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### **Press Release**

The Public Commissioner within the legal time limit filed an appeal at the Appeal Chamber by the Constitutional Court against Decision no. 607/2022, of the Independent Qualification Commission, for the assessee, Mr. Kledian Llaho, prosecutor at the Prosecution Office of the First Instance Court, Sarandë.

The Public Commissioner, also in the present case, based on his constitutional and legal competence finds that upon the review of the decision no. 607/2022, of the Independent Qualification Commission, and its accompanying acts, emerge such legal circumstances and facts that do not meet the criteria and standards of the code of ethics and the professional rules of conduct, which guarantee the protection and strengthening of the public's trust in the justice system, thus may constitute sufficient grounds for an overall evaluation of the proceedings , set forth in Article 4, point 2 of the law 84 /2016.

The Public Commissioner requests that the appeal grounds be reviewed by the Appeal Chamber and, at the end of the entire investigation of the case, to decide the amendment of decision no. 607/2022, of the Independent Qualification Commission, and the dismissal from office of the assessee, Mr. Kledian Llaho.

Pursuant to point 1, Article 16 of the regulation of the Institution of Public Commissioners, the appeal is published on the official website of this institution: <http://ikp.al/ankime>

The Institution of Public Commissioners has been established and operates under Article 179/b and 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”.

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