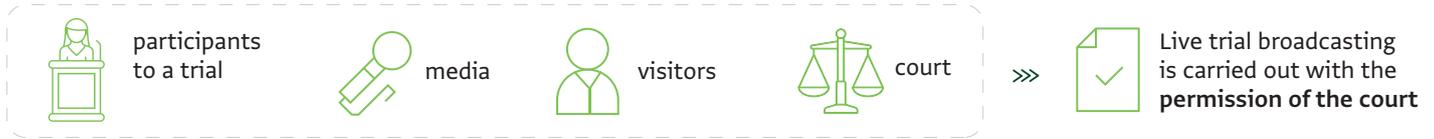


# BROADCASTS AND COMMENTARY OF PUBLIC COURT HEARINGS IN UKRAINE



## Public trial can be broadcast by



### LIVE TRIAL BROADCASTING VIA COURT TECHNICAL FACILITIES

- Citizens may apply to the court for the organization and conduct of live trial broadcasting via court technical facilities
- The court may authorize live trial broadcasting
- Court hearings are broadcast with video cameras installed in the courtrooms
- Live broadcasting via court technical facilities is carried out in cases of public interest
- Broadcasts can be viewed on [YouTube bit.ly/2yETXYf](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bit.ly/2yETXYf)
- The Judicial Power of Ukraine web portal
- In order to organize live trial broadcasting the court independently sends information about it to the State Enterprise "Information Law Systems" not later than **3** working days prior to the hearing.
- All information about current, scheduled broadcasts and their archives can be viewed on the Judicial Power of Ukraine web portal: [court.gov.ua/affairs/online](http://court.gov.ua/affairs/online)
- Live trial broadcasting via court technical facilities was initiated through the fruitful cooperation of CSOs, lawyers, the Council of Judges of Ukraine, the State Judicial Administration of Ukraine and the Press Service of the bodies of judicial self-government.
- The first live trial broadcasting over the Internet via court technical facilities was held on July 6, 2015 in the Svyatoshinsky District Court of Kyiv in case No. 759/3498/15-k of "Killings on 02/20/2014 during the Maidan events".

live trial broadcasting via court technical facilities has been conducted in **18** oblasts

In total were conducted **102** broadcasts in **48** courts

### COMMENTING ON COURT HEARINGS BY COURT COMMENTATORS OF THE "TRIAL IN SIMPLE WORDS" PROJECT.

In June 2015, the "Trial In Simple Words" project was created, which is a mechanism for commenting on litigation to protect the right to a fair trial and educational work in this area.

**Trial commentators** — are lawyers, jurists and legal experts in the field of legal proceedings who have been trained and selected.

are committed to the principles of:

- objectivity
- neutrality
- apoliticity
- non-discrimination

See all comments here: [YouTube goo.gl/OcuwBS](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=goo.gl/OcuwBS)

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