



## How to find a case of interest

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There are several ways to find information about cases which are either ongoing or which have already been decided.

The [HUDOC](#) database has all kinds of publicly available documents, including judgments, decisions, and cases which have been notified (“communicated”) to the Government. It allows you to filter your search in the pane on the left.

If you know the application number of a case you are interested in, you can see the state of proceedings [here](#).

If you think a particular application has been lodged, but have no other details and have not been able to find it using the tools above, you can send a question to the press office ([echrpess@echr.coe.int](mailto:echrpess@echr.coe.int)). If it is possible to confirm, we will provide the application name and number.

We have [country files](#), which have cases grouped under themes and which include some pending cases of interest. There is also a weekly [press release](#) on forthcoming judgments and decisions and separate press releases on forthcoming Grand Chamber judgments and hearings.

If you wish to read the case file attached to a particular application you can apply [here](#). Please note that any such consultation has to take place at the Human Rights Building in Strasbourg.

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