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PRAVNI MONITORING MEDIJSKE SCENE U SRBIJI

LEGAL MONITORING OF SERBIAN MEDIA SCENE

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Ovo su Šesnaeste Monitoring Novosti ANEMa, u kojima vam predstavljamo:

1. Oktobarski Monitoring Izveštaj, šesnaesti po redu!

Prema nalazu monitoring tima, medijsku scenu Srbije u oktobru 2010. karakteriše nastavak ugrožavanja slobode izražavanja kroz drastične fizičke napade na novinare i ozbiljne pretnje zbog kojih raste broj medijskih profesionalaca koji su primorani da budu pod neposrednom policijskom zaštitom. Reakcija vlasti, umesto potrebne akcije, kada su u pitanju ovakvi slučajevi, nije dovoljna da spreči njihovo ponavljanje. Takođe, različitost sudske prakse u istim ili sličnim slučajevima samo doprinosi osećaju nesigurnosti kod novinara. Sve to zajedno uzrokuje pad kvaliteta medija i smanjenje istraživačkog novinarstva. S druge strane, neki mediji su prešli granice slobode izražavanja ili su je zloupotrebili, što je loše i za njih i za samu profesiju. Novih zakona nije bilo, Nacrt Medijske strategije se još uvek očekuje, a nadležni organi i dalje ne doprinose svojim aktivnostima poboljšanju položaja medija. Otuda je veoma važno kako će Medijska strategija strateški odrediti dalji razvoj medijskog sektora, ali i kako će rešiti postojeća problematična pitanja za medije, među koje spada i pitanje potpunog povlačenja države iz vlasništva u medijima, odnosno završetak procesa privatizacije. Totalno odsustvo bavljenja vlasti ovim procesom direktno ugrožava opstanak medija, pre svega zbog onemogućavanja normalnog funkcionisanja tržišta, ali za TV stanice sve veći problem predstavlja i neadekvatan odnos vlasti prema pripremama procesa digitalizacije i kašnjenje u njihovom sprovođenju.

Izveštaj sadrži relevantne informacije, analize i stručna mišljenja o svim bitnim dešavanjima u medijskom sektoru u ovom periodu. Stoga ga pažljivo pročitajte!

Šesnaesti Monitoring Izveštaj za Oktobar 2010. je objavljen na ANEMovom web sajtu, a možete mu pristupiti i [ovde](#).

2. Monitoring strane ANEMovog web sajta

Na naslovnoj strani ANEM web sajta www.anem.org.rs, u rubrici Aktivnosti ANEMa, nalazi se podrubrika [Monitoring medijske scene](#). Sa 16 **Monitoring Izveštaja, 3 **Monitoring Publikacije** i **ostalim informacijama** o monitoringu i pratećim aktivnostima, ove strane predstavljaju riznicu najvažnijih informacija o medijskoj sceni Srbije u poslednjih 18 meseci! Pridružite se onima koji redovno prate sve naše monitoring aktivnosti i novosti. **Pročitajte monitoring strane i pošaljite svoje komentare, pitanja ili sugestije!****

Unapređenje ANEMovog web sajta omogućili su USAID i IREX Srbija.

3. Pravni monitoring medijske scene i u novembru

Stručni tim advokatske kancelarije „Živković&Samardžić“, u saradnji sa ANEMom, i u novembru kontinuirano sprovodi pravni monitoring medijske scene u Srbiji. Prikupljaju se svi relevantni podaci za pravilnu i stručnu ocenu stanja u medijskom sektoru Srbije u tom periodu. Na osnovu rezultata ovog monitoringa, stručni tim će napraviti i svoj sedamnaesti

Monitoring Izveštaj koji će omogućiti lakše sagledavanje značajnijih događaja u medijskom sektoru u ovom periodu i njihovih posledica na položaj medija. Izveštaj će biti dostupan na web sajtu ANEMa u decembru.

4. U pripremi je i Četvrta Monitoring Publikacija!

I ova Monitoring Publikacija će biti nadgradnja pravnog monitoringa medijske scene u Srbiji. Njen sadržaj će, pored uvoda, činiti 2 kraća autorska teksta članova monitoring tima, 2 autorska teksta nezavisnih stručnjaka i poseban dodatak – tekst partnera, međunarodnih organizacija ili institucija, koji će doprineti kvalitetu Publikacije. Javnost će kroz ove tekstove dobiti dodatne informacije i ekspertska mišljenja koja će omogućiti bolje razumevanje pojedinih važnih medijskih pitanja, na čiji značaj za medije je ukazao prethodno sprovedeni šestomesečni monitoring. Ovo izdanje se očekuje u decembru, biće dvojezično i dostupno i u elektronskoj i u štampanoj formi.

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These are the Sixteenth ANEM Monitoring News, in which we present:

1. The Monitoring Report for October 2010, the sixteenth in order!

According to the findings of the monitoring team, the media scene in Serbia in October 2010 was characterized by a continuance of violation of freedom of expression, through the drastic physical attacks on journalists and serious threats, which have increased the number of media professionals needed to be put under direct police protection. Reactions of the authorities, instead of needed actions when it comes to such cases, are not sufficient to prevent their recurrence. Also, the inconsistency in court practice in the same or similar cases only contributes to creating the sense of insecurity among journalists. All of this caused a decline in the quality of the media and the decrease of investigative journalism. On the other hand, some media have crossed the limits of freedom of expression, or abused it, which is bad for them as well as for the profession. There have been no new legislations introduced in this period; the Draft Media Strategy is still pending, while the authorities have not yet contributed to the improvement of the media with their activities. Hence it is important how the Media Strategy will determine the course of further development of the media sector, but also how it will solve the current issues of concern to the media, which include the question of complete state withdrawal from media ownership, that is the completion of the privatization process. Total absence of government dealing with this process, directly threatens the survival of media, primarily due to the obstruction of the normal functioning of the market, but for TV stations another and an increasing problem is an inadequate attitude of authorities towards preparations for the process of digitalization and the delay in their implementation.

The Report contains relevant information, analysis and expert opinion on all important occurrences in the media sector in a given period. So read it carefully!

The *Sixteenth Monitoring Report* for October 2010 was published on ANEM website, and you can access it [here](#).

2. Monitoring pages on ANEM website

On ANEM website home page www.anem.org.rs/en under ANEM Activities there is a section **[Monitoring of the Media Scene](#)**. With 16 Monitoring Reports, 3 **Monitoring Publications** and **other information** on the monitoring and follow-up activities, these pages represent the treasury of the most important information on the media scene in Serbia over the past 18 months! Join those who regularly follow all of our monitoring activities and news. **Visit the monitoring pages and send us your comments, questions or suggestions!**

ANEM website development was supported by USAID and IREX Serbia.

3. Legal monitoring of the media scene also in November

The expert team of the law office “Zivkovic&Samardzic”, in cooperation with ANEM, is continuously conducting the monitoring of the legal media scene in Serbia in November as well. They are collecting all relevant information for proper and professional assessment of the situation in the Serbian media sector during this period. Based on the results of this monitoring, the expert team will make its seventeenth Monitoring Report, which will facilitate the overview of significant events in the media sector in this period and their consequences on the position of the media. The Report will be available on ANEM website in December.

4. The fourth Monitoring Publication is in preparation!

This Monitoring Publication will be yet another upgrade of the legal monitoring of the media scene in Serbia. In addition to the introduction, it will include 2 short texts of the monitoring team members, 2 texts of authors – independent experts and a special adding – texts of partners, international organizations or institutions that will contribute to the quality of the Publication. In these texts, the public will obtain further information and expert opinions that will enable a better understanding of some significant media issues, whose importance for the media has been pointed out in the previously conducted six months long monitoring. The fourth Publication is expected in December, and it will be bilingual and available in electronic and printed form.