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DECISION

No. 50

***On compliance of candidate for the
position of the member of the High Council of Justice
Kostenko Vladyslav Hennadiiovych
with the professional ethics and integrity criteria
for filling in the position of the member of the High Council of Justice***

The Ethics Council consisting of Chair of the Ethics Council Lev Kyshakevych, Deputy Chair of the Ethics Council Sir Anthony Hooper, members of the Ethics Council: Robert Cordy, Volodymyr Siverin, Lavly Perling, Yurii Triasun, remotely by videoconference, having conducted evaluation of compliance of candidate for the position of the member of the High Council of Justice, having conducted evaluation of compliance of candidate for the position of the member of the High Council of Justice Vladyslav Hennadiiovych Kostenko with the criteria of professional ethics and integrity, according to the Law of Ukraine “On the High Council of Justice”, the Rules of Procedure of the Ethics Council adopted by the Ethics Council’s Decisions No. 1 of 01.12.2021 and No. 4 of 09.12.2021, as amended by the Ethics Council’s Decision No. 4 of 26.04.2022, Methodology for assessing compliance of the candidate for the position of a member of the High Council of Justice and sitting members of the

High Council of Justice with the criterion of professional ethics and integrity adopted by the Ethics Council's Decision No. 5 of 09.12.2021,

has established:

The Ethics Council received copies of documents of Vladyslav Hennadiiovych Kostenko for participation in the competition for the position of the member of the High Council of Justice as nominated by the Congress of Judges and admitted him to the interview with its Decision No. 6 of 21.12.2021.

Having studied documents provided by Vladyslav Hennadiiovych Kostenko for participating in the competition, his written explanations and documents provided upon the Ethics Council's request, information obtained from open sources and from civil society organizations, information received from the National Agency for Corruption Prevention ("the NACP") and the National Anti-Corruption Bureau of Ukraine ("the NABU"), having conducted the interview with him, the Ethics Council has reached a conclusion that candidate for the position of the member of the High Council of Justice Vladyslav Hennadiiovych Kostenko complies with the criteria of professional ethics and integrity for filling in the position of the member of the High Council of Justice as set out by Article 9¹(16) of the Law of Ukraine "On the High Council of Justice".

Being governed by Rules 2.3, 3.1, 3.2, and 3.16.2 of the Ethics Council's Rules of Procedure, Methodology for assessing compliance of the candidate for the position of a member of the High Council of Justice and sitting members of the High Council of Justice with the criterion of professional ethics and integrity, Article 9¹ of the Law of Ukraine "On the High Council of Justice", Final and Transitional Provisions of the Law of Ukraine "On Introducing Amendments into Some Legislative Bills of Ukraine Regarding the Procedure of Election (Appointment) to Positions of Members of the High Council of Justice and

Activities of Disciplinary Inspectors of the High Council of Justice”, the Ethics Council

has decided:

to recognize candidate for the position of the member of the High Council of Justice Vladyslav Hennadiiovych Kostenko as compliant with the professional ethics and integrity criteria for filling in the position of the member of the High Council of Justice.

Chair

(signed)

Lev Kyshakevych