OPCAT inspection in the Central Holding Facility of the Metropolitan Police Headquarters of Budapest and in the Holding Facility of the National Investigation Bureau of the National Police Headquarters

On 13 October 2015 at 10 pm and on 14 October 2015 at 3 am, the National Preventive Mechanism visited the holding facilities at Gyorskocsi utca and Aradi utca.



The purpose of the visits was to inspect the building of the holding facilities, the treatment of detainees and the circumstances of their detention. The members of the delegation made interviews with the commanders of the holding facilities, the members of their staff and some of the detainees, as well as the persons waiting for reception. They also checked the documents made on the reception.

Members of the delegation included:

- Krisztina Izsó, senior advisor, head of the inspection
- Gergely Fliegauf, Head of Department
- Sándor Gurbai, senior advisor
- Judit Zeller, senior advisor

The results and conclusions of the inspection will be published in a report by the Commissioner for Fundamental Rights.