

CHAIRMAN

Appointed on February 10, 2001



Ilirjan Celibashi

Date of birth: 10.02.1969

Place of birth: Skrapar

Living in: Tirana

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Education

Graduated in law in Law Faculty in Tirana, 1992

Work Experience

July 1992 - December 1992, judge in Fieri District Court

December 1992- February 1998, judge and chairman of the District Court of Mallakaster

February 1998 - October 1998, judge in the Appeals Court of Durres;

October 1998 - January 1999, deputy Minister of Public Order

March 1999 - February 2001, judge in Durres Court of Appeals;

February 2001 - Appointed member of the CEC by the High Council of Justice

February 2001 - current, Chairman of the CEC

Qualifications

November 1994, "east-west forum" Florence, 1 - month specialization;

October 1998 UNICRI, Rome, 1-month specialization;

Short- term courses in Warsaw in April 1999, Talin (Estonia), June 1999,

Brussels, January, 2000 in the framework of "OCTOPOUS II" Program.

Foreign languages

English - good, written and spoken.

Italian - good, written and spoken.

German - fair.

MEMBER

Appointed on November 25, 2004



Çlirim Gjata

Date of birth: 03.02.1968

Living in: Tirana

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Education

1987-1991 Law School, University of Tirana (full time)

WORK EXPERIENCE

1991-1992, (6 months), assistant lawyer and four months as a court prosecutor

1992- 1993 (2 years), Judge in Tirana District Court

1993-1995 Chairman of the District Court of Lezha

1995-1998 Judge in Tirana Court of Appeals

1998- current Legal Adviser in Supreme Court

Part-time university teacher close to the Department of Civil Law in the Law Faculty, Tirana University, teaching "Procedural Civil Law".

2004- current, Part-time teacher in "LUARASI" Law School teaching the same subject.

2004- current, Teacher in Magistrate School for the same subject.

SCIENTIFIC DEGREES 1999 Doctor of Sciences after a thesis on the Procedural Civil Law.

SPECIALISATION COURSES 1994 - Italy, the Italian High Council of Justice
1996 - Denmark, the Danish Supreme Court
A number of short-term courses and workshops

NOTE: I have and I am conducting workshops for the training of Judicial and Civil Personnel for their qualification, organized by USAID and "EAST-WEST" Management Institute.

MEMBER

Appointed on February 12, 2001



Tomorr Malaj

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Living in: Tirana

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Education

09.02.1963 Graduated in the High State Institution of Agriculture, Tirana.

Work experience

12.02.2001- current member of the Central Elections Commission.

08.12.1999 -11.02.2001 Advisor of the Minister of Local Government.

01.12.1997-07.12.1999 Local government coordinator in the Coo-ordination Department of the Council of Ministers.

1995 - 30.11.1997 Chief of the sector of elected local bodies in the State Secretariat for the Local Government.

1987 - 1995 Inspector and assistant on Local Government in the Council of Ministers.

1980 - 1987 Deputy Chairman of the Executive Committee of Tepelena district.

1973 - 1980 Chief of Agriculture Section in the Executive Committee, Tepelena district.

1970 - 1973 Chairman of the Agriculture Cooperative Farms in Krahes, Tepelenë.

1968 - 1970 Chief agronomist in the Agriculture Cooperative Farms in Dukaj, Tepelena.

1963 - 1968 Chief Agronomist in the Executive Committee of Tepelena district.

April 1963 - November 1963 Agronomist in Buz, Tepelena district.

Qualifications

Several weekly and 10-day courses in Albania and abroad mainly on the "organization and functioning of the local government".

05 - 12.03.1995 Bucharest, Romania, "On Local Government - Prefect relations".

12 - 05.11.1995 Avelino, Italy "On functions and powers of the local government".

21 - 28.11.1999 Czech Republic.

10 - 17.01.2000 Slovenia.

17 - 22.01.2000 Switzerland and Sweden, "On civil emergencies".

19 - 24.04.2000 Athens, Greece "On local government".

17 - 29.05.2000 Washington, U.S. "On civil emergencies and the fight against terrorism".

14 - 24.12.2000 Czech Republic "On administrative reform".

Other experiences

1991- October 2000, participant in high-level technical and organizational groups in all electoral campaigns in Albania.

Foreign languages

Russian, spoken (fair), read (good) written (good).

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Appointed on July 31, 2003



Dodë Prenga

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Place of birth: Mirdita

Living place: Tirana

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Education

Graduated in the Faculty of Natural Sciences, in the 5-year Physics branch, Tirana University, 1992

Work experience

Teaching : January 1993-2000. University teacher, Physics Department, "L.Gurakuqi" University, Shkodra. Specialized in Theoretical Physics.

Delivered lectures and seminars of Quantum Mechanics, Computer Methods in Physics, Atomic Physics.

Special Courses (different subjects). 2000-2003: Tiranës. Assistant and associate university teacher in Physics Department, Faculty of Natural Sciences, Tirana University. 2002, lecturer of Quantum Optics in 5-year Physics branch.

Lecturer (part-time university teacher) of Quantum Mechanics and Atomic Physics in Physics Branch in Shkodra University.

Research activity: Four research works published, three diploma theses tutored in Physics Department, Shkodra University.

Published works: three cycles of written lectures (The Foundations of Theoretical Physics, Computer Methods in Physics, Atomic Physics), department of Physics, Shkodra University.

2001, University text, "Introduction to the Quantum Mechanics", ShBLU. 2002, cycle of written lectures, "Quantum Optics", edition of Physics Department.

Qualifications, specializations

1997, Paris 12, 2 months.

2000, University of Bari, 2 months.

2002, University of Lecce.

Computer: Average level in the program for languages, Paskal, Basic.

Foreign languages

English (very good), French (very good), Italian (very good, no certificates), German, (fair)

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Appointed in July 2003



Dëshira Subashi

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Place of birth: TIRANA
Living in: TIRANA

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Education

1976 - Faculty of Political – Juridical Sciences, Tirana

WORK EXPERIENCE

2003 : Member of the CEC
2000-2003 : Judge, Court of Appeals, Tirana
1998-2000 : Judge, Court of Appeals, Shkodra
1993-1998 : Judge, Court of Appeals, Tirana
1992-1993 : Judge, Court of Appeals, Tirana
1991-1992 : Inspector in the Ministry of Justice
1987-1991 : Prosecutor in the Prosecution Office of Shkoder district
1983-1987 : Chief of juridical structure in the Fuel Directorate
1977-1983 : Ministry of Trade

Short-term Qualifications

1996 - Strasbourg "On judging in the European Court of Human Rights"
1999 - Warsaw, Poland "On cases of penal procedures of extradition"
2000 - Syracuse, Italy-International Institute of Organized Crime "On organized crime"
2002 - Cairo, Egypt "On property civil cases"

Foreign Languages

Italian - Good
French - Fair

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Appointed on July 7, 1999



Pandeli Varfi

Date of birth: 09. 21.1949
Place of birth: Vuno, Himarë
Living in: Tirana

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Education

1963 - 1967 "Ali Demi" High School, Vlora.
1967 - 1972 University of Tirana, Faculty of Natural Sciences, received the degree "Mathematician".

Work experience

1973 - 1989 Research worker close to the Institute of Applied Information Technology and Mathematics (INIMA).
1973 - 1980 Application of the Linear Program in optimizing the cut of materials; Models of the Numerical Analysis in Seismology.
1980 - 1985 Participant in the technical group in conceiving and implementing the project "The Information technology network in Albania".
1985 - 1989 Chief of the project "Computerization of the Budget Directorate in the Ministry of Finances".
1989 - 2000 Chairman of the Foreign Relations Department in the Academy of Sciences of Albania.
Contributor in implementation of Cooperation Agreements in the Academy of Sciences of Albania with:

The University of Marburg (Germany)

The Bulgarian Academy of Sciences
The Romanian Academy of Sciences
The Russian Academy of Sciences
The Academy of Sciences and Arts of Macedonia
The Network of Mediterranean Academy etc.

Pedagogical Activity

1973 - 1980 Part-time university teacher of Mathematics in the University of Tirana (Faculty of Geology-Mining, Engineering, Economics)
1981 - 1992 Part-time university teacher of Information Technology in the University of Tirana, Agricultural University, etc.

Foreign languages

French - Very good.

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Appointed on June 8, 2000



Klement Zguri

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Place of birth : Tirana

Living in: Shijak

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Education

1972-1976 High School.

1992-1996 Law faculty in Tirana University.

Work Experience

1991-1994 Inspector in Shijak Municipality

1994-1997 Deputy Chairman and jurist in Shijak Municipality

1997-1998 Chairman of Shijak Municipality

1998-May 2000 Inspector in the Ministry of Justice

May 2000 - current Member of the Central Elections, proposed by DBSH and elected by the President of the Republic of Albania, with a 3 (three)-year term.

Qualifications

March 1998, training as head of local government in U.S. by USAID

April 1998, training on Strategic Planning in Tirana by USAID

November 1999, two-week qualification on the Fight Against Organized Crime, Warsaw, Poland.

Other engagements

1992-1998 Member of the Municipality Council, Shijak.

1997- Member of the Central Elections Commission

1999 -2000 Member of the Board of Directors of "Building Democracy" Foundation.

Foreign Languages

Good knowledge of English, Italian and Russian.