

**Program of seminar**  
**“State and prospects for development of cooperation in criminal law sphere**  
**between law-enforcement bodies of the Russian Federation**  
**and competent authorities of foreign states, including in the context**  
**of new challenges and threats”**

(15A, Bolshaya Dmitrovka Street, Moscow, February 19, 2021)

**Opening of the seminar**

- 10.00 – 10.10 Welcoming speech of Mr. **Nikolay VINNICHENKO**, Deputy Prosecutor General of the Russian Federation
- 10.10 – 10.15 Welcoming speech of Mr. **Pyotr GORODOV**, Head of the General Department of International Legal Cooperation
- 10.15 – 10.20 Welcoming speech of Mr. **Mikhail LOBOV**, Head of Human Rights Policy and Co-operation Department, Directorate General Human Rights and Rule of Law, Council of Europe

**Session 1**

**Problems of cross-border electronic evidence gathering in criminal investigations**

- 10.30 – 10.40 Presentation by Mr. **Peter POLT**, Prosecutor General of Hungary (video)
- 10.40 – 11.00 Presentation by Mr. **Pyotr LITVISHKO**, Deputy Head, General Department of International Legal Cooperation – Head, Legal and Law Enforcement Assistance Department, Prosecutor General’s Office of the Russian Federation, Moderator. *“Problems of cross-border electronic evidence gathering in criminal investigations”*.
- 11.00 – 11.10 Presentation by Ms. **Gea Wind**, Police Liaison Officer, Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in the Russian Federation. *“Ensuring electronic traces preservation in the Kingdom of the Netherlands with the purpose of their further using in Russian criminal investigations, and relevant legislative challenges”*.
- 11.10 – 11.20 Presentation by Mr. **Konstantin KOMARDA**, Head, Division for Cybercrime and High-Tech Investigations, Main Investigations Directorate, Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation
- 11.20 – 11.30 Presentation by Mr. **Temirlan SALIKHOV**, Head, Second division of the Second department of forensic support of the investigation of the technical and forensic department of the Main Directorate of Criminalistics, Investigative Committee of the Russian Federation
- 11.30 – 11.50 Discussion
- 11.50 – 12.20 Coffee-break

## Session 2

### **Practical aspects of cooperation with competent authorities of foreign states in the sphere of extradition of persons for criminal prosecution or execution of a sentence**

- 12.20 – 12.30 Presentation by Mr. **Sergey GORLENKO**, Head, Extradition Department, General Department of International Legal Cooperation, Prosecutor General's Office of the Russian Federation, Moderator. *“Practical aspects of cooperation with competent authorities of foreign states in the sphere of extradition of persons for criminal prosecution or execution of a sentence”*.
- 12.30 – 12.40 Presentation by Mr. **Vasily LUKASHEVICH**, Non-Judicial Rapporteur, Senior Lawyer at the European Court of Human Rights. *“Actual risk of torture and inhuman treatment, as a ground for refusing extradition: principles and methodology of risk assessment”*.
- 12.40 – 12.50 Presentation by Mr. **Mehmet YERLIKAYA**, Counsellor for Legal Affairs of the Embassy of the Republic of Turkey in the Russian Federation, Liaison Officer of the Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Turkey. *“Practical issues of cooperation with competent authorities of foreign states in extradition of persons for criminal prosecution”*.
- 12.50 – 13.00 Presentation by Mr. **Pavel SMIRNOV**, Leading Researcher, Division for Scientific Support of International Cooperation of Prosecution Service and Comparative Law, Research Institute of the University of the Prosecutor's Office of the Russian Federation. *“Double standards of criminal procedure enforcement in extradition legal relations”*.
- 13.00 – 13.20 Discussion

### **Completion of the seminar**

- 13.20 – 13.30 Presentation by Mr. **Petr SICH**, Head of the Council of Europe Programme Office in the Russian Federation
- 13.30 – 13.40 Presentation by Ms. **Yekaterina GORBATOVA**, Senior Counsellor, Department of European Cooperation, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation
- 13.40 – 13.45 Closing remarks by Mr. **Sergey PLOKHOV**, Deputy Head, General Department of International Legal Cooperation – Head, Organizational and Legal Department, Prosecutor General's Office of the Russian Federation
- 13.45 Closing of the seminar