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## **The Chairman of the Investigative Committee of Russia gives a number of instructions on incidents with children**



In connection with the appeal of the deputy of the State Duma of the Russian Federation Mikhail Romanov to the leadership of the Investigative Committee of Russia with a request to take control of the investigation of the circumstances of the death of a 6-year-old boy at one of the private dental clinics in Primorsky district of St. Petersburg, the Chairman of the Investigative Committee instructed the Acting Head of the St. Petersburg Investigative Department of the Investigative Committee of Russia A.D. Golombievsky to report on the progress of the criminal investigation. In his appeal, the deputy of the State Duma of the Russian Federation noted that "His death is a direct consequence of the activities of this private clinic". The St. Petersburg Investigative Department of the Investigative Committee of Russia initiated a criminal case on the grounds of a crime stipulated by Paragraph C of Part 2 of Article 238 of the Criminal Code (provision of services that do not meet safety requirements), on the fact of the death of a young boy in a private dental clinic located in Primorsky District of the city on 10 December 2021. The progress of investigation of the criminal case is under supervision of the Central Office of the agency. Alexander Bastykin instructed to

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thoroughly check the activities of this clinic. Translated with [www.DeepL.com/Translator](http://www.DeepL.com/Translator) (free version)

Also, the Chairman of the Investigative Committee of Russia ordered to report on the collected evidence that formed the basis of the verdict in the criminal case of the murder of a schoolgirl in the Tambov Region. In a story on the murder of a 13-year-old girl in the Tambov Region, a federal channel aired the position of the mother of the deceased, who believes that not all the perpetrators have been identified and prosecuted. At the end of the story, reporters asked the leadership of the Investigative Committee of Russia to look into this story. The Chairman of the Investigative Committee of Russia instructed the head of the Tambov Regional Investigative Department of the Investigative Committee of Russia A. Polshakov to report on the evidence collected during the investigation and the decisions that formed the basis of the sentence. As it was reported earlier, the evidence collected by the Tambov Regional Investigative Department of the Investigative Committee of Russia was recognized by court as sufficient for sentencing of 36-year-old local resident. The man was found guilty of committing crimes under Part 2 of Article 105 of the Criminal Code (murder of a minor), Part 4 of Article 132 (violent acts of sexual nature) and Part 1 of Article 167 (intentional damage to property) of the Criminal Code. According to the cumulative sentence the defendant was sentenced to 24 years in prison. Translated with [www.DeepL.com/Translator](http://www.DeepL.com/Translator) (free version)

In addition, the Chairman of the Investigative Committee of Russia instructed the head of the Investigative Department of the Investigative Committee of Russia for the Republic of Tyva Stolbin K.V. to report on the progress of the criminal investigation into the murder of the child, as well as to provide a proper legal assessment of the actions of the mother and the actions (inaction) of the officials of the prevention system. On December 10, 2021 the law enforcement agencies of the Tes-Khemsy district of the republic received a report from a resident of the village of O-Shynaa about the disappearance of her 6-month-old son. On this fact the Investigative Department of the Investigative Committee of Russia for the Republic of Tuva immediately initiated a criminal case under Paragraph C of Part 2 of Article 105 of the Criminal Code (murder of a minor). According to investigators, on December 10, 2021 the woman was a guest of a friend living in a private house on Hospitalnaya Street in the village of Samagaltai in the Tes-Khyma region. After drinking alcohol together, the woman left her 6-month-old son with her 48-year-old friend and left. Upon returning and finding her son missing, the woman turned to law enforcement authorities. During the examination of the scene, a child's body with signs of violent death was found in a gym bag adjacent to the house. The 48-year-old homeowner is currently detained, with her participation the necessary investigative actions are being held. A forensic medical examination was appointed to determine the cause of the juvenile's death. The progress of the investigation is under supervision of the Central Office of the Investigative Committee.

Also Alexander Bastrykin instructed the head of the Smolensk Regional Investigative Department of the Investigative Committee of Russia A. Ukhanov to report on the verification of the information posted in the media about the improper performance of parental duties by a resident of Pochinkovsky district. On December 11, 2021 one of the mass media published an article about a

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woman from Pochinkovsky district, improperly fulfilling her parental responsibilities. It is reported that she leaves her 5-year-old child alone at her place of residence for long periods of time without food in unsanitary conditions. The progress of the probe is under the supervision of the Central Office of the Investigative Committee of Russia.

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