

MISCONDUCT IN OFFICE

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Summary: With the necessity to regulate corruption offences deal many international documents ratified by the Republic of Serbia which, therefore, has accepted the obligation to harmonize its relevant legislation with international standards. This paper addresses the issue of misconduct in office as a criminal offence *de lege lata* and *de lege ferenda* with a special view to international sources. In that context, a great deal of attention is paid to the GRECO Third Round Evaluation Report on the Republic of Serbia incriminations (ETS 173 and 191). The paper also presents how the Criminal Code of the Republic of Montenegro addresses this issue, especially its changes concerning criminal offences against official duties introduced in 2010 and 2011 which differ significantly from those included in the criminal codes of other countries in the region.

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