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### Donetsk and Lugansk courts to be moved



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# President signed several Decrees aimed at relocating courts from Lugansk and Donetsk regions

On 12 November the President of Ukraine signed several Decrees\* introducing the following changes to the judicial system of Ukraine:

- Donetsk and Lugansk District Administrative courts will be moved to Slovyansk and Severodonetsk accordingly;
- Donetsk Administrative Appeal Court will be relocated to Kramatorsk, while Appeal Court of Lugansk Region will be moved to Severodonetsk;
- Commercial Courts of Donetsk and Lugansk regions as well as Donetsk Appeal Commercial Court will be moved to Kharkiv.

The mentioned President's Decrees will become effective on the date of their official publication (it is expected on 25 November 2014).

We will keep you updated on further developments in respect of this issue.

\*the President's Decrees No.866/2014, No.867/2014 and No.868/2014 dated 12 November 2014

