### In October 2025

## Violations of Freedom of Expression, Assembly and Association

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What happened in Turkey in October 2025? A simple summary:

**ATTENTION:** All of this data is "AT LEAST". Because what can be reflected in the media is only the tip of the iceberg.

#### **POLICE INTERVENTIONS**

- 194 detained
- 82 arrests
- 47 judicial control
- 21 administrative/police interventions
- 1 provincial general ban decision

### **INVESTIGATION - PROSECUTION**

- Detentions: 194
- Arrests: 82
- Measures such as judicial control / house arrest / ban on leaving the country: 47
- Newly opened/indicted cases: 5
- Appointment of trustees: 3
- Company seizure: 121
- Constitutional Court/ECtHR annulment decisions:

## **OTHER PRACTICES**

• Access block / content removal: 29

As a result of the lawsuits - and threats - filed over the "Shake it off" directive from Erdoğan after the local elections in which the CHP was the first party , the pressure on CHP municipalities continues to increase. On the one hand, mayors are transferred to the AKP, while corruption investigations and mass detentions continue against those who do not bow to pressure.

In such cases, the normal way is to open an investigation on a "strong suspicion" and to collect evidence and testimonies by the prosecutor's office in favor of the defendant as well as a lawsuit or non-prosecution, but the wheel works in reverse. First, an investigation is opened, and many related or unrelated people are detained. These people are threatened and forced to benefit from "Effective Remorse" and to testify against CHP Municipalities in order to achieve this. In other words, evidence and witnesses are "manufactured".

As the congress is canceled and the "absolute nullity" decision is not issued and the lawsuits filed against İmamoğlu are inconclusive, new ones are produced. *Another case was opened on the charge of* "espionage".

The CHP's well-attended and enthusiastic meetings, which are held in a different province every weekend and in a district of Istanbul every Wednesday, continue without interruption. Erdoğan and the AKP are being forced to hold early elections.

The work of the "National Solidarity, Brotherhood and Democracy Commission", which started with the initiative of Devlet Bahçeli , is progressing very slowly despite the PKK burning its weapons in a symbolic ceremony.

Such was the case in October 2025.

# 1- Administrative Bans, Security Intervention

18 TAYAD members were detained at 05:25 in the morning in operations where the doors were broken with battering rams, and although there was no resistance,

they were beaten and ill-treated. DEM Party Deputy Ömer Faruk Gergerlioğlu shared the footage of 75-year-old Fahrettin Keskin being beaten during detention.

**01: Dersim** The march of Munzur University students to protest the allocation of the library

and the old Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences buildings to the courthouse and governor's office was prevented by private security and police by

using violence.

**08: Ankara** CHP Youth Branch members wanted to march to the Ministry of Justice on the

200th day of Ekrem İmamoğlu's detention. The police blocked the roads leading to the ministry with barricades and prevented the march. This time, the young people

marched on Atatürk Boulevard, but faced intervention here as well.

**08: Ankara** Students who gathered in solidarity with the Palestinian people at Ankara

University Cebeci Campus were attacked by a fascist group before the protest. Two students were battered. Private security and police teams did not intervene in the attack before the action to be held in the backyard of the Faculty of Political Sciences. On the contrary, he tried to remove the attacked students from the

campus.

**08: Elazig** Before the program to be organized by Furkan Movement leader Alparslan Kuytul

in the city on Friday, members gathered in front of the Municipal Police Directorate to take back their confiscated banners and posters. The police tried to disperse the group by spraying pepper spray on the protesters. Then the riot police intervened

by using force.

**08: Istanbul** The University security, which intervened in the students who gathered in front of

the club stands in the garden to protest the increase in the cafeteria fees at Istanbul

University, confiscated their megaphones.

**10: Ankara** After the commemoration event held on the 10th anniversary of the October 10

Ankara Train Station Massacre, the police intervened with tear gas against the crowd who wanted to march to the Ankara Courthouse. Families marching from Gençlik Park to the train station reiterated their demand for justice with the call of

the October 10 Peace Association.

**15: Istanbul** Student Collectives announced their programs to combat simultaneous actions in

six provinces. In the statement made in front of the Youth and Sports District

Directorate in Kadıköy, "We are marching against the trustee system, capital, fascist gangs and sects! The end of this road leads to the Palace" A banner was carried. University students demanded that KYK scholarships be fixed to half of the minimum wage, KYK loans be converted into scholarships and debts be canceled with interest. After the statement, the police blockaded the group on the pretext of GBT and detained 9 students by removing the members of the press from the area.

16: Ankara

The march started by the Confederation of Public Employees' Unions (KESK) from Diyarbakır to demand the reinstatement of those dismissed from public service by a state of emergency decree reached Ankara on October 16. The police prevented KESK members from marching to the Ministry of Justice. KESK members first called for a sit-in protest and then a press statement in front of the SES Headquarters, calling for participation in the sit-in protest to be held in front of the Parliament the next day.

16: Dersim

Munzur University students wanted to march in front of the rectorate after the statement they made in front of the Faculty of Engineering for Rojin Kabaiş on October 16. The police prevented the march by force.

16: Hatay

The residents of the neighborhood have been keeping watch since September 2 against the urgent expropriation decision taken for TOKİ in the Kurtdere District of Samandağ district. On the morning of October 16, construction equipment entered the area again accompanied by the police. İlayda Çekiç and Tuncay Yılmaz, who tried to stop the diggers, were detained.

16: Iğdır

Ihlas News Agency reporter Sebahattin Yum, "There is an umbrella for the governor, not for the veterans" He was detained on October 16 for reporting on the news. Erhan Tunç, the President of the Working Journalists Association, who filmed Yum's exit from the police station, was also detained.

16: Istanbul

A group of students who are members of the Student Collective made a statement on October 15 in Kadıköy Caferağa, demanding an increase in KYK scholarships and the cancellation of their loan debts. Police arrested nine students "Insulting the President" He was detained on the charge.

17: Ankara

Hacettepe University students served the food themselves to protest the reservation system and price hikes introduced in the cafeteria. Then the students marching to the rectorate building were blockaded by the police and private security. 38 students were detained, two students were taken under observation in the hospital due to the blows they received. LGBTI+ students also participated in the 11th Annual Conference on the same day. They supported the action after the march they organized against the Judicial Package.

18: Hatay

On the morning of October 18, construction equipment entered the lands in Samandağ district, where an urgent expropriation decision was made for TOKİ projects and the court process continued. Citizens living in Kurtdere and the surrounding neighborhoods are keeping watch to protect their deeded lands against the ongoing works despite the demand for a stay of execution.

19: Adana-Uşak

62 people were detained in the operations against FETÖ in Adana, Adıyaman,

Aksaray, Amasya, Ankara, Antalya, Aydın, Burdur, Bursa, Çanakkale, Diyarbakır, Edirne, Elazığ, Erzurum, Eskişehir, Hatay, Istanbul, Izmir, Kahramanmaraş, Kırıkkale, Konya, Kütahya, Manisa, Mersin, Muğla, Samsun, Siirt, Sivas, Şanlıurfa, Tokat, Uşak and Van, on the allegations of contacting the responsible persons within the organization via payphones and making propaganda for FETÖ through social media accounts 41 people were arrested.

21: Ankara

Fascist groups attacked students at the Faculty of Language, History and Geography (DTCF) who were distributing leaflets to announce the protest to be held on October 27 against the cafeteria hikes. While university students repelled the attack, the police entered the campus and detained at least 9 students. Students demand the withdrawal of price hikes, the extension of library hours and the resolution of campus hygiene problems.

24: Istanbul

9 members of the Democratic Youth Assemblies were detained in house raids.

26: Ankara

Ankara Women's Platform 11. The Judicial Package is a project for women and LGBTI+s "Tyranny Law" The police prevented the press statement he wanted to make at the Kolej Metro Station, and a brawl broke out. The statement was made on Sakarya Street. The platform ensures that the package "public morality" He stated that it targets freedoms under the name of gender identity and body integrity.

26: Istanbul

In Kadıköy against the 11th Judicial Package "We Do Not Give Up Our Civil Rights" The protest of the women who gathered with the call was prevented by the police before it even started. 2 women were detained on the grounds of the district governor's ban.

26: Istanbul

The Governor's Office has decided to prevent protests against the trial of Ekrem İmamoğlu, Necati Özkan and Merdan Yanardağ on espionage chargesBeyoglu, Kagithane, Bayrampaşaand Skewerbanned all kinds of demonstrations in Li districts for one day.

26: Izmir

5 students at Menemen Haldun Koşay Anatolian High School were detained by TEM teams during class after a music and halay video was shared on social media. The student who shared the video was arrested. Reason? He described the detention of students who were targeted for dancing halay to Kurdish music and making victory signs as "intimidation".

27: Ankara

A student was seriously injured in a machete and knife attack by a group stated to be members of the "Grey Wolves" at Hacettepe University. While the security remained unresponsive, the attackers were not detained. On the other hand, four of the attacked students were detained.

27: Istanbul

The police intervened against the workers who were members of İnşaat-İş and Dev Yapı-İş who were protesting the usurpation of rights of YDA Group at the Halkbank construction site in the Istanbul Financial Center. Many people, including union representatives, were detained.

27: Istanbul

Two women members of the SOL Feminist Movement, who were detained during the protest against the 11th Judicial Package, were released under judicial control today. The women stated that they were forced to strip search during detention.

In the same protests, a person's finger was broken in Ankara.

**28: Istanbul** A simultaneous police operation was carried out against the Socialist Party of the

Oppressed (ESP) in Istanbul and Antalya on October 28. 14 people were detained.

28: Dersim Gazete Patika reporter Hıdır Yıldız was detained by the police for filming police

violence during the Republic celebrations. The images on Yıldız's phone, which recorded the moments when the police pulled guns on the young people, were

forcibly deleted. He is being held at the Yıldız Police Department.

28: Mersin Women's Platform, 11. They marched in Pozcu on October 28 to protest the

Judicial Package. The police attacked women and LGBTI+s when they saw rainbow

flags in their bags. Many people were beaten.

29: Istanbul Student Collectives announced that one of their members was threatened and

harassed by the police at Beyazıt Police Station. It is reported that the police pressured the student through his family, hinted at information about the

organization and forcibly took him to the police station.

**31: Ankara** The 11th Amendment, which is stated to contain anti-LGBTI+ regulations.

Simultaneous protests were held in 13 cities against the Judicial Package. Women and LGBTI+s took to the streets in Ankara, Istanbul, Izmir, Bursa, Antalya, Adana, Mersin, Kocaeli, Aydın, Elazığ, Malatya, Fethiye and Kuşadası. The police intervened in the protest in Ankara, one person was detained. In Istanbul, Kadıköy District Governorate banned the protest and two people were detained. Press statements were read at the demonstrations held in Izmir, Bursa, Adana and

Mersin, and it was emphasized that the regulations targeted women, LGBTI+s and

dissenting voices. Actions, "Withdraw the judicial package" ended with the call.

**31: Izmir** During the Academic Year Opening Ceremony held at Ege University, five students

who were members of the Student Collectives were beaten and detained when they wanted to ask Minister of Justice Yılmaz Tunç why the machete-wielding attackers at Hacettepe University were not detained. The students, who were released after their statements were taken, made a statement in front of the courthouse "How can students be detained while gangs with machetes are free in

Hacettepe?" He expressed his reactions by saying.

# 2- Investigations and Trials

01: Istanbul "establishing a criminal organization", "tax evasion", "fraud" and "money

laundering"5 people were arrested on the charges, and Kenan Tekdağ, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Can Holding Media Group, was ordered to be placed under house arrest and banned from leaving the country. 12 more executives were detained, Atilla Ciner and Ciner Glass CEO Gökhan Şen were arrested. A ban on leaving the country and judicial control decisions were issued for the other 10 people. An

arrest warrant was issued for Turgay Ciner, who was abroad,

**01: Istanbul** 12 people were arrested at the 17th Annual Conference held in July. Bakırköy 7. He is

being tried at the Criminal Court of First Instance. İsmail Çelik, who has been detained for more than two months, stated in his defense that his slogans were not insults but political criticism. "I did what every conscientious person would do" Said. The court ruled that Çelik be released with a ban on leaving the country and that the judicial control conditions be lifted for the other defendants. The next hearing is on January 7, 2026.

01: Istanbul

The objection to the interim injunction decision regarding the CHP Provincial Congress, 45. The appeal was explicitly rejected by the Civil Court of First Instance. The CHP argued that congress decisions could only be reviewed by election boards and that the court interfered with the party's internal functioning. However, the court stated that the bank, title deed and SSI documents presented as evidence exceeded the doubt and that the measure was necessary for the elections to be conducted in accordance with democratic principles. In the decision, it was stated that temporary board members are not obliged to be party members and that the court has discretion While many famous actors who were heard as witnesses in the case where Ayşe Barım, the manager of ID Communication, is tried with a request of 22 to 30 years in prison for allegedly directing the actors to the Gezi Park protests, stated that they went to Gezi Park of their own free will and that Barım had no involvement, while the whistleblower who attended the hearing with GEGBİS said that he did not know the defendant and that his statements were based on what he saw on social media. Although the prosecutor requested the continuation of his detention, the court decided to release Barım on the condition of a travel ban and house arrest.

06: Ankara

01: Istanbul

The police attack on the protest held in the first month of the death of Reşit Kibar, who was murdered as a result of an armed attack while fighting against the plunder of nature in Artvin Cankurtaran, is being held at the 18th High Criminal Court. It started at the Criminal Court of First Instance. On October 3, 2024, during the protest held in front of the Ministry of Environment, Urbanization and Climate Change, members of the People's Houses wanted to deliver a file containing the demands of the people of Artvin to the ministry, but the police prevented it, and Lawyer Mustafa Avcıoğlu's arm was dislocated during the attack. Deputy Commissioner Osman Pirinçci was charged with "exceeding the limit in the authority to use force" and "intentional injury" The trial will continue on January 28, 2026.

06: Istanbul

The Prosecutor General's Office about the members of the music group Manifest "Acting indecently by exposing them" He demanded a prison sentence of 6 months to 1 year. The investigation was launched based on the footage taken at the band's concert in Küçükçiftlik Park. The prosecutor's office also included other people who danced on stage in the indictment. "Exhibitionism" He holds him responsible for his crime.

06: Istanbul

Writer Yavuz Ekinci's novel "Rüyası Bölenler" published ten years ago "making propaganda for an organization" 23. The trial continues at the Heavy Penal Court. The next hearing is on November 10. The novel, which was opened as a result of an investigation initiated upon a reader's complaint to CIMER one day after the February 6 earthquakes, was published on March 13, 2023 at the Istanbul 7th High Criminal

Court. It was banned and confiscated by the decision of the Criminal Court of Peace. Ekinci applied to the Constitutional Court against the ban decision. The file is still pending review.

07: Agri

Due to the news coverage of journalist Abdullah Kaya in Diyadin in 2014 on the charge of "aiding an organization without being a member of it" The case he is trying continues. The journalist was released after six months in prison. The court adjourned the hearing to November 18 without taking Kaya's statement.

07: Ankara

About Kemal Kılıçdaroğlu "Insulting the President" Nine cases filed on charges will be combined into a single file. Van 4. The case was sent to Ankara with a decision of lack of jurisdiction. Kılıçdaroğlu said, "Even if 99 lawsuits are filed, not 9, we will not give up defending justice."

07: Ankara

Former AKP deputy Hüseyin Kocabıyık, "Insulting Erdoğan" He was arrested on the charge. In an interview with Cumhuriyet newspaper on October 6, Kocabiyik explained the relations of interest within the AKP and said, "The party distributes something to everyone. They made my husband governor, then they took him back because I objected." He also said about the detention of Ekrem İmamoğlu on March 19. Erdoğan staged a coup against himself" He was expelled from the AKP on March 22 after these statements.

07: Ankara

Public Security Branch Directorate teams targeted people who shared armed photos and videos on social media and challenged each other. "Photogang Album" 23 people were detained. Suspects "injury", "threat", "possession of unlicensed weapons" and "drugs" It was determined that he had many records of crimes. 8 unlicensed pistols were seized in Altındağ district. The Chief Prosecutor's Office launched an investigation into the incident.

07: Diyarbakir Journalist Nurcan Yalçın's "membership in a terrorist organization" and "Financing of terrorism" The case in which he was tried on charges of Diyarbakır 9. It continues in the Heavy Penalty. The prison sentence given to Yalçın in 2021 for his activities at the Rosa Women's Association and his journalistic work at Jinnews was overturned by the appeal. The journalist was later sentenced to 400 TL for sending 400 TL to his roommate he met in prison. "Financing of terrorism". The next hearing is on March 3, 2026.

07: Istanbul

Detained during the September 2 Festival held in 2022 in the 1 Mayıs Neighborhood in Ümraniye and 25. 10 people were acquitted of the charge of "making propaganda for an illegal organization". But to all the defendants "Opposition to the Law on Meetings and Demonstrations" 5 months each, 3 defendants for "Damage to public property10 months for the crime of " and one defendant for "do not resist to prevent the duty from being done" He was sentenced to 5 months in prison for the crime. The announcement of the verdict was postponed for some defendants

07: Istanbul

The Chief Public Prosecutor's Office filed a lawsuit against Mezopotamya Agency (MA) reporter Mehmet Aslan "membership in an organization". It was learned that the investigation was based on the statements of a secret witness named "K8Ç4B3L1T5", who had previously testified against many journalists.

07: Strasbourg Turkey has decided to accept the decision of the European Court of Human Rights

(ECtHR) about Selahattin Demirtaş. "violation" and "Evacuation" He objected to his decision one day before the deadline. The Ministry of Justice requested that the decision be re-examined by the ECtHR Grand Chamber with its application on October 7. On July 8, 2025, the ECtHR ruled that Demirtaş's long detention was a violation of his rights, but the Ankara 22nd High Criminal Court ruled that he was a violation of his rights. The Heavy Penalty rejected the request for release. The ECtHR found violations of rights in three separate judgments against Demirtaş in 2018, 2020 and 2025.

08: Ankara

The investigation into the concert expenditures of the Metropolitan Municipality between 2021 and 2024 has been completed. The Chief Public Prosecutor's Office announced that 14 people, five of whom were detained, were entitled to "qualified embezzlement" He prepared an indictment on the charge. The indictment states that the crime was committed in a chain manner and demands prison sentences of up to 31.5 years for eight people and up to 18 years for six people. Among the five people arrested as part of the investigation are former heads of departments of the municipality.

08: Istanbul

An investigation was launched against BirGün editor Kayhan Ayhan by the Press Crimes Investigation Bureau of the Anatolian Chief Public Prosecutor's Office. Ayhan was summoned to testify on the grounds that he reported on the student protests that started after Ekrem İmamoğlu's detention on March 19 and shared them on his social media account. Ayhan said at .30. About "2.5 hours of violence against villagers" and his posts on election irregularities.

08: Istanbul

Within the scope of the investigation carried out by the Smuggling, Narcotics and Economic Crimes Bureau of the Chief Public Prosecutor's Office, Dilan Polat, Engin Polat, İrem Derici, Hadise, Demet Evgar and some other famous people, "they use drugs" They were taken from their homes around 6.30 in the morning and brought to the Gendarmerie Command and then to the Forensic Medicine Institute in the afternoon. Lawyer Deniz Yazgan, one of the defendants' lawyers, said, "The decision to bring him by force can only be made by a judge or prosecutor. Law enforcement cannot forcibly take a person from his home on his own initiative." Said. In addition, taking blood samples without the consent of individuals, "No one can be forced to create evidence to incriminate themselvesHe stated that it is contrary to the principle of Nemo Tenetur.

09: Ankara

The Constitutional Court ruled that the right to life of 9-year-old Veysel Atılgan, who lost his life in the Ankara Train Station Massacre on October 10, 2015, was not violated. The court found the application "manifestly ill-founded". 103 people, including Veysel and his father İbrahim Atılgan, lost their lives in the massacre. The family won partial compensation in the compensation lawsuit they filed against the Ministry of Interior and the Ankara Governor's Office. However, after the reversal decision of the Council of State, the file returned to the regional court.

09: Ankara

The Constitutional Court ruled that the "prohibition of treatment incompatible with human dignity" was violated in the application of nurse Esin Kavruk, who was forcibly taken from saliva samples in Bakırköy Women's Closed Prison. The court determined a violation in both material and procedural aspects and decided to pay the applicant

100 thousand TL for non-pecuniary damages and 30 thousand TL for litigation expenses. It was stated that during the period when Kavruk was detained in 2019, a security team of approximately 100 people raided the prison ward, female prisoners were beaten and forcibly taken as a sample. Lawyer Gülizar Tuncer said that the decision is a historical jurisprudence on "forcible evidence production and interference with bodily integrity".

09: Antalya

In Manavgat, 41 defendants, 11 of whom are in custody, including former mayor Niyazi Nefi Kara,, "concealment of the illegitimate source of property values", "bribery", "embezzlement", "establishing an organization" and "extortion by extortion"" with a request for a prison sentence of up to 69 years for the crimes of 3. He will be tried in the Heavy Penal Court

**09: Diyarbakir** The prosecutor's office prepared a new indictment against journalist Abdurrahman Gök, who photographed Kemal Kurkut, who was killed by a police bullet during the Newroz celebration in 2017. Based on the statements of the secret witness "K8C4B3L1T5", the prosecutor stated that Gök "neutralized" Photographing Kurkut's moment "Terrorist propaganda" he claimed. It is reported that this indictment is the fourth file filed against Gök for the same photographs. The prosecutor's office decided to file 5. He asked to be merged with the file in the Heavy Penalty. The next hearing is on November 25.

09: Diyarbakir The case against Aram Publishing House owner Hakkı Boltan and employee Delil Zengeralp on charges of "making propaganda for a terrorist organization" was held at Diyarbakır 4th High Criminal Court. It started at the Heavy Penalty. Lawyer Resul Temur requested the acquittal of his clients, stating that the books in question were not banned and that the Press Law was applied incorrectly. The adjourned hearing for the prosecution's opinion on the merits is scheduled for January 27, 2026.

09: Istanbul

Journalist Rahime Karvar's 24. In Heavy Penalty "membership in a terrorist organization" A new file was opened within the scope of the Peoples' Democratic Congress (HDK) investigation. The court announced that the HDK file, which was opened on September 19, was merged with the current case. While the prosecutor demanded that Karvar be punished, the lawyers requested time for the defense. The court decided to continue the judicial control measures and adjourned the hearing to November 13.

09: Istanbul

The trial of the 62nd Criminal Court of First Instance against 5 police officers who detained lawyer Murat Celik during the Saturday Mothers protest in Beyoğlu on July 8, 2023. In the case filed at the Criminal Court of First Instance, the prosecutor's office "exceeding the limit of the authority to use force" and "intentional injury" demanded a prison sentence of up to 4 years and 6 months for their crimes. The request of the Union of Turkish Bar Associations and the Istanbul Bar Association to participate was accepted. The next hearing is on February 18, 2026.

09: Istanbul

During the speech of President Erdoğan of the AKP at the opening of Bağcılar Maternity and Children's Hospital "AK Party is the cause, inflation is the result" Textile worker N.K., who opened a banner and threw his mobile phone on the platform, was released after 171 days. 28. Heavy Penalty sentenced N.K. to "Actual attack against the President" He sentenced him to 4 years and 2 months in prison for the crime, but released him with a ban on leaving the country.

09: Istanbul

2. The Criminal Court of First Instance sentenced journalist Melisa Gülbaş to journalist Melisa Gülbaş in the case where she was cited for the Boğaziçi University TETAM news report published in Gerçek Gündem on December 18, 2023 "Insulting a public official" He imposed a judicial fine of 7 thousand 80 TL and deferred the announcement of the verdict.

09: Van

It was decided to continue the judicial control measure in the case where Yeni Yaşam Newspaper editor Reyhan Hacıoğlu was tried on the charge of "being a member of an illegal organization". Hacıoğlu was arrested on January 20 along with five other journalists. The next hearing at the Van 2nd High Criminal Court is scheduled for January 6, 2026.

10: Ankara

Retired Colonel Orkun Özeller, who was arrested for his social media posts against Devlet Bahçeli "Public insult to a public official because of his duty" and "Publicly inciting the public to hatred and hostility" He will be tried on charges and a prison sentence of up to 6 years and 6 months.

10: Bursa

Former Mayor of Nilüfer Turgay Erdem from CHP, "bribery and establishing a criminal organization" He was detained on the allegation. Within the scope of the investigation carried out by the Chief Prosecutor's Office, a detention order was issued for 21 people. The two suspects are abroad.

10: Dersim

The 1st Criminal Court of First Instance sentenced conscientious objector Kamil Murat Demir to 21 months in prison in accordance with Article 63/1-a of the Military Penal Code, finding that he was a roll call evader between 2022 and 2024, and did not apply a reduction.

10: Istanbul

About the women's Manifest group in the concert performance in Küçükçiftlik Park, "Immoral acts" and "Exhibitionism" The investigation carried out by the Chief Prosecutor's Office on the charges of 49. It turned into a case filed in the Criminal Court of First Instance. The indictment demands a prison sentence of 6 months to 1 year for the band members and Aydeed (Ayça Dalaklı), with whom they appeared on stage.

10: Istanbul

The deputy mayor elections in Bayrampaşa Municipality were canceled by the Istanbul 8th Administrative Court. The court decided to stay the execution of the deputy mayorship won by CHP's İbrahim Kahraman as a result of the lottery, and the process was suspended until the final decision of the court. After the arrest of Bayrampaşa Mayor Hasan Mutlu on September 16, CHP and AKP candidates received equal votes in the election held on September 21, and CHP candidate Kahraman became the deputy chairman as a result of the lottery.

10: Izmir

In the commemoration of the October 10 Ankara Massacre, "The murderer is in the palace" Two Halkevci who were detained for hanging banners written on the "Insulting the President". Halkevciler, who was referred to the court with a request for arrest, was released by the criminal judge of peace on judicial control conditions.

11: Ankara

The Chief Public Prosecutor's Office requested permission from the Ministry of Interior to investigate Metropolitan Mayor Mansur Yavaş and Private Secretary

Nevzat Uzunoğlu within the scope of the investigation initiated on the allegation of causing public damage in concerts held between 2021 and 2024. Yavaş emphasized that the process is political and "There is no need for permission, we are ready to testify voluntarily if they call us" Said

- 11: Sirnak
- Agency Welat (AW) reporter Roni Rubar Imen was detained at the entrance of Cizre district on the grounds of "denunciation" and her phone was confiscated while she was on her way to the Federal Kurdistan Region to follow the news. Meeting with his lawyer, Imen said that he was beaten and forced to listen to racist music during detention and transfer.
- 12: Ankara
- The Chief Prosecutor's Office launched a bribery investigation in coordination with the Ministry of National Defense over allegations of benefits through permits. A total of 33 people, including 2 dismissed from public service, 1 retired public employee, 2 relatives of these people and 27 company officials, were detained, 9 people were arrested, and 24 people were released on judicial control conditions.
- 13: Ankara
- Within the scope of the HDK investigation "membership in a terrorist organization" The trial of KaosGL.org Editor-in-Chief Yıldız Tar, who is on trial for the allegation, will be held at the 21st High Criminal Court. It continues in the Heavy Penalty. The court abolished the obligation to sign; The ban on leaving the country will continue. The next hearing is scheduled for February 23, 2026.
- 13: Istanbul
- A lawsuit was filed against 20 people on the grounds of X posts made on the day the CHP Istanbul Provincial Presidency was dismissed and replaced by a temporary board chaired by Gürsel Tekin. Due to the posts made after the decision of the 45th Civil Court of First Instance dated September 2, "public incitement to commit a crime" and "Publicly inciting the public to hatred and hostility" A prison sentence of up to five years is sought on the charges. The next hearing is on November 5.
- 13: Istanbul
- About lawyer Rezan Epözdemir "mediating bribery" An indictment was prepared with a request for up to 12 years in prison. Epözdemir rejected the accusations and said, "I have lent money to C.Ç. before" Said. The file was filed in the 18th Criminal Court. In the Heavy Penalty.
- 14: Ankara
- About HKP Chairman Nurullah Efe "Insulting the President" 32. The case filed in the Criminal Court of First Instance continues. The hearing was adjourned to January 20, 2026 due to a malfunction of the SEGBİS system.
- 14: Ankara
- The Chief Prosecutor's Office stated that FETÖ's "private structuring" launched an investigation into the 5 active soldiers, 5 dismissed personnel and 6 "private imam" A total of 16 people were detained in simultaneous operations in 8 provinces.
- 14: Ankara
- The Constitutional Court ruled that the seizure of the notes sent to imprisoned journalist Nedim Türfent and the monitoring of lawyers' opinions violated the freedom of expression and the press. Türfent will be paid 45 thousand TL for non-pecuniary damages.
- 14: Ankara
- Journalist Murat Aksoy's "Knowingly and willingly helping the organization" The prosecutor demanded a sentence again in the case where he was sentenced on the charge of crime, but was retried after the Constitutional Court's violation decision. The next hearing is on December 9.

- 14: Antalya Within the scope of the operations against CHP municipalities, another operation was carried out in Antalya Metropolitan Municipality, Mayor Muhittin Böcek's cousin Emin B., former Antalya CPA Chamber President Emrullah Tayfun Ç., his son Serkan Ç., private secretary Melek K., architect Özlem Yıldız K. and city planner Mehmet Ali C. were detained.
- 14: Bitlis Journalist Mehmet Şah Oruç's "membership in a terrorist organization" and "Terrorist propaganda" with the allegations of Bitlis 2. His trial continues at the High Criminal Court. The ban on leaving the country will continue. The next hearing is on January 20, 2026.
- 14: Bursa "Bribery" and "Establishing a criminal organization" 15 people, including the former Mayor of Nilüfer district Turgay Erdem, were arrested within the scope of the investigation carried out on the charges. 7 people, including Erdem's wife and brother-in-law, were released on judicial control conditions. Money, jewelry, real estate, vehicles, bank and crypto accounts were confiscated. A trustee was appointed to a company through the SDIF.
- 14: Igdir

  At the Veterans Day ceremony, Governor Ercan Turan was protected with an umbrella in the rain, while the veterans got wet, which led to reactions. "There is an umbrella for the governor, not for the veterans" İHA reporter Sebahattin Yum, who was on the agenda with his news titled, was detained.
- 14: Istanbul On the grounds of a video and posts he prepared on social media "Insulting the President", "targeting people who took part in the fight against terrorism" and "Insulting a public official because of his duty" Journalist Furkan Karabay, who faces up to 15 years in prison and has been detained for 152 days, will appear before the judge on December 2.
- 14: Strasbourg The European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR) ruled that Articles 5/1, 5/3, 10 and 18 of the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR) were violated in its decision on the detention of former HDP MP Aysel Tuğluk. The court stated that Tuğluk's detention was not based on sufficient reasonable suspicion, that her freedom of expression was clearly violated and that her detention was aimed at suppressing political dissent. Turkey will pay Tuğluk 16 thousand euros in non-pecuniary damages and 1,500 euros in litigation expenses.
- 14: Strasbourg The European Court of Human Rights (ECtHR) ruled that the sentence given to journalist Burcu Özkaya Günaydın for "propaganda for a terrorist organization" for her social media posts violated freedom of expression and freedom of the press. Hatay 2. The sentence given by the Heavy Penalty and the announcement of the verdict was deferred by the ECtHR "Punishment of newsworthy content" It was evaluated as. Günaydın will be paid 2.500 euros in compensation.
- 15: Istanbul Six people who were detained at the forum held in Gülhane Park on April 10 with the call of the Workers' Party of Turkey were sentenced to 30. In the case filed at the Criminal Court of First Instance, the prosecutor said, "they insist on not dispersing despite the police's warning to disperse" demanded that the defendants be punished. The next hearing is on November 27.
- 15: Diyarbakir The first hearing of the case against Mezopotamya News Agency reporter Berivan

Kutlu on charges of "making propaganda for a terrorist organization" was held at the 4th High Criminal Court. His lawyer Resul Tamur stated that Kutlu's posts were screenshots, not videos, and that the police submitted erroneous evidence to the file. The next hearing is on January 29, 2026.

17: Agri

DEM Party Diyarbakır Deputy Berdan Öztürk, 1. In the case where he was tried in the Heavy Penal Court "Aid to the organization4 years and 6 months for the accusation, "Terrorist propaganda". He was sentenced to 1 year and 10 months in prison, a total of 6 years and 4 months in prison. In another case heard in the same court, 10 people, including DEM Party member Şakir Kılıç, were sentenced to "membership in a terrorist organization", "aiding a terrorist organization", "propaganda for a terrorist organization" He was sentenced to a total of 177 years and 7 months in prison. Şakir Kılıç was sentenced to 44 years, Engin Dursun to 24 years, Figen Aslan and Ramazan Bayram to 18 years, Mehmet İzci to 11 years and 9 months, Yılmaz Dursun to 8 years and 9 months, Şakir Çaçan to 7 years and 6 months, Murat Karagül and Serkan Yazıcı to 6 years and 3 months. While some defendants were arrested after the hearing, the crowd gathered in front of the courthouse "Pressures cannot intimidate us" and "We will win by resisting" chanted. On the same day, Rıdvan Kahraman "membership in a terrorist organization" and "simple injury" He was sentenced to 24 years and 10 months in prison for his crimes.

17: Ankara

The Constitutional Court ruled that the right to a fair trial of urban planner Tayfun Kahraman, who was tried in the Gezi trial, was violated. Despite the dissenting votes of five members, the file was sent to the Istanbul 13th High Criminal Court for a retrial. He was sent to the Heavy Penalty. In the reasoned decision, it was stated that the local court and the Court of Cassation could not establish a concrete link between Kahraman's actions and the evidence, restricted the right to defense and violated the principle of "equality of arms".

17: Antalya

Three of the six people detained on October 14 as part of the corruption and bribery investigation against the Metropolitan Municipality were arrested. Within the scope of the investigation, many people, including Metropolitan Mayor Muhittin Böcek and his relatives, were previously arrested, and 3 defendants were released on September 27, benefiting from effective remorse.

17: Istanbul

About lawyer Rezan Epözdemir "mediating bribery" The indictment, which was prepared for the crime and demanded a prison sentence of up to 12 years, was accepted by the 18th Criminal Court. It was accepted by the Heavy Penalty. According to the indictment, Epözdemir allegedly acted as an intermediary for the release of Zekeriye and Ahmet Mesut Yurtçak, who were detained in an investigation carried out in Bakırköy in 2021. The first hearing is on December 19.

17: Istanbul

The Chief Prosecutor's Office launched a second wave operation within the scope of the Can Holding investigation. A detention order was issued for 35 people, 26 people were arrested. Among those detained are Kenan Tekdağ, Chairman of the Board of Directors of Ciner Yayın Holding, Remzi Sanver, former rector of Bilgi University, Betül and Zühal Can, wives of Şakir Can and Murat Can. Within the scope of the investigation, simultaneous operations were carried out in Mersin, Iğdır, Izmir and Istanbul. According to the MASAK report, it was determined that Can Holding and 121 related companies made 88 billion TL of money movements of unknown origin

between 2020 and 2021.

20: Istanbul

In the investigation against Can Holding and Ciner Group, 11 people, including Mehmet Kenan Tekdağ, Remzi Sanver and Mehmet Sıddık Kaya, "establishing an organization", "qualified fraud" and "Money laundering", 121 companies were seized, and the SDIF was appointed as a trustee. In MASAK reports, 88 billion TL of money movement of unknown origin was detected in the holding's accounts between 2020 and 2021. An arrest warrant was issued for businessman Turgay Ciner, who is abroad. In the detention review of the file known as "Aziz İhsan Aktaş" or "Beşiktaş Investigation", it was decided to continue the detention of CHP's Beşiktaş Mayor Rıza Akpolat. Esenyurt Mayor Ahmet Özer, Aycılar Mayor Utku Caner Caykara, Seyhan

20: Istanbul

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20: Istanbul

The hearing of the "fake diploma" case of IMM President and CHP's presidential candidate Ekrem İmamoğlu, who is imprisoned in Silivri, started late after the hall and defense discussions. İmamoğlu did not want to make a defense. The prosecutor requested to wait for the outcome of the "diploma cancellation" case in the administrative judiciary.

20: Istanbul

An investigation was opened against IMM employee Nuri Başkapan for the letter he wrote to IMM President Advisor Murat Ongun while he was in prison. The prison administration said in the letter "Humiliating statements against the President and state institutions. He did not deliver the letter to Ongun and filed a criminal complaint with the prosecutor's office. The President, Istanbul Chief Public Prosecutor, RTÜK President and TRT were included as complainants in the Chief Prosecutor's investigation.

20: Van

17-year-old Ç.B., who was detained together with Emrullah Derin, Hozan Çiçek, Bedirhan Erol and S.Ç., who were detained in house raids three days ago, and 17-year-old Ç.B., one of the five young people., "to be a member of an organization" He was arrested on the allegation. Ç.B., who shouted slogans in response to this, was beaten by the police, and the lawyers filed a criminal complaint, stating that the police also threatened them.

21: Ankara

14 defendants were sentenced to 34 years of trial for allegedly causing 154 million TL of public damage in the concert expenditures of the Metropolitan Municipality (ABB) between 2021 and 2024. A lawsuit was filed at the High Criminal Court. For the five detained defendants 'Qualified embezzlement in a chain' A prison sentence of up to 31 years and 6 months is demanded for the crime, and up to 18 years for the other defendants.

21: Ankara

Minister of Justice Yılmaz Tunç has been indicted by the Chief Prosecutor's Office against CHP Group Deputy Chairman Ali Mahir Başarır for his remarks against President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan. "Insulting the President" announced that an investigation was launched ex officio.

21: Diyarbakir 8 members of the DEM Party Youth Assembly were detained in Diyarbakir on the grounds that they participated in the march demanding freedom for Abdullah Öcalan on October 18.

21: Istanbul

More than 200 personnel working in Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality (IMM) and its subsidiaries were summoned to testify. Among those summoned to testify was Utku Cihan, who served as the Head of IMM Transportation Department between 2020 and 2024 and is currently the Mayor of Hopa. It was also learned that businesspeople Hamdi Akın and Vedat Aşçı were also called to testify in the same investigation. The Chief Prosecutor's Office also expanded the scope of the investigation into the criminal organization led by Aziz İhsan Aktaş. He also asked for the files regarding the tenders received by the companies belonging to the organization from the Kütahya and Isparta Municipalities.

21: Istanbul

About İBB Ağaç A.Ş. staff Nuri Başkapan, President Erdoğan and some senior members of the judiciary "Attempt to abolish the constitutional order" He filed a criminal complaint on the grounds that he filed a criminal complaint. However, the Chief Public Prosecutor's Office said about Başkapan "Insulting the President" He launched a new investigation on the charge.

21: Istanbul

In the retrial of sociologist-Pinar Selek, who was acquitted four times in the case related to the Spice Bazaar explosion, the 15th Criminal Court of First Instance. Criminal Court rejected Selek's request to testify from abroad through rogatory. While the arrest warrant continues in the 27-year-old case, the hearing was postponed to April 2, 2026.

21: Istanbul

T24 reporter Asuman Aranca for reporting on the expert report on the murder of Sinan Ateş "Violation of confidentiality" He was sentenced to 1 year in prison for the crime. The court reduced the sentence to 10 months with a good behavior reduction and deferred the announcement of the verdict.

21: Mardin

Journalist Öznur Değer was sentenced by the 2nd High Criminal Court for "propaganda for a terrorist organization" He was sentenced to 3 years, 4 months and 15 days in prison on the charge.

21: Sirnak

In the case of 18-month-old Mehmet Uytun, who was killed by a gas canister fired while he was on his mother's lap on the balcony of his house in Cizre district in 2009, the defendant soldier Hakan Alkan was not arrested again. The Ministry of National Defense claimed that the cartridge was not in the inventory. The case was adjourned to January 20, 2026.

22: Aydin

Emin Aydın, Editor-in-Chief of Aydın Denge news website, was arrested for his news about Metropolitan Mayor Özlem Çerçioğlu, who switched to the AKP. Aydın wrote that the concert held after Çerçioğlu joined the AKP remained empty. Journalist Ergün Poyraz was previously arrested for the same reason.

22: Istanbul

BirGün executives İbrahim Aydın, Uğur Koç and Yaşar Gökdemir are on trial at the 23rd

High Criminal Court for publishing a news report about Chief Prosecutor Akın Gürlek. The heavy penalty fined Uğur Koç and Yaşar Gökdemir 35,400 Turkish Liras and sentenced İbrahim Aydın to 11 months and 20 days in prison. 'Targeting terrorist organizations' He was acquitted of the charge. The lawyers said, "When Sabah newspaper makes the same news, it is not a crime, when BirGün does it, a lawsuit is filed" and drew attention to the double standards in the trial.

22: Istanbul

The trial of 23 people, including the lawyers of the Law Office of the Oppressed (EHB), former editor of Etkin News Agency İsminaz Temel, former reporter Havva Cuştan and ESP Co-Chair Özlem Gümüştaş, was held at the 27th High Criminal Court. It continues in the Heavy Penalty. The secret witness, who was heard via SEGBİS, said that he only saw the defendants at ESP events and that he had no direct knowledge of their connections with the organization. The next hearing is on March 1, 2026.

23: Ankara

Mardin Metropolitan Municipality Co-Mayor Ahmet Türk, "making propaganda for an organization" The lawsuit filed with the allegation and cited as the reason for the appointment of a trustee was acquitted. Ankara 14. The Heavy Penal Court stated that Türk's speech in 2011 was within the scope of freedom of expression and ruled that the elements of the crime did not occur. His lawyers emphasized that the file was reopened despite being closed in 2014 with non-prosecution, and the Ministry of Interior cited this case as the reason for its trustee decision in 2024.

23: Istanbul

Former CHP Provincial Chair Canan Kaftancıoğlu said that President Erdoğan "It is our duty to ensure accountability" In his response to his post "We also owe it to our necks... The days when those who reach out to Bethlehem will be judged are near." Because he said "Insulting the President" He is accused of this.

23: Van

Metropolitan Municipality Co-Mayor Neslihan Şedal's "inciting the public to hatred and hostility" 10. The trial started at the Criminal Court of First Instance. The next hearing is on December 4.

23: Van

Journalist Dilan Babat in her news about the suspicious death of Rojin Kabais "Publicly disseminating misleading information" An investigation was opened on the charge.

24: Ankara

CHP's 38th Ordinary General Assembly held on November 4-5, 2023. The lawsuit filed for the annulment of the Ordinary Congress, Ankara 42. Civil Court of First Instance "lack of hostility capacity" and "lack of subject" He rejected it with reasons.

24: Aydin

Writer Ergün Poyraz, who switched from CHP to AKP. Waist. Özlem Çerçioğlu was detained for a social media post at the 5th Criminal Court of First Instance. He could not attend the first hearing of the case in which he was tried at the Criminal Court of First Instance due to health problems. The prosecutor demanded the defendant's release under judicial control, but the court refused.

24: Diyarbakir 6 people, including a child, who were detained in the operations that started on October 21 after the march on October 18, "resistance to the police", "propaganda for a terrorist organization", "injury" and "Opposition to the Law on Meetings and Demonstrations" He was arrested and sent to prison.

24: Isparta

Mustafa Özmen, the former mayor of Gelendost district, was tried at the Yalvaç Heavy Penal Court on charges of bribery, embezzlement, extortion and bid rigging and was sentenced to 23 years, 11 months and 15 days in prison. For 19 defendants tried in the same file, decisions were made to postpone the announcement of the verdict, not to sentence or to acquit.

24: Istanbul 12 journalists covering the protest in Saraçhane Park *Opposition to the Law on Meetings and Demonstrations* 62. It continues at the Criminal Court of First Instance.

The case was adjourned to November 27 for the prosecutor to prepare his opinion as to the accusations.

24: Istanbul IMM President Ekrem İmamoğlu, regarding the period of Beylikdüzü Mayor "bid rigging" He was acquitted in the case where he was tried on the charge. Büyükçekmece 10. The Criminal Court of First Instance ruled that the elements of the crime did not occur.

**24: Istanbul** Seven university students were sentenced for the slogans shouted at the rally held in Saraçhane for the 100th day of IMM President Ekrem İmamoğlu's detention. "Insulting the President", 19. It continues at the Criminal Court of First Instance. The next hearing is scheduled for January 23, 2026.

24: Istanbul Cold War", the presenter Boğaç Soydemir and guest Enes Akgündüz, who were tried for the joke on the YouTube channel, were sentenced to "inciting the public to hatred and hostility or humiliation" He was sentenced to 7 months and 15 days in prison for the crime. The defendants were released taking into account the time they spent in detention.

24: Istanbul TELE1 Editor-in-Chief Merdan Yanardağ "Espionage" He was detained on the allegation, his house and the canal were searched. Then, the SDIF was appointed as a trustee to the company to which TELE1 is affiliated. The board of trustees came to the channel during the main news broadcast in the evening and the broadcast was interrupted and the tape broadcast started. The channel's YouTube archive was deleted and its account was closed.

24: Istanbul 15 people were detained for allegedly leaking the data of millions of users from IMM's "Istanbul Senin" and "IMM Hanem" applications. The investigation is based on the 2019 elections and espionage and "Profit-oriented organization" It was reported that it was expanded with claims.

**24: Istanbul** Real estate agent Mecit Şahinkaya said, "providing financial and logistical support to the organization" He was arrested on the allegation. The 7th Criminal Court of Peace considered the banner hung as an office advertisement as a "banner of an organization".

**24: Istanbul** Hopa Mayor Utku Cihan testified for 3-5 hours within the scope of the investigation carried out by the Istanbul Anti-Financial Crimes Branch Directorate regarding the duties and tenders he carried out at IMM between 2019 and 2024.

24: Mardin

About JİNNEWS News Director Öznur Değer for her news report on the suspicious death of Rojin Kabaiş "Publicly disseminating misleading information" An investigation was launched on the charge. Değer went to the Kızıltepe Chief Public Prosecutor's Office with his lawyers and gave a statement. At the same time, "insulting a police officer" Midyat 1. He could not attend the first hearing of the case in which he was tried at the Criminal Court of First Instance. The court adjourned the case to February 10, 2026. Değer is on trial for her reaction to the sexist insults of the police against her

during her news coverage.

**25: Erzincan** Five of the six defendants tried for the attack on the women's and LGBTI+ protest on March 8, 2023, were acquitted; to a defendant "threat" He was sentenced to -1 year and 3 months in prison with a reduction for the crime. Women's organizations reacted to the decision by criticizing impunity.

25: Istanbul Academician Cenk Yiğiter, who was dismissed on the grounds that he was a signatory of the Peace Declaration, was sentenced to "insulting the president" 20. In the case at the Criminal Court of First Instance, he was sentenced to 1 year 5 months and 15 days in prison and the announcement of the verdict was not deferred.

**26: Istanbul** Metropolitan Mayor Ekrem İmamoğlu, TELE1 Editor-in-Chief Merdan Yanardağ and consultant Necati Özkan, within the scope of TCK 328 "*Political Espionage*" He was arrested by the Criminal Judge of Peace on duty.

27: Istanbul The Chief Prosecutor's Office "Istanbul is Yours" and "IMM Hanem" 6 of the 15 people detained in the investigation into their practices were arrested on charges of unlawfully obtaining personal data and "membership in a profit-oriented criminal organization". Seven people were placed under judicial control, while one person was released.

27: Konya In the operations carried out in 9 provinces, including Ankara, Istanbul and Izmir, within the scope of the investigation carried out by the Chief Prosecutor's Office, the Turkish Armed Forces "Intimate structuring20 people were detained. Efforts are underway to catch 5 suspects.

**28: Istanbul** Piri Reis University lecturer Eda Saraç reacted to the barriers set up due to President Erdoğan's convoy because she was late for the theater play in Harbiye on October 25. Saraç on October 27 "Insulting the President" He was arrested on the allegation.

**28: Istanbul** Former HDP MP Hüda Kaya was sentenced to 1.5 years in prison on October 28 in the case where she was tried for allegedly having a mobile phone with her while visiting her imprisoned son in Çanakkale Prison in 2022. He must surrender in up to ten days.

28: Izmir

A.Y., a high school student in Menemen, was detained on October 22 for sharing a video on social media of his classmates dancing halay to Kurdish music. After his family was threatened and the video spread rapidly "making propaganda for an organization" İzmir 7. He was arrested by the Criminal Judgeship of Peace.

28: Mersin Simultaneous operations were carried out in 6 provinces within the scope of the investigation carried out against Manavgat Municipality on allegations of bribery, embezzlement and bid rigging. A detention order was issued for 27 people by the order of the Chief Prosecutor's Office; 24 people were caught.

29: Istanbul On November 25, the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women, a lawsuit was filed against 168 women who protested at Tünel and Karaköy Pier in 2024. In the indictment prepared 11 months after the incident, the prosecutor's office stated that 161 women "Opposition to the Law on Meetings and Demonstrations" 3 years for the accusation, and for 7 women "Resistance to the police". The 29th Criminal Court of First Instance accepted the indictment.

**30: Istanbul** About four people working at IMM Smart Urbanization Department and Communication Coordination Center "Unlawful dissemination of personal data" and

"Membership in a criminal organization" A detention decision was taken with the allegations. The Chief Prosecutor's Office said, "Istanbul is Yours" and "IMM Hanem" He claimed that the data of millions of citizens was leaked to the two countries through their applications.

30: Istanbul

Cumhuriyet newspaper's news director Can Uğur was sentenced to 17 June 2025 in an article published on June 17, 2025. "LGS questions were shared in the WhatsApp group before the end of the exam" A lawsuit was filed for the news titled. The first hearing in the case filed with the complaint of the Ministry of National Education was held on January 13, 2026 at the 2nd Criminal Court. It will be held at the Criminal Court of First Instance. The prosecutor's office announced Uğur's news "Creating public concern with false information" Alleged "publicly disseminating misleading information" crime. Minister of National Education Yusuf Tekin also confirmed the allegations in the news, arguing that the questions were "shared unofficially early" but did not affect the integrity of the exam.

31: Ankara

The Constitutional Court ruled that the prison sentence of 1 year and 3 months given to journalist Neşe İdil on the charge of "terrorist propaganda" violated her right to a fair trial. İdil was tried in 2023 for her social media posts and it was decided to postpone the announcement of the verdict against her. The Constitutional Court ruled a violation on the grounds that the verdict could not be reviewed and the defenses were not adequately evaluated, and the file was sent to the Istanbul 22nd Criminal Court for a retrial. He sent it to the Heavy Penalty.

The Constitutional Court has banned a cartoon about Metin Feyzioğlu, former

31: Ankara

President of the Union of Turkish Bar Associations, as "Sluggish" The court ruled that the fine imposed on lawyer Süleyman Sırrı Kuş violated his freedom of expression. Kuş was sentenced to a judicial fine of 3,480 TL for his post on social media in 2019. In its decision, the Constitutional Court emphasized that cartoon is a form of expression containing humor and criticism "Disturbing expressions are also protected" Said. It was decided to hold a retrial and to pay 34 thousand TL for non-pecuniary damages to Kuş. Regarding the period of former mayor Şükrü Sözen in Manavgat Municipality "bribery", "bid rigging" and "Corruption" Three of the 28 suspects who were detained in operations carried out in six provinces on October 28 were arrested. Former deputy mayors Levent Ardıç and Bülent Özgüven and businessman Can Özgüven were arrested, while nine people were released on judicial control conditions. 16 people testified by taking advantage of the effective remorse provisions. Former president Şükrü Sözen was previously arrested within the scope of the same investigation.

31: Antalya

31: Aydin

Writer Ergün Poyraz was released from pre-trial detention due to his social media post about Aydın Metropolitan Municipality Mayor Özlem Çerçioğlu's house. Poyraz quoted a photo of Çerçioğlu's house in his post on October 1 "He took this place from the pockets of the people of Aydın" and was arrested the next day on charges of unlawful acquisition of personal data. In the 5th Criminal Court of First Instance, a ban on leaving the country was imposed on Poyraz. The next hearing is on November 25 Upon the criminal complaint of the Ministry of Family and Social Services, BirGün

editor İlayda Kaya "The state could not protect either of them: The woman was killed,

31: Istanbul

her child is missing" and "You couldn't protect a child" An investigation was launched due to the news titled. Kaya said at the Istanbul Courthouse that "publicly disseminating misleading information", "insulting state institutions" and "Violation of privacy" He testified on the charges.

31: Istanbul

5 of the 4 people detained in the "data leaking" investigation against the Metropolitan Municipality were arrested. The Chief Prosecutor's Office referred 5 suspects to the courthouse in the investigation carried out on the allegation of transferring personal data and location information of 4.7 million users abroad. The Criminal Court of Peace decided to arrest 4 people and release 1 person under judicial control. Within the scope of the investigation "IMM Hanem" It was determined that the ballot box data of 11 million citizens was leaked in the application, and the suspects were on duty at the IMM Smart Urbanization Department and Communication Coordination Center. With the previous arrests, the number of detainees in the file increased to 10.

31: Istanbul

The 61st Criminal Court of First Instance acquitted 109 of the 110 people who were tried for participating in the Saraçhane protests. In its decision, the court referred to Article 34 of the Constitution of the Republic of Turkey and Article 11 of the European Convention on Human Rights and emphasized that the right to assembly and demonstration was violated. In the decision, it was stated that the actions were peaceful and did not constitute a crime. Only one defendant's file was separated in the case. The Saraçhane protests started in March after the arrest of Ekrem İmamoğlu and lasted for days.

31: Istanbul

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In Istanbul, 12 members of the Socialist Party of the Oppressed (ESP) were arrested as part of the investigation. A confidentiality order was imposed on the investigation file. Ibrahim Özkan, advisor to Metropolitan Municipality Mayor Ekrem İmamoğlu, was brought to the Istanbul Courthouse under police escort and his statement was taken. Özkan's lawyer Muhammed Mesut Yıldız said, "There is no detention order for my client, he was just brought to testify." In July, a total of six official drivers were arrested as part of the same investigation, along with Bayram Yıldırım, the driver of İmamoğlu's former advisor Ertan Yıldız. Özkan was appointed as İmamoğlu's political advisor in

31: Mugla

November 2024.

In Bodrum district, CHP city council member N.A. received a bribe from a businessman He was detained on the allegation that he wanted to. In the investigation initiated upon the application of the contractor businessman, the Anti-Smuggling and Organized Crime (KOM) teams detained N.A. It was claimed that N.A demanded a bribe to clear the way to the contractor's construction. The statement procedures of the detained council member continue.

# **3- Other Practices**

01: Istanbul

Hüseyin Günay, NTV's representative in Washington for many years, was fired after his private conversation in the White House garden after the meeting between President Erdoğan and US President Trump was captured on the AP camera. Günay said that the meeting was negative for Turkey and that the USA imposed the

cessation of natural gas purchases from Russia for the sale of fighter jets. He also referred to Foreign Minister Hakan Fidan's remarks about aircraft engines and made statements about the tension within the Erdoğan family and the government. When the conversation, which included abusive words in the conversation, spread on social media, Günay was targeted and dismissed by NTV management

06: Istanbul

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British artist Robbie Williams' concert, which was planned to be held on October 7, was canceled by the governor's office for public safety reasons. It was previously announced that the concert was moved from Festival Park Yenikapı to ITU Stadium. It is learned that journalist Furkan Karabay, who has been detained for 145 days, was taken to a solitary cell in Silivri prison. Karabay, on May 15 "Insulting the President" and "Targeting people who took part in the fight against terrorism" He was arrested on charges, and the prosecutor's office demanded a prison sentence of up to 15 years.

07: Ankara

Meclis TV did not broadcast the Kurdish slogan shouted at a group meeting held in the Turkish Grand National Assembly. The microphones were briefly muted and the broadcast continued silently. The incident took place while female deputies were chanting "Jin, jiyan, azadi".

08: Ankara

The X (Twitter) account of the Sendika.Org news site said, "protection of national security and public order" access was blocked on the grounds of

08: Istanbul

Before the rally to be held by the CHP in Şişli in the evening, the Şişli, Fulya, Shopping Mall and Shopping Mall parking lot exits of the Şişli-Mecidiyeköy Station of the M2 Yenikapı-Hacıosman Metro Line were closed by the decision of the Istanbul Governor's Office.

08: Istanbul

In the first hearing of the trial of 19 young people who were tried for participating in the "Standing Man" protest in Taksim on the 12th anniversary of the Gezi Park protests, the defendants' lawyers reacted when the judge started the hearing without wearing a robe. The judge soon put on his robe and said, "It's 2025, let me wear a wig if you want," Said. At the hearing, the defendants applauded when the lawyers acted out the "Standing Man" protest in practice. While the court lifted the judicial control measures of the defendants, it also lifted the lawyers' "They disrupted the order of the hearing" He gave a warning on the grounds.

09: Ankara

DEM Party Group Deputy Chairmen Gülistan Kılıç Koçyiğit and Sezai Temelli submitted a motion to the Grand National Assembly of Turkey to investigate the responsibility of public officials in the October 10, 2015 Ankara Train Station Massacre. DEM Party İzmir Deputy Burcugül Çubuk, "Ambulances could not pass the TOMAs, the wounded were carried with blankets. Death toll increased due to tear qas," he said, reminding the negligence.

09: Ankara

The Information and Communication Technologies Authority (BTK) has blocked access to 14 more eSIM providers, bringing the number of blocked providers to 37. Among those blocked are esims.io, Global YO, Gorilla eSIM, Jetpac, KnowRoaming, Orbit Mobile, Pocket eSIM, Roafly, Romio, Simfly, Surfroam, VIA eSIM, WorldSIM and YO Mobile. Prof. Dr. Yaman Akdeniz from Bilgi University stated that the BTK decisions were not published and the reasons were not conveyed despite the applications for information. "Arbitrary and unlawful" Stressed.

10: Ankara

DEM Party Şırnak Deputy Nevroz Uysal Aslan said that the disciplinary penalties given to prisoners in Erzincan Prison have turned into a "means of extending execution". Aslan said that the prisoners "degrading search" He stated that they were punished for objecting to the application, and that the annulment decisions of the Erzincan Execution Judgeship were not taken into consideration.

10: Istanbul

Academics for Peace Aslı Aydemir has been in prison for three months for reacting to the attack on Leman magazine on June 30. The court returned the first indictment on the grounds of lack of evidence. A new indictment has not yet been prepared. CHP Deputy Gökçe Gökçen also reacted to the release of the attackers by bringing the issue to the agenda in the Parliament.

11: Ankara

In its 579th week, the Freedom for Sick Prisoners Initiative demanded the immediate release of Hatice Onaran, who is 79% disabled and undergoing cancer treatment. Ömer Faruk Yazmacı, Co-Chair of the Ankara Branch of the Human Rights Association (IHD), stated that Onaran, who is held in Gebze Women's Closed Prison, was prevented from receiving treatment, was forced to be examined in handcuffs, special nutritional conditions were not provided, and the risk of cancer recurrence and spread increased.

13: Istanbul

Cumhuriyet newspaper columnist Barış Terkoğlu's "Did someone say the rule of law?" titled, "National Security" and "Protection of public order" access was blocked on the grounds of The article criticized the unlawful dismissals at the Ministry of National Education and the appointment of the wife of the Ankara Chief Public Prosecutor.

14: Ankara

News about CHP Şanlıurfa Deputy Mahmut Tanal's statements about the Central Union of Agricultural Credit Cooperatives "Protection of national security and public order" access was blocked on the grounds of

15: Istanbul

Academic and writer Emrah Gülsunar was arrested and sent to Metris Prison due to a survey he conducted on his social media account. Gülsunar's lawyers announced that she was forced to sleep on the floor because there were not enough beds in the ward where she stayed.

16: Ankara

The 36th Parliamentary Elections to be held on November 13-21. At the Ankara Film Festival, director Orhan Eskiköy's film "Home" was not included in the competition program on the grounds of "violation of the regulation" despite the request of the preliminary jury. The director stated that he thought he was punished for calling out to President Erdoğan in his speech at the Golden Boll Festival.

16: Ankara

To the news reports that trustees were appointed to the companies of Aziz İhsan Aktaş, who was accused of establishing a criminal organization and later released as a confessor. "National Security" and "Protection of public order" Access was blocked on the grounds that the Aktaş was accused of being the ringleader of the organization in the corruption investigation carried out against people including Beşiktaş Mayor Rıza Akpolat, was arrested in April and released in June.

16: Hakkari

JINNEWS reporter Rabia Önver was targeted and threatened with death by many people on social media after reporting on the allegations about ISIS and Hezbollah

in Hakkari's Yüksekova and Şemdinli districts.

16: Istanbul

Galatasaray University student Bekir Aslan, known as "Basel", was sentenced to 1 year and 6 months in prison for sharing the image of the "DEV-GENZ" banner on his social media account. Istanbul 13. Heavy Penalty sharing "Terrorist organization propaganda" Singled out. Aslan had previously been detained for 77 days for the same post

16: Kırklareli

Safiye Yaşa, who lost her daughter and son-in-law in the flood disaster in Igneada in 2023, was sentenced to two days of disciplinary imprisonment for reacting to the court panel at the hearing of the "Sisli Vadisi" case on October 16. Yaşa fell ill and was taken to the hospital. His lawyers objected to the decision. The decision, which drew reaction, was lifted upon the petition of Yaşa's lawyer. It was learned that Minister of Justice Yılmaz Tunç was also interested in the issue. In the concluded case, the owner of the business was sentenced to 18 years in prison, two defendants were sentenced to 7 years and 6 months each, and one defendant was acquitted.

16: Mardin

About JINNEWS News Director Öznur Değer, "Resistance to the officer on duty" An investigation was launched by the Kızıltepe Chief Public Prosecutor's Office with the allegation. Değer said that he was tortured, the door was broken with a battering ram, his throat was squeezed and he was threatened with death during the police raid on February 7, and after the criminal complaint he filed against the police officers, this investigation "Continuation of the revenge operation" Said. An investigation was also opened against his mother and sister within the scope of the same file.

16: Mersin

On the night of October 15, the DEM Party Toroslar District Organization building was attacked with stones. With the intervention of the residents, the attacker was caught and detained.

17: Istanbul

Journalist Şule Aydın announced on Onlar TV that they received a report that there was an attack plan against her and journalist Murat Ağırel and that they filed a criminal complaint with the prosecutor's office on this issue.

17: Istanbul

CHP's presidential candidate and Istanbul Metropolitan Mayor Ekrem İmamoğlu, who is imprisoned in Silivri Prison, "bid rigging" His request to make his defense face-to-face in the case was rejected. The court reversed its previous decision and decided that İmamoğlu should make his defense via SEGBİS. The case will be heard on October 24. In İmamoğlu's three-year trial, the case continues, although no criminal elements were found in two expert reports.

18: Ankara

The Gendarmerie General Command detained a person named D.A., who was determined to have liked a video printed on the Turkish flag on social media. In the investigation of the Cyber Department, it was determined that D.A. was doing his military service at the Ankara Provincial Gendarmerie Command, was discharged on October 10, 2025, and liked the post on October 17. It is reported that D.A. was banned from service for 6 days in accordance with the Turkish Armed Forces Disciplinary Law No. 6413 due to the posts he made during his military service.

18: Istanbul

Businessman Osman Kavala, who has been imprisoned in Silivri Prison for eight years, said in an interview with DW Turkish, "After the President criticized the

acquittal, the judicial process turned into an arbitrary punishment activity, and the law went off the rails." Kavala, who was detained on October 18, 2017 and arrested on November 1, 2017, was acquitted in the Gezi trial in 2020 and re-arrested on the same day for another case. Despite the ECtHR's decision that "he should be released immediately", his detention continues. Kavala also criticized the Council of Europe's failure to take concrete steps for three years, saying, "This not only damages my freedom, but also the binding nature of the European legal system" used the phrases.

20: Aydin

Writer Ergün Poyraz was arrested on October 1 on the grounds of violating the KVK Law upon the complaint of Metropolitan Mayor Özlem Çerçioğlu. His lawyer Mustafa Hüseyin Buzoğlu announced that Poyraz was admitted to Aydın State Hospital on October 17 due to diabetes, that there was a risk of amputation of his leg and that he lost consciousness on October 20. The family stated that they could not access their medical reports and requested urgent evacuation.

20: Kırşehir

Cemil İvrendi, who was arrested and sentenced to life imprisonment in 1994 at the age of 31, has still not been released despite completing his 30-year execution period. The release of 62-year-old İvrendi, who was held in Kırşehir S Type Prison, was postponed three times for 6 months. İvrendi, who has four chronic diseases such as heart failure, hypertension, high cholesterol and anal fistula, "They almost say to me, 'Cemil, die'. They are waiting for my death" Says. His daughter Dilan İvrendi stated that her father was being held in prison unlawfully and that he needed to undergo several surgeries urgently.

21: Ankara

DEM Party Mêrdin Deputy Saliha Aydeniz brought the prison sentence of 3 years, 4 months and 15 days given to JINNEWS News Director Öznur Değer to the agenda of the Parliament. In the parliamentary question she submitted with the request of Minister of Justice Yılmaz Tunç to answer, Aydeniz asked about the increasing judicial pressure against Kurdish women journalists and the lawsuits filed due to their news content, and emphasized that the sentencing of women journalists without attending the hearings violates the right to defense.

21: Ankara

Fansly, the platform where content producers offer exclusive content in exchange for subscriptions, was blocked by the decision of the Information and Communication Technologies Authority. Fansly was previously blocked by a similar decision of the BTK on December 10, 2024.

22: Istanbul

New X-ray and security restrictions have been imposed on lawyers entering the Terrorism and Organized Crime Investigation Bureau in Istanbul and Anatolian Courts of Justice. Istanbul Bar Association, "Unlawful understanding that pushes the defense out of the judicial systemHe reacted by saying ", calling on all lawyers to show solidarity.

23: Istanbul

In his statement from prison, TiP deputy Can Atalay reminded the Constitutional Court's decision of violation of rights two years ago and called out to the Speaker of the Grand National Assembly of Turkey, Numan Kurtulmuş, "The registration of Deputy Can Atalay in the Parliamentary Register is waiting for a signature from the Speaker of the Assembly." Despite the decision of the Constitutional Court dated

October 25, 2023. Supreme Court 3. The Criminal Chamber did not implement the decision, after which the Parliament dismissed his deputyship on January 30, 2024. An investigation has been launched against five university students who protested the naming of the newly established Institute of Seed Science and Technology at Ege University after Emine Erdoğan. In the action organized by the Student Collectives on October 10, students threw blue paint on the institute sign, stating that the decision was an attack on the autonomy of the university. "Olive grove killer, get out of my university" banner

News about the protests of students demanding an effective investigation into the suspicious death of Yüzüncü Yıl University student Rojin Kabaiş, 2. With the decision of the Criminal Judgeship of Peace "Protection of national security and public order" access was blocked on the grounds of Previously, social media posts about Rojin Kabaiş's death were blocked at the request of the Rectorate of Yüzüncü Yıl University. Thus, censorship of news and posts about the incident was expanded.

The 4th Criminal Court of Peace blocked access to journalist Devrim Gürkan's post containing backstage information about RTÜK President Ebubekir Şahin.

IHD Branch Co-Chair Nurşat Yeşil stated that there are constant inspections at the

entrances and exits of the city, neighborhoods and village roads, that these actions violate the privacy of private life and freedom of travel, and create a feeling of pressure and surveillance in the public, and demanded an end to the practice. SOL Genç's backup X account, which he opened after his accounts were blocked by

a court order, was also suspended by the platform. The group had previously announced that their Instagram accounts were closed after their X accounts were blocked twice by court order.

The investigation against suspended IMM President Ekrem Imamoğlu, campaign

The investigation against suspended IMM President Ekrem İmamoğlu, campaign director Necati Özkan and journalist Merdan Yanardağ "Espionage" In the investigation, it was decided to take İmamoğlu to the courthouse on October 26 for a statement. CHP executives considered the investigation as a political operation and calls for solidarity were made in front of the courthouse.

Cemil İvrindi, who was in S Type Prison, was prevented from being released for the third time, although he completed his 30-year execution on October 15, 2024. Ivindi has heart, hypertension and anal fistula diseases.

The claim that statements about Turkey were removed from Berardi's book 'The Second Coming', published by Ketebe Publications, created controversy. Translator Ali Karatay said that he submitted the text in full, that the expressions were "trimmed" in the edition, and demanded an apology from the publisher and the editor. While the publishing house remained silent, Berardi and the British publisher stated that they were investigating the issue.

6 students were detained after a halay video with Kurdish music shot in the classroom at Haldun Koşay Anatolian High School was targeted, and the student who shared the video was arrested. DEM Party Deputy Yılmaz Hun gave a parliamentary question to the Minister of Interior and asked about the legal basis

23: Izmir

23: Van

24: Ankara

24: Dersim

24: Istanbul

25: Istanbul

25: Kırşehir

27: Istanbul

27: Izmir

of the proceedings and the evidence of arrest. Lawyer Zeynep Sedef Özdoğan stated that Asmin Yıldız, the valedictorian of the school, was detained in Aliağa Şakran Women's Prison and that she was arrested despite the video being removed on social media after the lynching and demanded her release.

28: Ankara

DEM Party Muş Deputy Sümeyye Boz brought the opening of an investigation and access bans to the news about the suspicious death of Rojin Kabaiş to the agenda of the Parliament on October 28. Boz stated that the investigations launched against journalists and the blocking of posts with #RojinİçinAdalet tags violate the freedom of the press and expression and demanded a response from Minister of Justice Yılmaz Tunç.

28: Ankara

The X account of Food Detective, which has millions of users, has been closed to access. It was known that the account, which examined the product contents and shared them with the public, was the subject of legal processes after the discussions with the manufacturers.

28: Ankara

On October 28, DEM Party Diyarbakır Deputy Serhat Eren brought to the agenda of the Parliament the prison sentence of 1 year and 3 months given to journalist-writer Ruhi Karadağ for promoting his book "Speechless Talking: Yaralı Yonca (Nefela Birîndar)" published in 2013 on social media.

28: Corum

While the lawsuit filed against the quarry project in Karakaya Village of Sungurlu district continued, construction equipment started to work accompanied by the gendarmerie. The villagers resisted the quarry, which was only 100 meters away. It was stated that 3.5 million tons of stone will be produced annually in the project and blasting will be carried out 191 times.

30: Istanbul

The systematic violence and the latest attack on journalist Ezgi Soysal was brought to the agenda of the Parliament by DEM Party Istanbul Deputy Celal Fırat. It was stated that although Soysal applied to CIMER, municipalities and the police station many times, no protection measures were taken. Soysal was attacked by a group of ten people in front of his house on October 28 and severely beaten.

31: Giresun

Ziraat Turkish Cup 3. The match between Giresun representative 1926 Bulancakspor and Alagöz Holding Iğdir FK in the Qualifying Round witnessed an environmental protest. In the match at Bulancak District Stadium, fans reacted to mining activities in the region "Iğdir welcome, Alagöz get out" chanted. Members of Giresun Bulancak Piraziz Environment and Nature Association also opened banners in the stands "Poisoner Alagöz, get out of Giresun" He joined the protest with the slogan. Security forces warned the group chanting slogans to remove the banner

31: Van

Journalists were prevented from entering the press statement for Rojin Kabaiş, who disappeared at Yüzüncü Yıl University. With the decision of the governor's office, members of the press and civil society representatives were not allowed into the campus. DEM Party Co-Chair Tülay Hatimoğulları, HDK Co-Spokesperson Meral Danış Beştaş, Rojin Kabaiş's family and non-governmental organizations in the city wanted to participate in the statement. While intense security measures were taken around the campus, many students continued to wait in the area.

## 4- OTHER REPORTS

10: Ankara

On the 10th anniversary of the October 10 Ankara Massacre, the lawyers of the case published a report titled "10 Years in Search of Justice". The report reveals that although the massacre was preventable, the state did not take the necessary security measures and public officials were not included in the trial.

31: Paris

Reporters Without Borders (RSF) included President Recep Tayyip Erdoğan in the category of "legal pressures" in its list of "Enemies of Press Freedom", which it announced for the first time since 2021. In the statement, it was stated that 20 journalists have been arrested in Turkey since the beginning of the year and three journalists are still in prison, and that journalists in Turkey "dissemination of misleading information", "terrorist propaganda" and "Insulting the President" It was stated that he was systematically targeted with accusations. In addition to Erdogan, Putin, Aliyev, Orban and Khamenei are also on the list. RSF also defined the Israeli army for attacks on journalists in Gaza, "enemy of the press in the field of security".