



Swedish Helsinki Committee

for Human Rights

*The **Helsinki Committee for Human Rights of the Republic of Moldova** announces the beginning of the project*

**„Training for Police Officers in the Field of Human Rights“**

This given project was elaborated by the Helsinki Committee for Human Rights of the Republic of Moldova in collaboration with the Swedish Helsinki Committee and Czech Police College. Within the project there will be organized more training seminars for the policemen from all country's districts. The objective of the project is the support of the Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Moldova in educating and training police workers in the field of Human Rights, for their acknowledging the necessity for the respect of human rights during their professional activity.

The first stage supposes the selection of 100 policemen from all the territory of the republic by means of a form based on the following criteria: the applicants must be officers, aged below 35 years, preferably graduates of institutions of higher education, have authority in the collective and minimal knowledge of some foreign languages. The applicants selected will participate at regional seminars. The participants will benefit from instructive-interactive sessions in the field of human rights.

The most active applicants will be selected to take part at the second stage of the project, which will take place in Chisinau. The objective of this seminar is the role and instruction of trainers; the development of the educational technique and human rights monitoring.

At the third stage the participants will continue the training in Prague, the Czech Republic. This seminar will last two weeks, from which: the first week will consist of theoretical courses (continuation of the training) at the Police Academy from Prague and the second week will be dedicated to the exchange of experience with the police workers from the Czech Republic (the participants will have the chance to work with Czech police workers and to observe their everyday work).

At their returnal from the Czech Republic, the participants at the project, with the Helsinki Committee's assistance and support, will organize training courses in the field of human rights for the next generation of policemen with the purpose to transmit the learned

techniques and accumulated knowledge and studies. In the future, the officers thus instructed are supposed to hold the role of a connecting link between the police and civil society. They are supposed to be the persons who will be involved in examining draft laws in respect with human rights and in analyzing different violations of human rights by police officers.

Those police workers who are interested to participate at this project are encouraged to fill in the participating blanks and to send them at the following address:

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