EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS
COUR EUROPÉENNE DES DROITS DE L'HOMME

FOURTH SECTION

DECISION

Application no. 33383/21
Petrachi MOCANU against Romania
and 3 other applications
(see appended table)

The European Court of Human Rights (Fourth Section), sitting on 3 October 2024 as a Committee composed of:

Anne Louise Bormann*, President*,
Sebastian Răduleţu,
Mateja Đurović*, judges*,

and Viktoriya Maradudina, *Acting Deputy Section Registrar,*

Having regard to the above applications lodged on the various dates indicated in the appended table,

Having deliberated, decides as follows:

FACTS AND PROCEDURE

The list of the applicants is set out in the appendix.

The applicants' complaints under Article 3 of the Convention concerning the inadequate conditions of detention were communicated to the Romanian Government, who submitted observations on the admissibility and merits. The observations were forwarded to the applicants, who were invited to submit their own observations (see the appended table for the relevant dates). No reply was received by the Court.

By letters sent by registered post, the applicants were notified that the time allowed for the submission of their observations had expired (see the appended table for the relevant dates). The applicants' attention was further drawn to Article 37 § 1 (a) of the Convention, which provides that the Court may strike an application out of its list of cases where the circumstances lead to the conclusion that the applicant does not intend to pursue the application.

No reply to these letters has been received by the Court. The registered letters were received by the applicants (see details in the appended table). There are no previous letters from the applicants informing the Court about a change of address.

THE LAW

Having regard to the similar subject matter of the applications, the Court finds it appropriate to examine them jointly in a single decision.

In the light of the foregoing, the Court concludes that the applicants may be regarded as no longer wishing to pursue the applications (Article 37 § 1 (a) of the Convention). Furthermore, in accordance with Article 37 § 1 *in fine*, the Court finds no special circumstances regarding respect for human rights as defined in the Convention and the Protocols thereto which require the continued examination of the applications.

In view of the above, it is appropriate to strike the cases out of the list.

For these reasons, the Court, unanimously,

Decides to join the applications;

Decides to strike the applications out of its list of cases.

Done in English and notified in writing on 24 October 2024.

Viktoriya Maradudina Acting Deputy Registrar	Anne Louise Bormann President

APPENDIX

List of applications raising complaints under Article 3 of the Convention (inadequate conditions of detention)

No.	Application no. Date of introduction	Applicant's name Year of birth	Date of the applicant's last letter to the Court	Date of sending Government's observations to the applicant	Time-limit for submission of response by the applicant	Date of the Court's registered letter	Date of receipt of the registered letter
1.	33383/21 19/07/2021	**Petrachi MOCANU** 1960	01/08/2022	22/01/2024	04/03/2024	15/04/2024	24/04/2024 Signed by prison representative
2.	39271/21 09/02/2022	**Vlad-Alexandru NICOLAE** 1990	28/02/2022	22/01/2024 27/02/2024	04/03/2024 09/04/2024	08/04/2024	15/04/2024 Illegible signature
3.	41370/21 29/12/2021	**Iosif-Adrian SZABÓ** 1977	13/01/2022	22/01/2024	04/03/2024	15/04/2024	20/05/2024 Illegible signature
4.	45089/21 08/10/2021	**Ion ALESU** 1967	20/10/2021	22/01/2024	04/03/2024	15/04/2024	23/04/2024 Signed by the applicant's wife