
RF higher qualification board of judges grants request of Investigative Committee Chairman



On 24 January 2017, the RF Higher Qualification Board of Judges considered the request filed by the Chairman of the Investigative Committee and gave their consent for a criminal investigation to be opened against a former judge of the Moscow Commercial Court.

Earlier, the Southern Administrative District Major Cases Department of the Investigative Committee's Moscow Directorate carried a check under Articles 144 and 145 of the RF Criminal Procedure Code against judge of the Moscow Commercial Court Igor Korogodov suspected of an attempted fraudulent stealing of money from a resident of Moscow on a very large scale by promising him that he would get a favorable decision in a civil action tried by Korogodov's colleague.

Following results of the check, the Chairman of the Investigative Committee filed a request on 12

August 2016 with the Chairman of the Higher Qualification Board of Judges for the consent to initiate criminal proceedings against judge Korogodov suspected of a crime under part 3 of Article 30, Part 4 of Article 159 of the RF Penal Code.

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