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HIGH INSPECTOR OF JUSTICE

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PRESS RELEASE

The High Inspector of Justice Mr. Artur Metani: “I do have the will to face the law violations, which discredit the figure of judges and prosecutors.”

The High Inspector of Justice, Mr. Artur Metani presented the mission of the institution he leads, which is a new constitutional institution, completely independent, whose object of activity is to verify complaints, investigate disciplinary violations and initiate disciplinary proceedings against judges and prosecutors of all levels, members of the High Judicial Council, High Prosecutorial Council and the Prosecutorial General.

"Although the High Inspector of Justice is aware of the high volume and difficulties of the work, as well as the public's expectations for this institution, he is determined to face the violations of the law, which discredit the figure of judges and prosecutors and affect the justice and the performance of their duties in accordance with the law ", said Mr. Metani.

The High Inspector of Justice stated that as an independent institution, it shares the recent public concern on the decision-making and activity of other institutions, in regards to the release on parole, and this phenomenon will be the priority once the inspections commence. "The activity of the HIJ onwards, depending on the progress of filling the Office vacancies, will include the implementation of all constitutional and legal functions of this institution in general, underlined Mr. Metani,"

Six positions for non-magistrate inspectors as well as five positions for assistant inspectors have been announced today on our official website www.ild.al . The inspectors will be recruited from lawyers with over 15 years of work experience in the profession. The High Judicial Council and The High Prosecutorial Council are in the process of announcing six positions for magistrate inspectors as well.

The High Inspector of Justice, Mr. Artur Metani appealed to experienced lawyers as well as magistrates, who have the will and desire to contribute with their experience to the High Inspector of Justice Office functions, to apply for the positions announced today and other positions to be announced in the future.