



MAIN INDICATORS OF THE MINORITY OMBUDSMAN'S ACTIVITY IN 2022

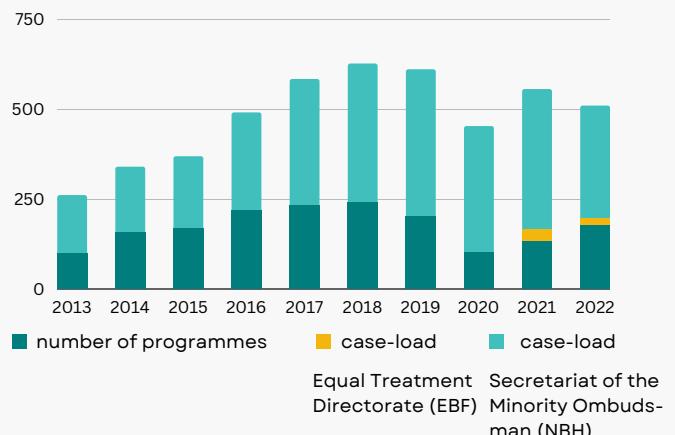
Key statistical data

- complaints and ex officio proceedings (NBH) **315**
- minority cases (EBF) **17**
- letters **1852**
- opinions on draft legislation **28**
- professional meetings **178**

Key legal documents

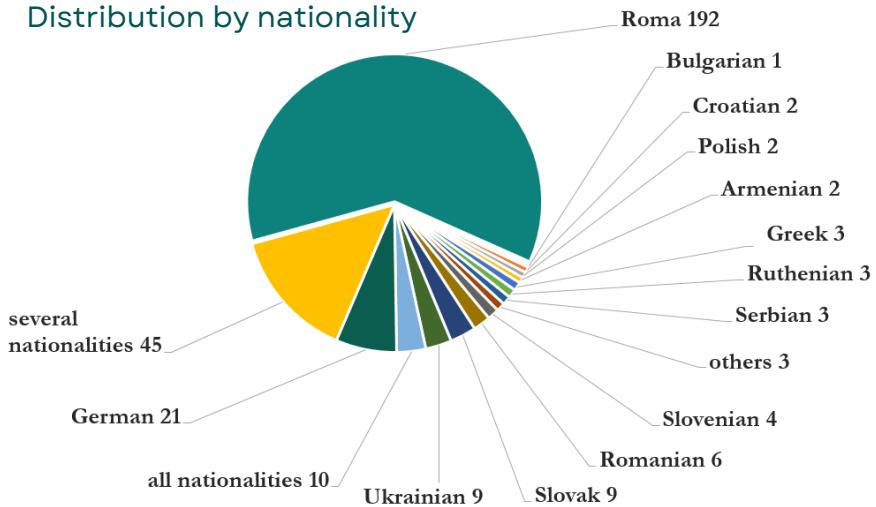
- 2** general comments
- 6** joint reports
- 8** closing letters containing proposals on the application of the law

Cases related to nationalities

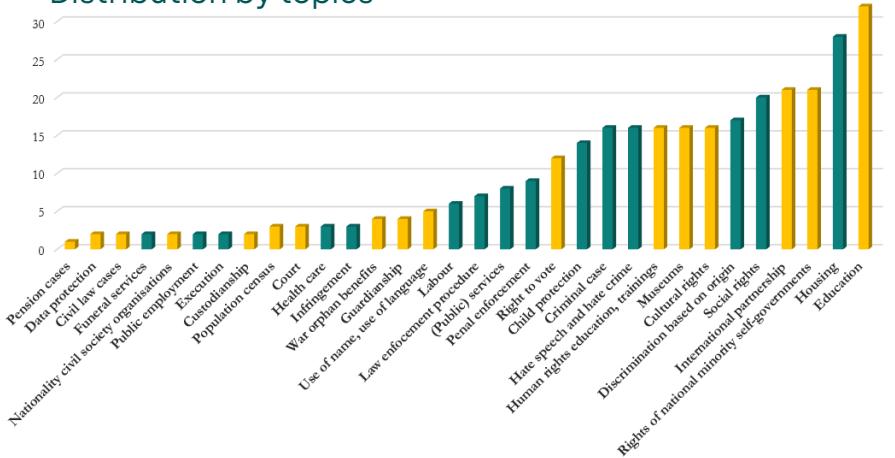


Elisabeth Sándor-Szalay has acted in a total of 3,023 complaints since the beginning of her public law mandate in 2013. The annual number of cases increased nearly two and a half times during this period. However, from 2020, due to unexpected external circumstances, such as the coronavirus pandemic and the war in Ukraine, the number of complaints decreased. To reverse this trend and directly address some structural problems, the Minority Ombudsman has initiated more **ex-officio inquiries**, intensified **professional contacts** with partners and **sought to reach out to communities more often in person**.

Distribution by nationality



Distribution by topics

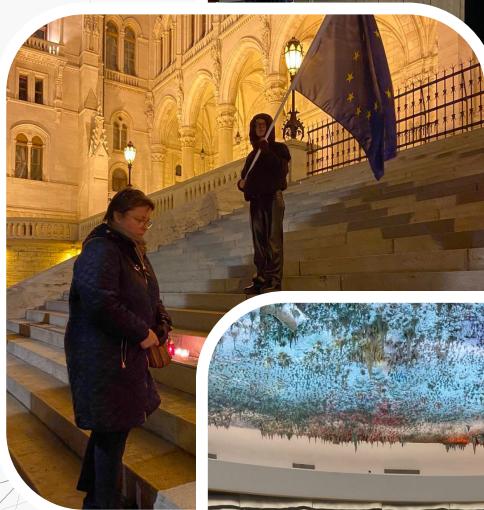
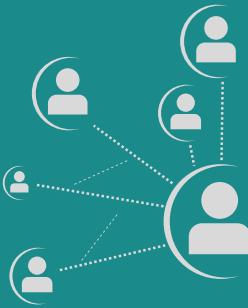


Main topics of the **professional documents** issued in 2022:

- exercising the rights of nationality self-governments
- public education agreements
- using individual and community names
- child protection and welfare administration
- criminal procedure and penal enforcement

Professional meetings

- personal discussions
- on-site investigations
- professional round trips
- meetings of ONÖSZ and the Parliament's Committee of the Nationalities
- conferences and roundtable discussions
- international meetings
- presentations, trainings
- social awareness-forming
- cultural events
- commemorations



Joint conferences:



WHAT SHOULD I CALL YOU? - CURRENT ISSUES IN THE USE OF INDIVIDUAL NATIONALITY NAMES

Professional partner: Eötvös Lóránd Research Network Linguistic Research Centre (20 October)

CURRENT CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES IN TACKLING HATE CRIME - THROUGH CRIMINAL LAW AND BEYOND

Professional partner: Res Iudicata - Judges for Social Awareness (8 December)



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