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Mr Serhiy Holovaty

Acting Chairman

of the Constitutional Court of Ukraine

Dear Colleagues and Friends, dear Justices,

On behalf of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Lithuania and personally, let me once again express our deep solidarity with the Constitutional Court of Ukraine and the whole Ukrainian Nation in these difficult circumstances of the acts of aggression committed by the Russian Federation in the territory of the Independent State of Ukraine. The armed aggression of the Russian Federation against Ukraine is a gross violation of the generally accepted principles of international law, violating the territorial integrity and national sovereignty of Ukraine and abuses the human rights of civil Ukrainian population.

Therefore, let me assure you once again that we stand by the side of the Constitutional Court of Ukraine and maintain our commitment to contribute in every possible way to the condemnation of Russia's aggression and gross human rights violations in Ukraine. As you know, our Court, together with the colleagues from the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Latvia and the Supreme Court of the Republic of Estonia, had expressed the initiative proposing to withdraw the constitutional courts of the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus from the Conference of European Constitutional Courts. Such action, as minimum, is the legal obligation of the European constitutional community towards Ukraine. Hopefully, we will hear about the positive result of this initiative in the short term.

Availing myself of this opportunity, I extend to you, dear Mr Acting Chairman, dear Justices, my wishes of strength to you and the Ukrainian Nation in these horrible times. We are praying for peace and security for Ukrainian people and Independence for Ukraine.

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Yours sincerely,

Prof. Dr. Danutė Jočienė