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Monetary Sanctions in German Welfare System

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

since the year 2005 there is a novel legislation on welfare in Germany. Originally it was intended to give people money for their living if they are unemployed. It is just enough not getting hungry and just enough for renting a small flat. It is significantly below the level of relative poverty compared to german economical power.

In most modern western countries like Germany having a monetary income is the only way to get home and food for his living legally. Therefore a minimum amount of monetary income is necessary for surviving.

In spite of that in Germany this minimum amount of money depends on many conditions which are written in the law.

For example unemployed people in Germany are enforced to sign contracts with the execution office. These contracts restrict the unemployed people concerning their basic rights which are written in the constitutional law of Germany. If they do not want to follow these rules monetary welfare can be dropped by the execution officer completely!

This means that these people are threatened by getting hungry and getting homeless because they could have no money for their living anymore.

By threatening unemployed people getting hungry and homeless and making them beeing afraid of this they are enforced to take jobs with very low wages at welfare level and at bad conditions so they can not get rid of poverty even if they are employed.

If an execution officer drops the monetary welfare of an unemployed completely he will not take care of that person anymore. This means the officer does not care of what will happen with that person after beeing monetarily sanctioned.

These sanctions are always executed immediatly even if the sanctioned person complains about it at a court. This rule is explicitly written in the law. This means that the sanctioned person in fact has no chance because he will be struggling for surviving.

Currently in Germany there are permantly up to approximately 10 000 persons sanctioned to- tally. Since 2005 probably up to 46 people died because of a sanction, for example by suizide,

hunger or homelessness.

In my opinion some actors of all three constitutional institutes legislative, jurisdiction and executive break the basic rights of the constitutional law of Germany. The legislation introduced this law on social welfare in 2005 and did not change it in principal since then. Since 2005 there are many more complaints about sanctions than ever before. But the judges of the courts are not willing to see that this law breaks basic rights. And the execution officers execute sanctions although they are aware of that this is an act of inhumanity.

Furthermore the execution officers break many rules of criminal law for example if they threaten unemployed people by the evil of loss of living, or if they execute sanctions they endanger them getting hungry and homeless and the execution officers therefore endanger health and life of the unemployed.

I complained about these sanctions at german prosecutors in vain. They all rejected prosecuting although it is so obvious that dropping welfare breaks basic rights and rules of criminal law.

With this letter I am sending to you a DVD containing all documents of my complaints to german prosecutors and their answers so you can find their names and the file numbers. In my letters to the german prosecutors you can find my arguments in detail concerning to german constitutional law and criminal law.

Summarily I accuse all responsible actors of the constitutional institutes of Germany of breaking the rule of humanity and having established a novel form of slavery.

In Germany there are currently approximately 3 million people unemployed. Another 3 million people are pushed back to jobs with poor wages and another hundrets of thousand people simply do not appear in the statistics on unemployment for several reasons so the statistics looks fine at first glance.

Of course I am aware that in other countries things go much worse than in Germany. But if we accepted this situation on the long run we would get further declinings of social standards which we had reached once.

Yours sincerely,