

## NEWS FROM THE COURTS

**January 2014:**

### PRESS / NEWS:

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During this period, various pieces of news related with the activity of our Judges and Courts with regards to Animal Law have been published:

- [Man sentenced to three months in prison for beating a dog](#)
- [Man condemned for torturing, mutilating and killing cats from a protector society](#)
- [Prosecutor asks for a year imprisonment for throwing a dog from the sixth floor](#)
- [New charges for horses' deaths and horse trafficking in a riding school](#)
- [Man sentenced to six months in jail for killing animals with poison and unauthorized traps](#)
- [Man charged with hitting a puppy locked in a bag against the ground](#)
- [Prosecution presses for charges against the director of the Animal Park for document falsification](#)
- [Animal Abuse reported in the festival of las Luminarias](#)
- [Man arrested as the presumed perpetrator of animal abuse in Monzón](#)
- [Mundo Park of Guillena \(Sevilla\) Reported](#)
- [Men implicated in an illegal slaughterhouse arrested for public health offense](#)
- [Organizers of an underground cock-fighting ring arrested](#)
- [Four arrested for Sterling exotic animals](#)
- [Pamplona City Government reported for presumed animal abuse](#)
- [Man charged for animal abuse after letting his horse die from hunger](#)

- [Precautionary closure of the kennel in Bormujos ordered](#)
- [The Prosecutors requests eight months in prison for killing neighbor's cats](#)
- [Reports of people throwing rats in the festival of Sant Pere in El Puig](#)
- [Lottery draws for three pigs reported in Bilbao](#)

## **JURISPRUDENCE:**

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Below a summary of the sentences which came from the Supreme Court and the judiciary organs of the different Autonomous Communities during the period of reference, in chronological order and with a brief reference to the contents:

### **SUPREME COURT:**

No sentences or decrees published.

### **PROVINCIAL AUDIENCES (PA) AND SUPREME COURTS OF JUSTICE (TSJ):**

We include the Sentences and Judicial Degrees coming from the different Provincial Audiencias (PA) in January 2014 and are published in the CENDOJ [Center for Jurisprudence Documentation] as of the date of publication of this bulletin.

- **Andalucía:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Aragón:**

- [Sentence PA Huesca 1/2014, dated 7 January 2014 \(Roj: SAP HU 3/2014\)](#)  
Criminal area. Misdemeanor for injuries caused to an animal in a collision.

- [Sentence TSJ Zaragoza 1/2014, dated 7 January 2014 \(Roj: STSJ AR 16/2014\)](#)  
Administrative litigation sector. Against the Department of Agriculture and Food Supply of Aragon, regarding an obligatory vaccination campaign for herds of sheep against blue tongue disease.

- **Cantabria:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Castilla-La Mancha:**

- [Sentence AP Toledo 5/2014, dated 8 January 2014 \(Roj: SAP TO 2/2014\)](#)  
Criminal area. Misdemeanor for injuries caused due to carelessness, art. 621.3 CC.

- [Sentence AP Toledo 4/2014, dated 8 January 2014 \(Roj: SAP TO 5/2014\)](#)  
Criminal area. Misdemeanor for injuries caused due to carelessness, art. 631 CC.

- [Sentence AP Toledo 6/2014, dated 8 January 2014 \(Roj: SAP TO 11/2014\)](#)  
Criminal area. Misdemeanor for injuries caused due to carelessness, art. 631 CC.

- **Castilla-León:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Catalonia:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Community of Madrid:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Community of Valencia:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Basque Country:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Extremadura:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Galicia:**

- [Sentence PA Pontevedra 2/2014, dated 9 January 2014 \(Roj: SAP PO 11/2014\)](#)

Criminal area. Crime of animal abuse.

- **Balearic Islands:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Canary Islands:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **La Rioja:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Navarra:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Principality of Asturias:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Region of Murcia:**

No sentences or decrees published.

- **Ceuta and Melilla:**

No sentences or decrees published.

## COMMENTED SENTENCE:

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[Commentary](#) on the [Sentence of the Council of the State of Colombia of 26 November 2013, on the use of primates for anti-malaria research](#), by Carlos Andrés Contreras López<sup>1</sup>.

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