The Ombudsperson oversees and protects human rights and fundamental freedoms of persons from unlawful and irregular actions or inactions of the public authorities;

The Ombudsperson investigates complaints lodged by the citizens related to the allegations on violation of human rights and fundamental freedoms, foreseen by the Constitution, Laws and other legal acts as well as international standards.



## Office in Prishtinë

Str. "Migjeni", no.21, 10000 Prishtinë Tel: +383 (0) 38 223 782

Working hours with parties: Each working day, from 08:00 – 16:00

For complaints please phone at the following number 080015555 free-of-charge

Email: info.oik@oik-rks.org
Web: https://www.oik-rks.org/

#### **OMBUDSPERSON INSTITUTION REGIONAL OFFICES**

#### Office in Prizren

Address: Str. "Remzi Ademi", n. n.
Regional Pension Administration Building in
Prizren, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor
Tel: +383 (0)29 222 138

#### Office in Peië

Address: Str. "Queen Teuta"
No.59, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, No. 3, Municipal building
Tel: +383 (0)39 432 931

## Office in Gjilan

Address: Str. "Bulevardi i Pavarësisë" (former Court's building), n. n. Tel: +383 (0)280 320 843

### Office in Ferizaj

Address: Municipal building (ground floor) Tel: +383 (0)290 326 032

## Office in Gjakovë

Address: Str. "Ismail Qemali" (former Cadastral building) Tel +383 (0)390 327 698

#### Office in Mitrovicë

Address: Str."Afrim Zhitia", n.n. Kosovo Pension Administration Building, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Office No. 11 and 12 Tel: +383 (0)28 530 138

### Sub-office, Mitrovicë

Address: Str. "Sami Frashëri" n. n. Bosnian Neighborhood, AOK building in the North of Mitrovica, Tel: 00381649560050 // + 383 (0) 45 455 319

## Office in Graçanicë

Address: Str. "Car Lazar", n. n. Mobil: +383 (0) 44 367 719 Mobil: +383 (0) 44 322 979



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**OMBUDSPERSON INSTITUTION** 

OMBUDSPERSON ON PROTECTION OF CHILDREN'S RIGHTS

## **CHILDREN**

According to the Convention of the Rights of a Child you have the right to life, health, education, participation, freedom of speech as well as protection from all forms of discrimination and ill-treatment.

You also have the right that your best interest is taken in regard from public authorities, when they take decisions concerning you.

You have the right to express your thoughts and be heard from adults when they take decisions concerning you.

You have the right to be protected from hard work which is hazardous and damages your health and your education.

# DEPARTMENT FOR PROTECTION OF CHILDREN'S RIGHTS

Department for Protection of Children's Rights (DPCHR), within the Ombudsperson Institution (OI), protects, monitors as well as promotes children's rights.

DPCHR is firm to cautiously investigate complaints submitted by children or their representatives regarding violations of children's rights from public authorities in Kosovo.

## **HOW TO COMPLAIN?**

Complaints can be lodged in the Main Office as well as in Regional Offices:

- By showing in person at one of OI offices;
- By filling the complainant form;
- Via urgent OI telephone line (free of charge);
- Viapost;
- Via electronic post (e-mail);
- Through "Know your rights "Platform at htpp://www.knowyourrightsks.org

## IN WHICH LANGUAGE THE COMPLAINT CAN BE LODGED?

Official languages of the Ombudsperson Institution are:

- Albanian Language
- Serbian Language
- The complainant may also file a complaint in Turkish, English, Roma or any other language and the Institution shall strive to provide services in applicant's language.