

### **XIII. PROCEDURAL REPRESENTATION**

In 2003 the legal advisors of Communications Regulation Commission took part in the preparation and procedural representation of more than 70 legal actions heard before the Supreme Administrative Court, which can be classified by type of their subjects as follows:

1. Administrative action against decisions of the Communications Regulation Commission for cancelling decisions and individual licenses for construction, maintenance and operation of public telecommunications networks for broadcasting with local coverage on the territory of Sofia, Plovdiv, Bourgas, Stara Zagora, Dobrich, Plevan, Kuystendil, and Sliven (more than 30 legal actions), made and issued in 2001 by the State Telecommunications Commission (successor of which is CRC)

2. Administrative actions (before courts of first and second instance) instituted on the basis of claims against the orders by the CRC Chairman for discontinuation of the activities carried out by terrestrial radio and TV broadcasting without legal reason (the total of 19 legal actions).

3. Administrative actions instituted on the basis of claims against CRC orders for termination licensing procedure (the total of 10 legal actions).

4. Administrative actions before the Supreme Administrative Court against CRC decision for choosing of "New Television – first private channel" to be the winner of the individual license competition for construction, maintenance and operation of public telecommunication network for terrestrial broadcasting with national coverage (2 legal actions).

5. Administrative actions against other CRC decisions:

- Upon a dispute between two telecommunications operators for cable removal (one legal action),
- Upon a dispute regarding access and interconnection (one legal action),
- Upon the interpretation of a decision of the Supreme Administrative Court (one legal action).

6. Administrative actions initiated under the Civil Servant Act (total of 4 legal actions).