

News from Ukraine Bulletin 48 (29 May 2023)

A Digest of News from Ukrainian Sources

In this week's bulletin – highlights:

[Three years](#) after Enver Seitosmanov received a 17-year sentence without any crime, a Russian court has sentenced his brother Ernes Seitosmanov to 18 years on identical and profoundly flawed charges.

Plus: First-hand [accounts](#) from [civilians](#) who survived Russian bombing of residential areas.

Plus: Help sponsor a counter-event to the neoliberal intergovernmental “Ukraine Recovery Conference”: the USC is organising [an alternative](#): “Another Ukraine is Possible”

News from the territories occupied by Russia:

[Russian occupiers burn down a house in Mariupol following a brawl](#) (Ukrainska Pravda, May 27th)

[Russia effectively sentences veteran Crimean Tatar activist to death for somebody else's voice on a tape](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 26th)

[How Moscow recruited collaborators in the occupied territories](#) (The Insider, 26 May)

[Crimean Tatar activist sentenced to 18 years for discussing religion and Russian repression](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 25th)

[Armed Russian FSB violently arrest peaceful Jehovah's Witness in occupied Crimea](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 24th)

[Why Putin is forcing occupied Ukrainians to become Russian citizens](#) (Open Democracy, May 23rd)

[Russian 'Big Brother surveillance' intensified in occupied Mariupol](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 23rd)

[Invaders remove Ukrainian from schools under Russian occupation, and want to eliminate English](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 22nd)

[Russian FSB force Crimean Tatar to sign blank 'confessions' to railway sabotage or “never see his family again”](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 22nd)

[50 bodies of missing persons found in liberated territories over past month](#) (Ukrainska Pravda, May 22nd)

News from Ukraine – general:

[Russian attack on medical facility in Dnipro: woman killed, many injured](#) (Ukrainska Pravda, May 26th)

[Volodymyr Panasenko, victim of Ukraine's most egregious miscarriage of justice, freed after over 16 years](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 26th)

[Ukrainian manufacturers should rebuild Ukraine, report says](#) (Open Democracy, May 25th)

[‘A soldier must be a coward and, when necessary, a hero’](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 22nd)

War-related news from Russia:

[The Chinese dream for Russian people](#) (Posle, 23 May)

[New arrest on grotesque criminal charges in Russia's attack on Perm Memorial and historical memory](#) (Kharkiv Human Rights Protection Group, May 23rd)

Analysis and comment:

[Western capital, warmonger Putin and the climate policy disaster](#) (People and Nature, May 18th)

[What Happened in Ukraine in 2013– 2014?](#) (New Politics, May 13th)

Research of human rights abuses:

[‘There were more than five thousand of us in the shelter’ — account of the first war days in Mariupol](#) (Tribunal for Putin, May 26th)

[‘I prayed I wouldn’t be next.’ Secretive prisons where Russia tortures Ukrainian civilians](#) (Meduza, 26 May)

[Fresh Details on Russia’s Forcible Transfer of Ukrainian Children](#) (Human Rights Watch, May 25th)

[‘I fell face down in the glass and covered my head with my hands’](#) (Tribunal for Putin, May 23rd)

[Prosecuting Russia’s crime of aggression in Ukraine](#) (Human Rights Without Frontiers , May 19th)

International solidarity:

[Ukrainian workers' fight for a just reconstruction](#) (Ukraine Solidarity Campaign crowdfunder)

[Stand with Ukraine: a message to UCU congress delegates](#) (Ukraine Solidarity Campaign, 26 May)

[Civil service conference votes to stand in solidarity with Ukraine](#) (Ukraine Solidarity Campaign, 24 May)

[ZMINA opens a photo exhibition in the European Parliament about Crimean political prisoners](#) (Zmina, May 23rd)

[ZMINA joined the 13th Sakharov conference in Vilnius: how to win a lasting peace](#) (Zmina, May 20th)

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