OPCAT follow-up visit

to the Nagymágocs Castle Home for the Elderly (Gesztenyeliget Care Center of Csongrád-Csanád County)

May 22, 2023

On May 22, 2023 staff members of the Commissioner for Fundamental Rights of Hungary, responsible for performing the tasks of the OPCAT National Preventive Mechanism, paid an unannounced visit to the to the institution.



The purpose of the visit was to examine the general circumstances, the living conditions and treatment of the persons living in the institution, furthermore, regarding the realization of the recommendations of the previous report. (No. AJB-406/2018).







The members of the visiting group conducted interviews with the residents, the members of the staff and the management, and they also reviewed the relevant documentation. The visiting team has inspected the dormitories of the residents and the other facilities of the institution.

The visiting team consisted of the following members:

- dr. Dóra Deák-Kondákor, lawyer
- dr. Norbert Mézes, lawyer
- dr. István Sárközy, lawyer

The National Preventive Mechanism will prepare a report on the visit.