

The opportunities of PMC in Hungary according to the opinions of the prosecutors

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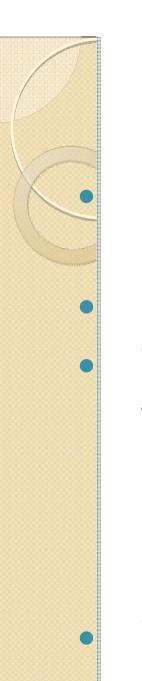




- Following the focus group meetings with judges
- 1st March 20 prosecutors
- 3main part:
 - Literature review, what PMC means, how it works etc.
 - Show the pilot cases, Hungarian way of PMC
 - Responses, new ideas, opinions



- Openness
- It is very new, different
- The role of prosecutors
- Institutional question (mediation vs. PMC)
- Recidivism rate
- Selection of cases
- Role of facilitator
- Community



Doubts: how compatible with the principle of legality?

in connection with the role of the prosecutor in the PMC

Confidentiality of the circle meeting

The impact of the role of the charge and the observing function

new fact/damning evidence comes out???? the prosecutors represent the state

The position and outcome of the PMC (instead or together with the off.

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⇒Opinions:

- VOM works very well **needn't** a new one e.g. PMC
- PMC is a kind of VOM
- VOM more cases, more actors ⇒ new regulation
 - The prosecutor has not time It's not the **task** of the procesutor to take part in the procedure of PMC:

the choose/refer cases and concrete operating ⇒ the job of mediator

