

Training at Struga

Training on the topic *Human rights concept and legal standards for protection of minority rights* was delivered for Delcevo region by Igor Tasevski and Talija Baboska, a team from Center for Civic Initiative, Prilep. It was realized from 16th to 18th May, 2008. The training contained topics such as human rights concept, definition of minority and situation with minorities in Macedonia, United nations' instruments, Council of Europe, European Union and OSCE' instruments, protection of the rights of minorities in Macedonia and Badinteer principle.

18 representatives of NGOs, LG and public institutions from Delcevo, Berovo, Pehcevo, Makedonska Kamenica, Vinica, Cesinovo and Kocani participated in this training, organized by NGOSC Delcevo. The trainers responded to participants' expectations and they realized with the participants some exercises for better understanding of the concept for human rights and freedom, the rights of the ethnic communities and their protection, the institutions that are competent for protection of human rights of ethnic communities. The participants were very positive and creative in realization of the practical exercises. The evaluation lists for the training contained positive comments, as well.