

☐LAW no. 181 of December 29, 2014 approving Government Emergency Ordinance no. [48/2014](#) amending and supplementing Law no. [35/1997](#) on the organization and functioning of the Ombudsman's Office, and amending and supplementing certain normative acts

The Romanian Parliament adopts this law.

☐Sole article

Government Emergency Ordinance no. [48 of June 26, 2014](#) amending and supplementing Law no. [35/1997](#) on the organization and functioning of the Ombudsman's Office, and amending and supplementing certain normative acts, published in the Official Gazette of Romania, Part I, no. 485 of June 30, 2014, is hereby approved with the following amendments and supplements:

☐1. In Article I, section 12, after paragraph (3) of article 29⁵, a new paragraph is introduced, paragraph (4), as follows:

"(4) In addition to the Deputy Ombudsman, within the Scope on preventing torture in places of detention, in the central structure of the Scope, including the Bucharest zonal Centre, operate a total of 11 employees, of which: 4 employees specialized operating staff with legal training, 3 specialists – physicians, psychologists, social workers, sociologists and other professionals necessary for carrying out specific work, and 4 employees in the financial, payroll, human resources and administrative department."

☐2. In Article I, section 12, after paragraph (2) of Article 29⁶, a new paragraph is introduced, paragraph (3), as follows:

"(3) Within the 3 zonal centers of the territorial structure of the Scope on preventing torture in places of detention operate a total of 12 employees. Each zonal center comprises: an employee specialized operating staff with legal training, 2 specialists – physicians, psychologists, social workers, sociologists or other professions necessary for carrying out specific work, and an employee – administrative staff."

☐3. In Article II, paragraph (4) is amended to read as follows:

"(4) The number of staff financed by law is supplemented by 39 positions, of which: a Deputy Ombudsman, 23 employees within the Scope on preventing torture in places of detention, 13 employees for the constitutional contentious service, appeal on points of law, administrative and legal contentious, analysis of legislation, external relations and communication, and 2 employees specialized operating staff with legal training. The number of positions within the Ombudsman's Office is 133, excluding dignitaries and positions within the Ombudsman's cabinet."

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This law was adopted by the Romanian Parliament, in compliance with art. 75 and art. 76 para. (1) of the [Romanian Constitution](#), republished.

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