

**Law No. 729-VII of 16 January 2014** On Amendments to the Criminal Code of Ukraine Regarding Liability for the Denial or Justification of the Crimes of Fascism [*Pro vnesennya zmini do Kriminal'nogo kodeksu Ukraini shchodo vidpovidal'nosti za zaperechennya chi vidpravdannya zlochiniv fashizmu*].

**Law No. 728-VII of 16 January 2014** On Amendments to Article 297 of the Criminal Code of Ukraine regarding liability for desecration or destruction of monuments, erected in memory of ones, who fought Nazism during the Second World War – Soviet soldiers-liberators, members of the guerilla movements, members of the underground, Nazi persecution victims, as well as internationalist soldiers and peacemakers.

Both of these two laws stayed into force less than a month (until February 2, 2014) due to public pressure that pushed the legislator to adopt a norm “On ceasing to be in force of certain Laws in Ukraine” [Law 732-VII of January 28, 2014]. However, on the same day (January 28, 2014) the Ukrainian legislator passed once again both memorial bills with the same content and same names [Law No. 734-VII and No. 735-VII January 28, 2014].