

**Section 1. Current list of journalists killed and legal investigations**

<b>Name of journalist</b>	<b>Gender</b>	<b>Date of alleged murder</b>	<b>Investigating authority</b>	<b>Case number</b>	<b>Current status</b>	<b>Verdict</b>	<b>Additional remarks</b>
Ilya Zimin	Male	26-Feb-2006	Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation	Unavailable due to Russian legislation	Case under official investigation. Materials of the criminal proceedings and evidence collected against the citizen of Moldova Igor Velchev were sent to the Attorney-General's Office of the Republic of Moldova on 13 July 2006 for Mr. Velchev's criminal prosecution.	Moldovan Oknitsk District Court delivered a not guilty verdict	

Gadzhi Abashilov	Male	21-Mar-2008	Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation	Unavailable due to Russian legislation	Criminal case is under official investigation, measures are being applied to identify the perpetrators.		
Shafiq Amrakhov	Male	19-Jan-2009	Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation	Unavailable due to Russian legislation	Criminal case is under official investigation, measures are being applied to identify the perpetrators.		
Shamil Aliyev	Male	5-May-2010	Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation	Unavailable due to Russian legislation	Criminal case is under official investigation, a series of investigative and police operations are carried out.		

Hadzhimurad Kamalov	Male	15-Dec-2011	Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation	Unavailable due to Russian legislation	The criminal case was sent to court for consideration (4 accused – Murad Shuaybov, Magomed Hazamov, Magomed Abigasanov and Shamil Isaev). The trial is in progress.		
Akhmednabi Akhmednabiyev	Male	9-Jul-2013	Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation	Unavailable due to Russian legislation	Criminal case is under official investigation, measures are being applied to identify the perpetrators.		

Dmitry Popkov	Male	24-May-2017	Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation	Unavailable due to Russian legislation	Criminal case was investigated and brought to court. The murder of Mr. Popov is not related to his professional activities. So far 3 persons of interest have been identified as involved in murder of Mr. Popkov (Viktor Shestakov, Nikolai Goryunov and Isa Hashiev). The trial is in progress.		
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## Section 2: Positive or Innovative Measures taken to promote safety of journalists and combat impunity

Activity	Actors	Outcome(s)
11-16 September 2021, Sochi (Krasnodar Krai) – XXV Forum of Modern Journalism «All Russia 2021»	Government officials, regional authorities, editors-in-chief, heads of media outlets, foreign, national and local journalists, political analysts and experts	- Practical conversation on sensitive subjects of modern journalism during master classes and round tables
13-22 September 2021, Anapa (Krasnodar Krai) – the first phase of annual safety of journalists training session «Bastion»	Officials from Foreign Ministry, Defense Ministry, Ministry of Internal Affairs, Emergencies Ministry, security services, journalists	- Training session for journalists working in high-risk zones - Journalists received professional advice how to tackle crisis situations
1-11 October 2021, Vladivostok (Primorsky Krai) – the second phase of annual safety of journalists training session «Bastion»	Officials from Foreign Ministry, Defense Ministry, Ministry of Internal Affairs, Emergencies Ministry, security services, journalists	- Training session for journalists working in high-risk zones - Journalists received professional advice how to tackle crisis situations

## Section 3: Steps taken to consider the specific risks faced by women journalists in the exercise of their work

The Russian Federation respects the fundamental principles formulated in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, including articles 1, 2, etc. This means that the rights and the due protection are guaranteed to all the citizens equally and without any discrimination, which also includes the approach adopted by the Russian Federation as far as the risks faced by journalists in the exercise of their work are concerned.

## Section 4: Agreement to post the submitted information on UNESCO's dedicated webpage

The Russian Federation gives its consent to post the above mentioned information on UNESCO's dedicated webpage.