

KYRGYZ Republic LAW about Ombudsmen Of The Kyrgyz Republic

The Ombudsmen Of The Kyrgyz Republic Chapter I General provisions Article

The Parliamentary Ombudsman (ombudsmen) control over the observance of the constitutional rights and freedoms of man and citizen Parliamentary supervision over observance of the constitutional rights and freedoms of individuals and citizens in Kyrgyz territory and within its jurisdiction at the ongoing Ombudsman (ombudsmen) of the Kyrgyz Republic (hereinafter referred to as the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), which is guided by the Constitution, this and other laws of the Kyrgyz Republic and international treaties in force in accordance with the law, to which the Kyrgyz Republic. (As amended by the KR law dated June 23, 2011 year N 55)

Article 2. The scope of application of this Act

The scope of application of this law are the relations arising in the implementation of human and civil rights and freedoms only between a citizen of the Kyrgyz Republic, irrespective of the place of stay, a foreigner or a person without citizenship, which are on the territory of the Kyrgyz Republic and the State authorities, local self-government bodies and their officials.

Article 3. The purpose of control of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) for the observance of the constitutional rights and freedoms of man and citizen

To control the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) are:

- 1) protection of human and civil rights and freedoms proclaimed in the Constitution and laws of the Kyrgyz Republic and the international treaties and agreements ratified by the Kyrgyz Republic;
- 2) observance of and respect for human and civil rights and freedoms actors referred to in article 2 of this law;
- 3) the prevention of violations of human and civil rights and freedoms or support their recovery;
- 4) contribute to the harmonization of the legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic on the rights and freedoms of individuals and citizens in line with the Constitution, international standards in this area;
- 5) improvement and further development of international cooperation in the field of protection of human and civil rights and freedoms;
- 6) prevention of any forms of discrimination on the implementation of human rights and freedoms;
- 7) promoting legal awareness and protection of confidential information about a private person.

Chapter II The order of election and dismissal of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) (The title of the chapter as amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year N 97)

Article 4. Requirements to the candidate for the post of Ombudsman (ombudsmen) and his election

1. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) may be a citizen of the Kyrgyz Republic, owns the State and official languages, not less than 30 and not older than 65 years.
2. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) cannot be elected as a person convicted of an offence, if the

criminal record has not been cancelled or withdrawn in accordance with the law.

3. The submission of candidatures for the post of Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in the Zhogorku Kenesh have President, Deputy associations, as well as political parties and public associations. For each of the candidates appear to be the conclusion of the relevant Committee.

4. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) was elected by secret ballot by the Jogorku Kenesh with the use of bulletins.

5. for each candidate for the Office of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) deputies voted separately.

6. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall be deemed elected if his candidacy garnered the majority of votes from total number of deputies of the Zhogorku Kenesh.

7. If by the results of the vote are elected two or more candidates with the same number of votes, the vote on these nominees is a single list and Favorites is the one who obtains a simple majority of the votes. Voting continues until the election of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen).

8. If a sufficient number of votes for the election has not received any of the candidates, not before 7 and no later than 14 days from the time the voting there shall be another election.

9. in one cycle of elections to submit the same candidate can be only twice.

10. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) is elected thirty days before the expiration of the term of Office of his predecessor.

11. in the event of early termination of powers of the reasons mentioned in article 7 of this law, the election of the new Ombudsman (ombudsmen) should be held in a month's time.

12. after the expiry of the term of Office of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) remains in his post until taking office of his successor.

13. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) is elected for a term of 5 years.

14. one and the same person cannot hold the Office of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) for more than two consecutive terms.

15. the Ombudsman (akyikatchy) has no more than two deputies, elected for a term of 5 years. Deputies elects and dismisses the Jogorku Kenesh of the Kyrgyz Republic on recommendation of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen). The Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall be elected with due regard of gender representation, established by the legislation. (As amended by the KR laws dated July 6, 2007 97, July 18, 2008 year N year N year N February 24, 2009, 155 62, March 3, 2010 41, June 23, 2011 year N year N 55)

Article 5. The Oath

1. on assuming office, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen) at the session of the Jogorku Kenesh shall take an oath as follows: "I (name), joining the Office of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen), I solemnly swear that I will honestly and faithfully to discharge my duties, not to commit any action would undermine the credibility of the institution of the Ombudsman, to respect the Constitution and laws of the Kyrgyz Republic and guided by Justice and his own conscience. I undertake to act independently, responsibly and impartially, in the interest of human and civil rights and freedoms \".

2. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), his deputies are considered to be effective in the post since the oath. (As amended by the KR laws dated July 6, 2007 year N 97, March 3, 2010 N 41)

Article 6. The legal status of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen)

1. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) independent of any State organs or officials. Interference in its activities, the effect on him in any form is prohibited and entails responsibility according to the legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic.

2. the imposition of a State of emergency or martial law throughout the territory of the Kyrgyz Republic does not terminate, limit or suspend the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen).
3. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) during their term and after may not be prosecuted and be liable to criminal and administrative liability for his remarks, actions or omissions, committed by him during the period of his\her term.
4. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall enjoy immunity during the whole term of his Office, and without the consent of the Parliament may not be subject to the criminal and administrative liability imposed in court, arrested, detained, searched, except in cases of flagrante delicto, and subjected to a search or personal search, except such as is in accordance with the legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic to ensure the safety of other persons. Integrity of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) extends to its residential and business premises, baggage, personal and business vehicles, correspondence, communications, and documents belonging to him. The Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen) cannot be held criminally or administratively liable, affixed in court without the consent of the Parliament.
5. in the case of detention of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) at the scene of the officer making the arrest shall immediately notify the Office of the Prosecutor General. The Attorney shall notify the Jogorku Kenesh, which should make the decision about consent for further use of the procedural measures. In case of the absence of the consent of the Jogorku Kenesh 12:0 am on the detention of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) should be released immediately.
6. upon receipt of the consent of the Zhogorku Kenesh of the criminal case against Ombudsman (ombudsmen) can be initiated only by the Prosecutor General.
7. If there is a threat to the life or health of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), he and his family are provided with protection and security.
8. The status of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) is not compatible with the mandate of the Deputy of the Jogorku Kenesh, or Parliament of the local Kenesh. Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall not engage in other payable activity except scientific, pedagogical and creative activity. This paragraph applies to the deputies of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen).
9. iIn all cases, the incompatibility of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) should be required to cease the activity that is incompatible with his status, before it took the oath. In the case of non-compliance with the requirement, it may be removed from Office and Parliament elects a new Ombudsman (ombudsmen).
10. (deleted in accordance with the law of the KR dated June 11, 2008 year N 114)
11. in case of premature termination of the authority and release from Office at the end of the term of Office of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) and previous work, and in its absence- another equivalent work (position) on the previous place of work, or with his consent in another enterprise, institution, organization, State authority or local government authority.
12. during the period of the duration of his\her term, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) and his deputies are exempt from conscription and military training. (As amended by the KR laws dated July 6, 2007 97, June 11, 2008 year N year N 114)

Article 7.

The early termination of the powers of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the deputies of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen)

Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the Vice-Chairmen shall be terminated prematurely in the case:

- 1) refraining from further duty by submitting a written statement of termination of their powers;
- 2) the entry into force of a conviction in respect of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the deputies of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen);
- 3) entry into force of the court verdict on the recognition of the person holding the position of

Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen), missing or dead;
4) the death of a person holding the position of Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen);
5) violations of the oath;
6) joining or neostavleniâ to the oath, is incompatible with the terms of reference of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen);
7) in the case of disapproval of the Ombudsman's report (ombudsmen), the Zhogorku Kenesh;
8) the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen) citizenship of the Kyrgyz Republic;
9) recognition of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the Deputy Ombudsman (ombudsmen) incompetent. The provision of paragraph 7 of the first paragraph of this article shall not apply to deputies of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), elected in less than 12 months prior to the hearing of the Ombudsman's annual report (ombudsmen) of the Kyrgyz Republic. Determine whether there are grounds for the removal from Office of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), his deputy should give the Special Commission of the Jogorku Kenesh. The conclusion should vote not less than two thirds of the members of the Commission. (Part three lost effect according to the KR law dated March 3, 2010 N 41) (Part four lost effect according to the KR law dated March 3, 2010 N 41) (As amended by the KR laws dated July 6, 2007 97, June 11, 2008 year N year N year N March 3, 2010, 114 41) Chapter III Ombudsman (Ombudsmen)

Article 8. Rights Ombudsman (Ombudsmen) Ombudsman (ombudsmen) has the right:

1) on an admission by the President, the speaker of the Kyrgyz Parliament, the Prime Minister and members of Government, the Presidents of the Supreme Court, the Constitutional Chamber of the Supreme Court, the Attorney General, by officers of the armed forces, the places of detention of citizens, leaders of other State bodies, local authorities, associations of citizens, enterprises, institutions and organizations irrespective of form of ownership, their officials;
2) attend the meetings of the Jogorku Kenesh, Government meetings, the Supreme Court, the Constitutional Chamber of the Supreme Court, the Board of the General Prosecutor's Office and other collegial bodies;
3) appeal to the Constitutional Chamber of the Supreme Court with a proposal to declare unconstitutional laws and other normative legal acts of the Kyrgyz Republic concerning human and civil rights and freedoms;
4) appeal to Parliament to have the official interpretation of the laws of the Kyrgyz Republic;
5) free access to State authorities, local governments, enterprises, institutions and organizations irrespective of form of ownership, as well as military units;
6) to request and receive from government bodies, local self-government bodies, enterprises, organizations and institutions, public associations and political parties the information, reports and documents on the issues to be clarified in the course of the examination of the application or complaint, copies of court decisions that have entered into legal force;
7) access to information relating to the service, commercial and State secrets, in the manner prescribed by the legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic;
8) require officials of State bodies, local self-government bodies, enterprises, institutions and organizations irrespective of their form of ownership, to facilitate checks on the controlled and subordinated enterprises, institutions, organizations, professionals to participate in audits, assessments and make appropriate conclusions;
9) invite officials, civil servants, citizens of the Kyrgyz Republic, foreign citizens and stateless persons to obtain oral and written explanations concerning the circumstances which are checked during the consideration of the application or complaint;

- 10) attend at any time place of detention, pre-trial detention, serving sentences of convicts and involuntary treatment and re-education institutions, psychiatric hospitals, to talk face to face with them, receive information about their conditions of detention and checking the documentation certifying the legality of their stay in these institutions;
- 11) attend the meetings of the courts at all levels, including at the closed court sessions, subject to the consent of the person in respect of whom proceedings declared closed;
- 12) apply to the Court for a Declaration on the protection of the rights and freedoms of man and citizen, who for health reasons or for any other valid reason cannot do it alone, and also personally or through his representative to participate in the proceedings in the cases and pursuant to the procedure provided by law;
- 13) read in court with criminal, civil cases and cases of administrative offences, the decision (judgments) which have entered into legal force, as well as the terminated production of cases and materials on which refused to open criminal cases, and then clearing them up;
- 14) in the event of violations of human rights and freedoms to the relevant bodies the Ombudsman's response acts (ombudsmen) for their actions;
- 15) check the status of compliance with human and civil rights and freedoms by the relevant State bodies, including carrying out investigative activities;
- 16) monitor any authority in relation to matters on which rendered a final decision. For the performance of their duties the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) has access to the objects used by the armed forces of the State guard service;
- 17) to listen to the official responsible for the incident being investigated the case, as well as any employee of the body in charge of production, and may require an investigation subject's body or the head of the head of its supervisory authority, or a body that is otherwise authorized to hold such an inquiry into the force of law;
- 18) entrust the competent State authorities and scientific institutions conducting expert and analytical studies;
- 19) refer to the heads of the public prosecutor's Office and the competent public authorities with proposals to improve the forms and methods of collaboration in the implementation of the supervision and monitoring of compliance with human and civil rights and freedoms;
- 20) apply to the Supreme Court with proposals about studying and summarizing the jurisprudence and criminal courts of clarification on the application of the legislation and of the universally recognized principles and norms of international law, the rights and freedoms of individuals and citizens;
- 21) refer to the Zhogorku Kenesh with proposals on the establishment of a Parliamentary Commission of inquiry revealed the massive and flagrant violations of human rights and freedoms or to hold parliamentary hearings, to participate in the work of the Commission or of the hearing;
- 22) to the President, Government proposals for the formulation of national programmes and conducting integrated and coordinated activities for the protection of the rights and freedoms of man and citizen, to participate in their implementation;
- 23) to State bodies and bodies of local self-government proposals for improving administrative procedures. (As amended by the KR laws dated July 6, 2007 year N 97, February 25, 2009 N 69, March 3, 2010 41, June 23, 2011 year N year N 55)

Article 8-1. Rights Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in contributing to the improvement of legislation

In order to contribute to the improvement of the legislation on the rights of the individual and citizen, the Ombudsman of the Kyrgyz Republic (ombudsmen) shall have the right to:

- 1) receive plans of legislative activities the Zhogorku Kenesh and the Government and to the Parliament draft laws;

- 2) to participate in the working groups for the preparation of draft laws;
- 3) give advice to the relevant bodies draft legislation;
- 4) make suggestions to the right of the legislative initiative to amend or supplement the existing legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- 5) to make proposals for the conclusion, denunciation or suspension of treaties. (As amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year N 97)

Article 8-2 Acts of reaction of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen)

Acts of reaction of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) are:

- 1) presentation of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) to bodies of State power, bodies of local self-government and their officials to adopt measures within one month to rectify identified violations of human and civil rights and freedoms;
- 2) representation of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in State and local self-government bodies, enterprises, institutions and organizations irrespective of their form of ownership, to initiate disciplinary or administrative proceedings against officials and employees for violating the rights and freedoms of man and citizen. (As amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year N 97)

Article 8-3. The activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) to facilitate the development of international cooperation

The activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) to promote the development of international cooperation in the field of human rights and freedoms is part of the foreign policy of the State to protect its citizens abroad and strengthen ties with compatriots living abroad. In order to promote international cooperation in the field of human and civil rights and freedoms, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall have the right to:

- 1) establish direct relationships with international organizations and international bodies for the protection of human rights, national human rights institutions of foreign States and to conclude with agreements on mutual assistance in defence of human rights;
- 2) to represent the State as an expert in international relations in the field of human rights;
- 3) participate in the preparation and review of the national reports submitted to inter-State bodies for the protection of human rights;
- 4) be foreign (International) Observer for the observance of human rights and freedoms; invite, in accordance with the law, foreign (International) observers;
- 5) in the manner prescribed by law for obtaining from the international organizations of technical, financial and other assistance for the implementation of plans and projects in the field of protection of human and civil rights and freedoms. (As amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year N 97)

Article 9. The Duties Of The Ombudsman (Ombudsmen)

1. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) must observe the Constitution, the Kyrgyz Republic and other laws, other regulatory legal acts, the rights and legally protected interests of individuals and citizens, to fulfil their functions and to take full advantage of the law.
2. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall keep confidential information. This obligation continues after the termination of his mandate. In the case of disclosure of such information, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall bear responsibility in the manner prescribed by the legislation. Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall not have the right to disclose the information concerning the private life of the applicant and the other persons without their consent to the applicant.
3. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) when you have finished checking the complaint is obliged to inform the complainant of the results. (As amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year

Article 10. Procedure for dealing with allegations and complaints

the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) examines applications and complaints of citizens of the Kyrgyz Republic, located in the Kyrgyz Republic, foreign citizens and stateless persons, or their representatives, non-governmental organizations relating to decisions or actions (inaction) of State bodies and local self-government bodies, governmental and non-governmental organizations, institutions, enterprises, officials, civil servants, violate human and civil rights and freedoms established by the legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic and the international treaties and agreements to which the Kyrgyz Republic. There cannot be an obstacle the nationality, race, nationality, religious or political beliefs, place of residence, gender, minority, the subject's incompetence, internment, or isolation, as well as any special relationship of subordination or dependency of the administration or a public authority. Ombudsman (ombudsmen) also operates on the basis of the information about the violation of human and civil rights and freedoms, which gets from referrals of deputies of Zhogorku Kenesh or on its own initiative.

2. the statements and complaints to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) addresses only if the complainant contests the decision entered into legal force of the parent body, administrative agency or court, and when the statements or complaints relating to violations of human rights and freedoms in question.
3. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall have the right not to consider the application or complaint on which they had earlier agreed to, if not, there are new circumstances.
4. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall not consider the circumstances of the case on the complaints, which are already the subject of judicial proceedings, and stops its action, if, after the start of the person concerned will send a complaint or an appeal to the Court of Justice or the Constitutional Chamber of the Supreme Court. In any case, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) takes care of the body considered within a certain period of time and in some form to the complaints and appeals.
5. public authorities cannot make complaints to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) on matters within their competence.
6. The Ombudsman (ombudsmen) application or complaint does not preclude consideration of similar applications or complaints to the international organization.
7. applications, complaints and letters sent to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) of persons in places of detention, pre-trial detention and other restrictions on freedom are confidential, their autopsy and censorship is prohibited; they should be transferred to Ombudsperson (ombudsmen).
8. Talk of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) or his representatives to persons referred to in the preceding paragraphs, not eavesdrop or introduce them clutter.
9. applications are served to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in writing within one year from the date of identifying violations of human and civil rights and freedoms. Under exceptional circumstances, this period may be extended by the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), but not more than two years.
10. Statement or complaint should be signed by the interested person and contain the full name and address of the applicant, a statement of the substance of the decisions or actions (inaction) of violating or infringing, according to the complainant, his rights and freedoms, and be accompanied by copies of the decisions taken on his complaint, if any.
11. statement and State fee shall not be subject to appeal.
12. the services provided by the person concerned by the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), are provided free of charge.

13. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) registers made complaints and issues a receipt of such complaints, which he then accepts or rejects. In the latter case, he does it in a reasoned letter, informing the interested party about the best opportunities of conducting business, if, in its opinion, such are not letting the person concerned to take those actions that he deems best.
14. Submitted to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the complaint may be withdrawn by the applicant or his representative.
15. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall not consider anonymous complaints and may reject those that notes the existence of bad faith, no one claims, as well as other complaints, which would harm the legal rights of a third party. Its decisions cannot be appealed.
16. upon receipt of the application or complaint, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall decide on the beginning of the test.
17. the decision the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the State body, Enterprise, institution, organization, official or public servant, decisions or actions (inaction) of whom appealed to for up to thirty days, they sent a written explanation on the issues to be clarified.
18. refusal or omission on the part of the public servant or his managers associated with the submission of the requested report, may be considered by the Ombudsman action (ombudsmen), against its obligations. The fact that he immediately make public and reported in the annual or special report.
19. refusal to consider to be motivated. (As amended by the KR laws dated July 6, 2007 year N 97, June 23, 2011 year N 55)

Article 11. The Reports Of The Ombudsman (Ombudsmen)

1. before 1 April of each year, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) represents the Jogorku Kenesh of the annual report for the period from 1 January to 31 December of the previous year on the observance of human and civil rights and freedoms in the Kyrgyz Republic State authorities, local self-government bodies, associations of citizens, enterprises, institutions and organizations irrespective of their form of ownership, and their officials who have violated by his actions (inaction) of human and civil rights and freedoms and on the shortcomings in the legislation on the protection of the rights and freedoms of man and citizen.
2. in his annual report, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) specifies the number and nature of complaints, including complaints that were rejected (with reasons to reject them) and complaints which are subject to review.
3. the annual report of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) should be called State authorities, local self-government bodies, enterprises, institutions, organizations and their officials who violated human rights and freedoms, not only followed the recommendations of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) on measures to restore those rights.
4. annual report of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall contain a general assessment, conclusions and recommendations for ensuring human rights and freedoms in the country.
5. report of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) provided with an annex containing the budget report institutions during the reporting period.
6. the oral presentation of the report by the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) at a meeting of the Parliament, and Deputy associations can act to determine its relationship to it.
7. If necessary, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) may submit a special report to the Jogorku Kenesh (reports) on individual compliance matters in the Kyrgyz Republic human and civil rights and freedoms.
8. annual and special reports of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) Parliament adopted the decision by a majority of votes from total number of Deputies.
9. annual and special reports of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) must be published in the Gazette of the Zhogorku Kenesh (Parliament) and other official media.
10. annual report of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall be published in the print media in

the manner prescribed by law.

11. special report is published in the print media by the Ombudsman (ombudsmen). (As amended by the KR laws dated July 6, 2007 97, June 11, 2008 year N year N 114)

Article 11-1. The transparency of the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen)

1. the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) to monitor observance of the rights and freedoms of man and citizen is public and media coverage, except for confidential information.

2. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall have the right to publish in periodicals, information on compliance with human and civil rights and freedoms, methods and forms of protection, have their own print and other publications on human rights.

3. guarantees on coverage of the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in mass media shall be provided by law. (As amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year N 97)

Article 11-2. The official periodical of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen)

To disseminate knowledge about human rights, forms and methods of their protection, as well as the monitoring of compliance with human and civil rights and freedoms, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall establish the official periodical publication. (As amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year N 97)

Article 11-3. Awards, prizes and memorable signs the Ombudsman (ombudsmen)

In order to promote activities aimed at the promotion and protection of human rights and freedoms, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall establish awards, prizes and memorable characters. (As amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year N 97) Chapter IV The responsibility of public authorities and their employees

Article 12. Duty of cooperation on the part of organizations

1. all public authorities are obliged to urgently and as a matter of priority, provide assistance to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in its investigations and inspections.

2. The stages of checking complaints and investigations on the actions taken by the ex officio member, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), his deputies or otkomandirovannoe person may appear in person at any public body, agency or Office and get acquainted with all the necessary information, to interview him with the persons concerned, as well as all the necessary documents.

3. public authorities may not refuse to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in access to a document of an administrative nature, if it is relevant to the activity or service that is the subject of the investigation.

4. If the complaint concerns the conduct of employees of State authorities in connection with their actions, Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall notify by concerned persons and their immediate supervisor or higher organization.

5. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) can verify the authenticity of documents submitted and offer the employee a government authority involved to talk to more information. From employees of a public authority, have refused to talk, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) may require in writing of its decision together with the reasons for refusal.

6. information received from an employee of a State as a result of his personal testimony that the investigation may lead to negative consequences in respect of it are confidential, that is not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act on criminal proceedings relating to the identification of facts, which are signs of the crime. (As amended by the KR law dated July 6, 2007 year N 97)

Article 13.

The responsibility of public authorities and their employees 1. obstruction of the work of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) or investigation by any authority and its employees may be subject of a special report, as well as a mention in the relevant chapter of the annual report. 2. in the event of obstruction on the part of the worker's body to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) investigation, as well as its denial or abusive relationship to the reporting required by the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), the acts and administrative documentation necessary for the investigation, the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) sends a statement to the Prosecutor General's Office in order to take adequate measures. Chapter V Organization of the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen)

Article 14. Office Of The Ombudsman (Ombudsmen)

1. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) approves the rules, which defines the Organization and method of work.
2. to ensure the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) is a working Office of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen). Structure, staffing, procedures and organization of the work of the Office of the Ombudsman are determined (ombudsmen).
3. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) and his staff are a public body with the right of a legal person that has a current and other accounts, printing and forms with its name and with the image of the State emblem of the Kyrgyz Republic.
4. rights, obligations and responsibilities of the staff of the Ombudsman's Office (ombudsmen), as well as the conditions of service shall be governed by the law of the Kyrgyz Republic's law \"on public service and labour legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic.
5. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) is provided by legal acts adopted by the Zhogorku Kenesh, and information and reference materials, formally disseminated by the Office of the President, the Government, the Constitutional Chamber of the Supreme Court, Supreme Court, General Prosecutor's Office, other State authorities and bodies of local self-government. (As amended by the KR laws dated July 6, 2007 year N 97, June 23, 2011 year N 55)

Article 15. Salaries The person occupying the position of Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall be paid remuneration and expenses at the same rate as the speaker of the Kyrgyz Parliament.

Article 16. Financing of the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen)

1. Financing of the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) and its staff shall be financed from the Republican budget.
2. the national budget each year is a separate line item the resources needed to ensure the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) and his Staff. Those funds defines the Zhogorku Kenesh upon presentation of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen).
3. the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) independently develops and executes the cost estimates.
4. Financing of the activities of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) and his Staff can also be made from funds received from other States and international organizations on the basis of contracts (agreements) concluded between the Kyrgyz Republic and by the Ombudsman (ombudsmen), as well as from other sources do not contradict to the legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic.
5. financial statements to the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in the manner prescribed by the legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic.

Article 17. On the entry into force of this Act

1. this law shall enter into force on the date of its publication. Published in Erkin Too \ "from August 2, 2002 N 58
2. electing the first Ombudsman (ombudsmen) shall be assigned to the Zhogorku Kenesh in accordance with article 4 of this Act, not later than one month before the expiry of the year in which this Act comes into force. See: the AP'S decision of the Jogorku Kenesh dated November 14, 2002, w N 921-II \ "on the date of election of the Ombudsman (ombudsmen) of the Kyrgyz Republic\ "
3. to the Government within three months after the adoption of this law to Jogorku Kenesh: proposals to bring the existing legislation into line with the present law; solve technical and organizational issues related to the introduction of the institution of Ombudsman (ombudsmen) in the Kyrgyz Republic.

The President Of The Kyrgyz Republic A. Akaev

Adopted by the Legislative Assembly of the Zhogorku Kenesh, June 25, 2002