

EHRAC LITIGATION IN 2018

CASE	PARTNER ORGANISATION/ LAWYER	OVERVIEW OF FACTS AS ARGUED BY APPLICATIONS	NUMBER OF APPLICANTS	CASE PROGRESS IN 2018
ARMENIA				
<i>Farmanyan & others v Armenia</i>	Individual lawyer	Deaths of nine people, including an army conscript, following demonstration on 1 March 2008.	9	Submitted update to the ECtHR
<i>Hayrapetyan v Armenia</i>	Individual lawyer	Conviction on the basis of illegible evidence, the content of which the applicant was unable to challenge, and a ban on telephone calls in detention.	1	Communicated
<i>Hovhannisyan & Nazaryan v Armenia</i>	Individual lawyer	Death in a non-combat situation in the Armenian military and subsequent failure to adequately investigate.	2	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Minasyan & others v Armenia</i>	PINK Armenia	Online hate speech against individuals on behalf of their actual or perceived sexual orientation.	14	Communicated
AZERBAIJAN				
<i>A & others v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Violent police raids on individuals on the basis of sexual orientation in September 2017, and their subsequent detention, torture and ill-treatment.	23	Submitted ECtHR application
<i>Abbasov v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Beating of a journalist reporting on property demolitions in Baku by SOCAR (state-owned) security guards.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Ahmadovlar v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Demolition of family's home ordered on basis that land allegedly belonged to state-owned SOCAR.	4	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Aliyev v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Arbitrarily imposed travel ban on prominent human rights lawyer.	1	Submitted ECtHR application
<i>Aliyev v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Arrest, pre-trial detention and treatment of prominent human rights lawyer.	1	Judgment
<i>Babayeva v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Beating of man in detention by police officers resulting in his death, and failure to investigate.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Bagirov & others v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Police raid on, arrest and trial of Muslim Unity Movement members in Nardaran.	19	Submitted ECtHR application
<i>Hasanov v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Disbarment of human rights lawyer following politically-motivated conviction for slander.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Ismayilova v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Travel ban imposed on investigative journalist following her conditional release from prison.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Mustafayev & Democracy & Human Rights Resource Centre v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Travel ban and freezing of the bank account of lawyer and the NGO which he founded.	2	Communicated
<i>Yunusova & Yunusov v Azerbaijan</i>	Individual lawyer	Conviction of human rights defenders on politically-motivated charges.	2	Submitted ECtHR application**

*Application was submitted and communicated in 2018.

** Case found inadmissible in 2018.

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GEORGIA				
<i>A & B v Georgia</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Murder of 20-year-old woman by her police officer husband with a service pistol following extended period of domestic violence.	2	Communicated
<i>A.D. & A.K. v Georgia</i>	Women's Initiatives Supporting Group	Refusal of the authorities to amend the gender marker on identity documents of trans men.	2	Communicated
<i>Akhvlediani v Georgia</i>	Transparency International	Dismissal of Chairman of Tbilisi City Court for making critical statement about the High Council of Justice.	1	Submitted ECtHR application**
<i>D v Georgia (CEDAW)</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Failure of the state to prevent, investigate and punish sustained domestic violence and femicide by the victim's ex-husband.	2	Communicated
<i>G v Georgia</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Presumed suicide of a woman following extended period of physical violence from her husband.	1	Submitted ECtHR application
<i>J v Georgia (CEDAW)</i>	Human Rights Centre, Union Sapari	Failure to effectively investigate death of woman who was publicly beaten by her husband's relatives for alleged infidelity, and repeatedly told to kill herself.	3	Submitted CEDAW application
<i>Kerdikoshvili v Georgia</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Non-exemption from the payment of court fees and inability to receive damages for the loss of unlawfully seized goods of applicant.	1	Inadmissibility decision
<i>Kvirikashvili v Georgia</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Ill-treatment by police officers.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Maisuradze v Georgia</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Death of detainee from ineffectively treated tuberculosis while in prison.	1	Judgment
<i>Matkhava v Russia</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Fatal shooting by guard on Abkhaz border.	1	Submitted ECtHR application*
<i>Merabishvili v Georgia</i>	Individual lawyer	Politically-motivated detention of former Georgian Prime Minister.	1	Submission to the Council of Europe Committee of Ministers
<i>Police & prison abuses cases (Bekauri & others, Menabde, Studio Maestro & others, Tedliashvili & others v Georgia)</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Failure to conduct effective investigations into police and prison abuses in accordance with the Government's undertakings in unilateral declarations/friendly settlements.	18	Request to restore decided cases to the ECtHR for examination
<i>Shavlokhova v Georgia</i>	Georgian Young Lawyers' Association	Death of a prisoner during a riot in a Tbilisi prison in 2006.	1	Inadmissibility decision
<i>Toradze v Georgia</i>	Georgian Democratic Initiative	Failure to prevent, investigate, and punish acts of domestic violence.	1	Replied to Government's observations*

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<i>Abuyeva v Russia II</i>	Memorial HRC	Failure to implement measures in previous related ECtHR judgments regarding the bombing of Katyr-Yurt (Chechnya) in 2000.	1	Communicated
<i>Bogush & Others v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Deaths following sinking of state-owned subsidiary oil rig and subsequent failure to investigate.	11	Submitted ECtHR application
<i>Bondar v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Conviction for sharing an "extremist" music video on social media three years before the video was deemed extremist.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Bulin v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Lack of proper medical provision for detainee with multiple sclerosis.	1	Inadmissibility decision
<i>Daurbekov v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Ill-treatment and torture in detention.	1	Communicated
<i>Ecodefence & Others v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Restrictions on NGO activity by the "law on foreign agents".	18	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Ilupin & others v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Administrative convictions and failure to investigate attacks on protests against "homosexual propaganda" Bill.	4	Communicated
<i>Kodzoyev v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Torture in detention to extract confession.	1	Communicated
<i>Kuashev v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Death of a Kabardino-Balkar activist and subsequent failure to investigate.	2	Submitted ECtHR application
<i>Kuriyeva v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Death during security operation in Nalchik.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Magomedov & others v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Abduction and disappearance of man from Chechnya.	7	Judgment
<i>Makhloyev v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Abduction and disappearance of applicant's son in Ingushetia.	1	Judgment
<i>Mochalov & Ivanov v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Conviction for "extremist" publication, interception of telephone communication.	2	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Perelygina v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Compensation for damage to property following mudslide in Krasnodar region.	1	Inadmissibility decision
<i>S.N. v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Repeated rape and sexual violence against minor in Dagestan by multiple perpetrators, and failure to investigate.	1	Judgment
<i>Saidova v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Disappearance of applicant's husband in Dagestan.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Saynaroyevy v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Abduction and disappearance of an elderly man from Ingushetia during security operation.	2	Judgment
<i>Tsakoyevy v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Abduction and death following detention of applicants' son in Ingushetia.	2	Judgment
<i>Valibagandov v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Abduction and disappearance of applicant's brother in Dagestan.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Zakharov v Russia</i>	Memorial HRC	Misuse of Russian state surveillance powers to monitor a journalist's mobile telephone communications.	1	Submission to the Council of Europe Committee of Ministers
<i>North Caucasus disappearance cases (WGEID)</i>	Memorial HRC and Stichting Justice Initiative	Persistent state failure to investigate disappearances between 1999 and 2006 from the North Caucasus region of Russia.	n/a	General Allegation to UN Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances.

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UKRAINE				
<i>Bratsylo & others v Russia (UNHRC)</i>	Regional Centre for Human Rights	Legal status and citizenship of convicted prisoners from Crimea.	3	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Denisov v Ukraine</i>	n/a	Unlawful dismissal of judge from his post as President of Kyiv Administrative Court of Appeal.	1	Judgment
<i>Grechukh v Ukraine</i>	Regional Centre for Human Rights	Life imprisonment in Ukraine without a possibility for review or release.	1	Submitted ECtHR application
<i>Oprya, Yurov, Gryshchuk and Potekhin v Ukraine & Russia</i>	Ukrainian Helsinki Human Rights Union	Detention, ill-treatment and forced labour by 'separatists' in "Donetsk People's Republic".	5	Communicated
<i>Selygenenko & others v Ukraine</i>	Regional Centre for Human Rights	Discrimination against internally displaced people in Ukraine unable to vote in local elections.	3	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Volkov v Ukraine</i>	n/a	Unlawful dismissal of Supreme Court judge.	1	Judgment (Just Satisfaction Only)
<i>YPR v Ukraine & Russia</i>	Ukrainian Helsinki Human Rights Union	Abduction, torture and detention in Crimea.	1	Replied to Government's observations
<i>Zayetz v Ukraine</i>	Regional Centre for Human Rights	Death of child on a railway crossing and failure to investigate.	2	Submitted ECtHR application