

HATE MONITOR

JANUARY 2014

Hate-motivated incidents are often violent manifestations of intolerance which instil fear and divide communities. Tackling underlying prejudice is essential in combating the spread of these divisive actions. The OSCE Mission to BiH supports the work of government institutions, the criminal justice system, local authorities and civil society to effectively respond to these incidents. The Hate Monitor provides a monthly update on incidents and responses throughout BiH.

HATE INCIDENTS

HATE-MOTIVATED
INCIDENTS
THIS MONTH

14

TYPES OF INCIDENTS



RESPONSES

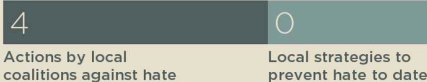
RESPONSES
TO HATE INCIDENTS
THIS MONTH

7

TYPES OF RESPONSES



PREVENTION



VICTIM CHARACTERISTICS:



HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS SINCE JANUARY 2014: 14



SINCE JANUARY 2014:



HATE CRIME CASES

Trials Ongoing	10
Convictions in 2014	1
Acquittals in 2014	1

INCIDENTS / RESPONSES THIS MONTH

Banja Luka 1/1	Bratunac 2/0
Doboj 1/1	Mostar 1/0
Mrkonjić Grad 2/2	Sanski Most 1/0
Srebrenica 1/1	Stolac 1/0
Travnik 1/0	Tuzla 2/2
Zenica 1/0	



Highlighted

On 29 January, the Novo Sarajevo Coalition against Hate 'Zanemari razlike' demonstrated the capacity of local coalitions against hate to act as early warning actors by publicly condemning the spreading of hatred via social media groups which called for violence against participants of the 'Merlinka' Queer film festival.

The Hate Monitor provides an update on all hate-motivated incidents and responses known to the OSCE Mission to BiH at the time of publishing the report each month.