

Hate Crime MONTHLY

AUGUST 2024

Criminal acts motivated by intolerance, that is, prejudices against a certain group in society, are described as hate crimes. Two conditions must be met for the existence of these hate crimes: the act must be foreseen in the criminal law and the act must be motivated by some type of prejudice. The Helsinki Committee for Human Rights registers and maps hate crimes, and this Monthly provides an overview of registered incidents for the specific period.

INCIDENTS

Caused by hate this month

15

TYPE OF INCIDENT*

1
property damage

1
desecration of symbols

0
bodily injury

1
robbery

0
causing general danger

10
violence

1
serious threat

0
endangerement of safety

0
causing hatred, discord or intolerance

*The total number of incidents does not always correspond to the numbers for the type of incidents and percentages for victim characteristics, since certain incidents contain multiple types of violations and/or have occurred on multiple grounds.

VICTIM CHARACTERISTICS*



INCIDENTS ACCORDING TO LOCATION

Skopje – 12
Bitola – 1
Kumanovo – 1
Tetovo - 1



REACTIONS

0

Reactions this month

TYPE OF REACTION - CONVICTION

0
by an official

0
religious leader

0
civil association

0
protest

0
removal of consequence

0
other

IN AUGUST 2024

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSE:

perpetrators identified..... 0
criminal charges..... 0
misdemeanor charges..... 0
ongoing trials..... 0

Total number of incidents in 2024: 75

6 8 7 14 7 11 7 15



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An isolated incident

On August 17, 2024, SIA Bitola received a report that in the period between August 14-17, 2024, the gate of the protective fence and the information board of a mosque under construction on ul. "Kuzman Josifovski" were spray-painted and damaged. An inspection was carried out and measures are being taken to clear up the case.