

Book II
Statistics of the Disciplinary Responsibility and Disciplinary Proceedings of
Judges

1. The results of the hearing the claims examined by the Department of Judicial Ethics and Disciplinary Proceedings of the High Council of Justice of Georgia

By 2014, 383 applications (claims, letters) had been filed before the High Council of Justice of Georgia, out of which 179 were filed in 2013.

According to the examination results of the above mentioned applications (claims, letters):

1. The disciplinary proceedings against judges were terminated in 266 disciplinary cases (84,9%);
2. In 17 disciplinary cases, private recommendation letters were applied to the judges (5,4%);
3. In 30 disciplinary cases (9,6%), the judges gave the explanatory notes;
4. On the basis of 70 claims (applications) the disciplinary proceedings are still pending - 78,3%.

2. Results of the hearing the claims filed at the Disciplinary Chamber of the Supreme Court of Georgia

During 2014 the judgments of the Disciplinary Panel of Judges of the Common Courts of Georgia were not appealed before the Disciplinary Chamber of the Supreme Court of Georgia.

4 decisions, according to which Ethics Commission of Georgian Bar Association imposed the disciplinary sanctions on lawyers, were appealed before the Disciplinary Chamber of the Supreme Court of Georgia. The Disciplinary Chamber of the Supreme Court of Georgia upheld the decisions delivered by the Ethics Commission of Georgian Bar Association and dismissed 1 application; 2 applications were struck out of list; 1 application is still pending.