



INSTITUTE OF LAW AND HUMAN RIGHTS
PUBLIC LEGAL ENTITY

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THE INSTITUTE OF LAW AND HUMAN RIGHTS (INSTITUTE), AS A PUBLIC LEGAL ENTITY, OPERATES UNDER THE CENTER FOR LEGAL EXAMINATION AND LEGISLATIVE INITIATIVES.



EXAMINATION, ANALYSIS, OPINION AND PROPOSALS

- ⦿ Examination of 47 draft normative legal acts;
- ⦿ Analysis of 5 draft normative legal acts;
- ⦿ Preparation of 9 proposals for the analysis of 66 decisions issued by the European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR) against Azerbaijan under Article 5 of the European Convention;
- ⦿ Preparation of proposals for amending the legislation on implementation of the conciliation agreement resulting from the mediation process in the Republic of Azerbaijan.



EVENTS AND PRESENTATIONS

The Institute organized **5 events** (conference, presentation, public discussion, etc.):

- ⦿ Charity event at Women's Correctional Facility No.4 (March 15);
- ⦿ Presentation of the book «Армянский национализм: жизнь без будущего» (Armenian nationalism: life without future) (April 12);
- ⦿ Presentation of the "Virtual Library of Law and Human Rights" dedicated to the 100th anniversary of the Great Leader Heydar Aliyev (May 10);
- ⦿ "Event dedicated to the 100th anniversary of the Great Leader Heydar Aliyev, the 25th anniversary of the Institute of Law and Human Rights and the International Human Rights Day" (December 6);
- ⦿ A scientific-practical conference on "New approaches to ensuring and protecting human rights and freedoms in the globalized world" (December 13);

TRAININGS

- ⦿ **27 trainings** - for employees of various state bodies (employees of executive authorities, inspectors and investigators of divisions and departments of city and district police departments, employees of the judiciary and prosecutor's office, young lawyers and attorney candidates, mediators and lawyers);
- ⦿ **8 trainings** - on human rights were provided to a wide audience:
 - 3-days training program at the Juvenile Institution (January 23-25);
 - Trainings for young people in Baku, Jalilabad and Bilasuvar cities (February 8, 10);
 - 3-days training for convicted juveniles (February 15-17);

- Training for young lawyers (May 6);
- Training for students at the Baku State Vocational Education Center for Public Catering and Service (June 7, November 2).
- ⦿ **6 seminars** - were held for members of the CEC (Central Election Commission) expert group working within district election commissions, chairpersons of district election commissions, and members of precinct election commissions dedicated to addressing electoral complaints;
- ⦿ **48 individuals** participated in an online human rights course;
- ⦿ In total, the Institute held **41 training sessions** with **1120 participants**, including employees from state bodies, students, young people, and a diverse range of individuals from the general population. Additionally, **11 training sessions** and **27 presentations** were organized to enhance the professional development of the Institute's staff.





TRAININGS



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393
PARTICIPANTS

SEMINARS IN 6 CITIES FOR
REPRESENTATIVES OF REGIONAL
ELECTION COMMISSIONS

211
PARTICIPANTS

8 TRAININGS FOR EMPLOYEES
OF LOCAL EXECUTIVE
AUTHORITIES



188
PARTICIPANTS

TRAININGS FOR POLICE STAFF
IN 9 DISTRICTS AND CITIES

*Topic: Application of the provisions on the
"Right to liberty and security" in Article 5 of the
European Convention on Human Rights*

207
PARTICIPANTS

TRAININGS FOR EMPLOYEES OF
MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, COURTS,
PROSECUTION BODIES, AS WELL AS
FOR LAWYERS AND MEDIATORS
IN 10 CITIES

*Topic: "Prohibition of Torture
and fair trial"*



PUBLICATIONS, ARTICLES AND TRANSLATIONS

During the year, 5 books and 17 articles authored by the employees of the Institute were published. Additionally, 8 legal documents were translated by the Institute.

LIBRARY FUND AND BOOK EXHIBITIONS

- ⊙ The library fund of the Institute consists of 3450 books;
- ⊙ "Virtual Library of Law and Human Rights" offers 283 online resources in 3 languages (Azerbaijani, Russian and English) (181 books, 81 articles, 15 reports, 1 journal, 5 legal documents);
- ⊙ An offline version of the virtual library was launched at the Women's Correctional Facility No.4;
- ⊙ 76,710 downloads were carried out from the virtual library between May 2023 and December 2023.

A total of 3023 books under various titles published by the Institute with different names were presented to lawyers, police and prosecutor's office employees, as well as lawyers and students at fairs, exhibitions and festivals, trainings, and events.

MEDIA AND SOCIAL NETWORK (STATISTICS)

- ⊙ Number of sources of information on the activity of the Institute – 81
- ⊙ Number of shared information and news – 645
- ⊙ Number of views/ reads on shared information and news - 341,582
- ⊙ Number of posts on social networks – 634
- ⊙ Number of likes on social networks – 9191



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