

HATE MONITOR

APRIL 2016

Hate-motivated incidents are often violent manifestations of intolerance which instil fear and divide communities. Tackling underlying prejudice is essential in combating the spread of these divisive actions. The OSCE Mission to BiH supports the work of government institutions, the criminal justice system, local authorities and civil society to effectively respond to these incidents. The Hate Monitor provides a monthly update on incidents and responses throughout BiH.

HATE INCIDENTS

HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS THIS MONTH

11

TYPES OF INCIDENTS



RESPONSES

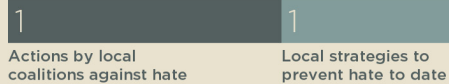
RESPONSES TO HATE INCIDENTS THIS MONTH

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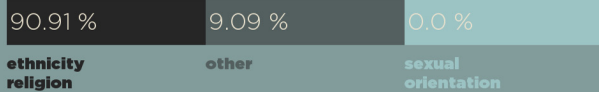
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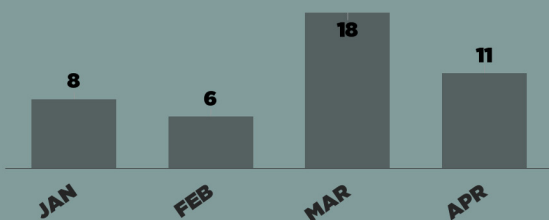
PREVENTION



VICTIM CHARACTERISTICS:



HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS SINCE JANUARY 2016: 43



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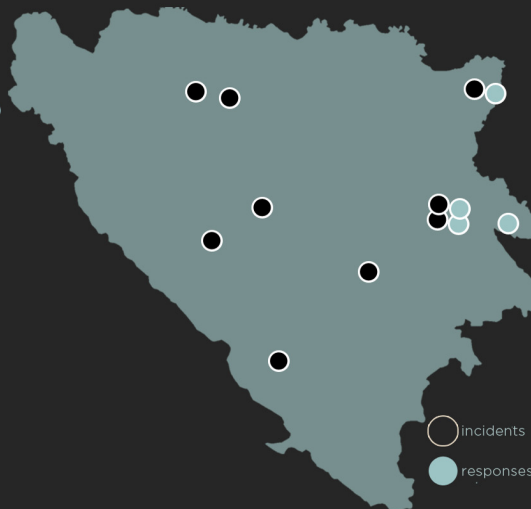


HATE CRIME CASES

Trials Ongoing	8
Convictions in 2016	0
Acquittals in 2016	0

INCIDENTS / RESPONSES THIS MONTH

Banja Luka 1 / 0	Bijeljina 2 / 1
Čelinac 1 / 0	Ist. Novo Saraj. 1 / 0
Kupres 1 / 0	Milići 1 / 1
Mostar 2 / 0	Novi Travnik 1 / 0
Srebrenica 0 / 3	Vlasenica 1 / 2



Highlighted

On 11 April, the Coalition against Hate from Srebrenica condemned the way the ICTY acquittal of Vojislav Šešelj was publically celebrated in Srebrenica. The provocative celebration was organized by Serb Radical Party from Bratunac. Members of the Coalition invited relevant institutions to act and demonstrate that such a disturbance of citizens and public peace and order is not acceptable.

The Hate Monitor provides an update on all hate-motivated incidents and responses known to the OSCE Mission to BiH at the time of publishing the report each month.