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Press release

The Public Commissioner was present today at the Appeal Chamber, while continued the review of the appeal filed against the Decision no. 47/2018, of the Independent Qualification Commission, for the subject of re-evaluation Mr.Astrit Faqolli, magistrate/judge, at the First Instance Court, Tiranë.

The Adjudication Panel at the end of the hearing decided:

- 1. Amending the Decision no.47/2018, of the Independent Qualification Commission.
- 2. Dismissal from office of the subject of re-evaluation, Mr. Astrit Faqolli, magistrate/judge, at the First Instance Court, Tiranë.
- 3. This decision is final with immediate effect.

Based to point 1, Article 16 of the Regulation "On the Activity of the Institution of Public Commissioners", the appeal is published on the official website of this institution: <u>http://ikp.al/</u>

The Institution of Public Commissioners has been established and operates under Article 179/b the Annex of the Constitution of the Republic of Albania and Law No. 84/2016, "On the Transitional Re-evaluation of Judges and Prosecutors in the Republic of Albania".

Public Commissioners represent the public interest during the process of re-evaluation of judges and prosecutors in the Republic of Albania.