AGENDA

NATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE EUROPEAN UNION IN THE REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA (NCEU-MK)

18th Session of Working Group 3 – Judiciary and Fundamental rights (Chapter 23)

TOPIC: “European standards for disciplinary and appointment mechanisms in the Judiciary as a key element of the Rule of law“

Date and time: 12th of February 2026 (Thursday), 09:30 – 14:00

Venue: Club of Deputies, Str. Mitropolit Teodosij Gologanov n.45, Skopje

Working languages: Macedonian and English

09:30 – 10:15 | OPENING REMARKS

Igor FILKOV, Minister of Justice of the Republic of North Macedonia;
Irina TRAJKOSKA-STREZOSKI, Director of the Academy for Judges and Public Prosecutors;
Marjana ILIESKA, Deputy President of the Council of Public Prosecutors;
Suzana JOSEVSKA-ANASTASOVSKA, Member of the Judicial council of the Republic of North Macedonia;

For NCEU-MK:

Mileva GJUROVSKA, National Coordinator of NCEU-MK, President of the European Movement in North Macedonia;

10:15 – 10:30 | COFFEE BREAK

10:30 – 12:00 | FIRST PANEL DISCUSSION – INTRODUCTION TO THE TOPIC AND DISCUSSION

Panelists:

Kilian WAHL, Ambassador, Head of the OSCE Mission to Skopje;
Aleksandra DEANOSKA - TRENDABILOVA, Coordinator of WG-3, Professor, "Iustinianus Primus" Law Faculty, UKIM, Skopje;
Katerina GEORGIEVSKA, Judge in the Supreme Court of the Republic of North Macedonia;
Lile STEFANOVA, Public Prosecutor in the Public Prosecutor's Office of the Republic of North Macedonia;

Co-chairs:

Djancho EFTIMOV, State Secretary at the Ministry of Justice;
Muhamed HALILI, Ambassador, Council of Ambassadors;

12:00 – 12:15 | COFFEE BREAK

12:15 – 13:30 | SECOND PANEL DISCUSSION – INTRODUCTION TO THE TOPIC AND DISCUSSION

Panelists:

Olja RISTOVA, Judge in the Appellate Court, Skopje;
Elvin VELI, Public Prosecutor in the Public Prosecutor's Office of the Republic of North Macedonia;
Darko AVRAMOVSKI, Executive Director, Association "All for Fair Trials";

13:30 – 14:00 | DISCUSSION AND PRESENTATION OF DRAFT RECOMMENDATIONS

Moderator:

Aleksandra DEANOSKA - TRENDABILOVA, Coordinator of WG-3, Professor, "Iustinianus Primus" Law Faculty, UKIM, Skopje;