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Article 3 - Designation of competent authorities

Concerning **Article 3** and the **designation of competent national authorities**, the authorities are as follows:

* In the case of a non-custodial sentence in a final conviction, consisting of an obligation to avoid all contact with the victim, it is the Public Prosecutor’s Office, as the authority responsible for the enforcement of sentences, that is in charge of issuing an EPO and any withdrawal or modification of the prohibitions and restrictions related to it.
* In the case of judicial supervision involving a protection measure ordered by an examining magistrate or other examining court, the pre-trial chamber concerned is competent to issue an EPO (and order its withdrawal, modification, or revocation) based on the judicial supervision ordered by an examining magistrate or other examining court.
* For judicial supervision ordered by trial courts, the procedure is that provided for by the Code of Criminal Procedure, and the Public Prosecutor’s Office is responsible for ensuring that the EPO is transmitted to the executing State.
* In the case of ejection measures authorised by the Public Prosecutor’s Office in application of the amended Law of 8 September 2003 on domestic violence, the Public Prosecutor’s Office is the authority that issues the EPO as long as the court hearing the application for interim measures has not ruled on the extension of the ejection measure. If the court hearing the application for interim measures orders the ejection to be extended to three months, it is for that court to issue an EPO having convened the parties for this purpose. The Public Prosecutor’s Office transmits this EPO to the executing State.

Article 4 - Recourse to a central authority

Concerning **Article 4** and **recourse to a central authority**, Luxembourg has designated the **Public Prosecutor’s Office of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg** as the central authority.