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- Constitutional Court – **Sabina Mirzayeva**, Head of International Law and International (*online*)
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- Constitutional Court – **Jan Theunis**, Référendaire
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- Court of Bosnia and Herzegovina – **Emira Hodžić**, Registrar (*online*)
- Supreme Court of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina – **Fatima Mrdović**, Judge
- Constitutional Court – **Erda Začiragić**, Head of the Office of the President

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- Constitutional Court – **Stilijana Stoyanova**, Legal expert

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- Constitutional Court – **Mirjana Stresec**, Senior Legal Adviser

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- Supreme Court – **Maria Michaelidou-Kyriacou**, Senior Legal Officer (*online*)

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- Constitutional Court – **Lubomir Majerčík**, Head of the Analytics Department
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- Supreme Court – **Jens Kruse Mikkelsen**, Justice

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- Supreme Court – **Risto Uustal**, Legal Adviser

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