

# PROJECT ON THE JUDICIARY

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## Notes on Treatment

From 2019-01-01 chairman of a court does no longer hold a veto power on the judge candidate. So one can expect any judge hired after that date to be more independent from the court chairman. What is more important, this treatment will be enacted independently of court chairman since they do not influence the availability of vacant jobs, which is prescribed on yearly basis by the budget.

## Verdicts

The main focus of this study is the influence of the treatment on the verdicts courts make, so the overall number of cases and their outcomes can be seen in the first summary table, you can find in table 1 on the following page. Out of the 1,313,469 verdicts 732,403 has led to imprisonment.

**Table 1.** Summary Statistics of Verdicts  
in Russian

Verdict		Number of cases
1. A VERDICT was made	Вынесен ПРИГОВОР	1,313,469
2.The criminal case has been TERMINATED	Уголовное дело ПРЕКРАЩЕНО	221,208
3. Another decision was made	Вынесено другое ПОСТАНОВЛЕНИЕ	35,095
4. COMPULSORY MEDICAL MEASURES applied	Применены ПРИНУДИТЕЛЬНЫЕ МЕРЫ МЕДИЦИНСКОГО ХАРАКТЕРА	17,392
5. Sent to (appropriate) JURISDICTION	Направлено ПО ПОДСУДНОСТИ (подведомственности)	15,707
6.RETURNED TO THE PROSECUTOR	ВОЗВРАЩЕНО ПРОКУРОРУ или РУКОВОДИТЕЛЮ СЛЕДСТВЕННОГО ОРГАНА	14,472
REFUSED to accept the application for legal proceedings	ОТКАЗАНО в принятии заявления к производству	4,819
NA	NA	2,291
Appeal PROCEEDINGS TERMINATED	Апелляционное ПРОИЗВОДСТВО ПРЕКРАЩЕНО	1,335
WITHDRAWN from appeal consideration	СНЯТО с апелляционного рассмотрения	1,057
Submission (complaint) WITHDRAWN	Представление (жалоба) ОТОЗВАНЫ	498
Case joined to another case	Дело присоединено к другому делу	372
LEFT WITHOUT CONSIDERATION due to non-appearance of the parties	ОСТАВЛЕНО БЕЗ РАССМОТРЕНИЯ в связи с неявкой сторон	42