**EXERCISE: TG 2** 

Module: Knowledge of Legal Systems

Specialised Language Competencies

Type of Exercise: Vocabulary

Topic: Legal institutions

Learning Outcome(s): On completion of this exercise, trainees will have acquired

knowledge of:

• legal institutions and of differences between institutions

belonging to two legal systems

• how to translate the names of various legal institutions.

Language (Combination): English/Romanian

Time: 15 minutes

Suitable for: Intermediate

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Notes: Due to the differences between two systems, there may be formal

similarities in the designation, yet two institutions may have different attributions and jurisdiction and it is always a good idea to double-check the equivalence. For instance, the equivalent of the European institution Court of First Instance is *Tribunalul de Prima* 

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## **EXERCISE**

Write the name of the institution in the lefthand column in English in the righthand column in Romanian or another target language. Attach a short description of their activity in either system. For Romanian, you can check your answers at <a href="http://www.justitia-romana.org/">http://www.justitia-romana.org/</a>.

1	High Court of Cassation and Justice	
2	Court of Appeal / Appellate Court	
3	Military court	
4	National Anti-corruption Department	
5	First instance court	
6	The Directorate for Investigation of	
	Organised Crimes and Terrorism	
	Crimes	
7	Court (of justice)	
8	Prosecuting authority	
9	High Council of the Judiciary	
10	Public Prosecutor's Office	
11	Juvenile court	

## Suggested answers:

- 1. High Court of Cassation and Justice Înalta Curte de Casație și Justiție
- 2. Court of Appeal / Appellate Court Curte (intermediară) de apel
- 3. Military court Curtea militară de apel, Tribunalul Militar territorial
- 4. National Anti-corruption Department Departamentul Național Anticorupție (DNA)
- 5. First instance court judecătorie
- 6. The Directorate for Investigation of Organised Crimes and Terrorism Crimes Direcția de Investigare a Infracțiunilor de Criminalitate Organizată și Terorism (DIICOT)

- 7. Court (of justice) tribunal
- 8. Prosecuting authority organ de urmărire penală
- 9. High Council of the Judiciary Consiliul Superior al Magistraturii
- 10. Public Prosecutor's Office parchet
- 11. Juvenile court Tribunal petru minori