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## **Weekly Media report of the developments in the Council of Europe**

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### **[Jagland: Council of Europe standards still apply in Ukraine](#)**

11/06 Unian

Council of Europe standards still apply in Ukraine, Secretary General of the Council of Europe Thorbjørn Jagland said in response to a notification by Ukraine that it would derogate from the European Convention on Human Rights under Article 15 of the Convention.

### **[L'Ukraine se déclare en état de guerre au Conseil de l'Europe](#)**

10/06 Reuters

L'Ukraine a notifié au Conseil de l'Europe sa décision de ne plus respecter certaines garanties de la Convention européenne des droits de l'Homme dans les zones de l'est du pays en proie à une rébellion séparatiste, a indiqué mercredi l'organisation.

### **[Russian delegation to leave PACE for one more year if sanctions against it prolonged – lawmaker](#)**

11/06 Tass

If a decision is made in January 2016 on extending sanctions, then our delegation will not be present in PACE for one more year, head of Russian delegation, Alexey Pushkov, says.

### **[Ukraine: Court ruling on Lutsenko human rights challenge](#)**

11/06 Human Rights Europe

Judges ruled today that Ukraine breached human rights law in its treatment of former Interior Minister Yuriy Lutsenko following his arrest and trial.

### **[Tory plans will destroy human rights across Europe, warns Dominic Grieve](#)**

11/06 the Guardian

It will be impossible to enforce human rights across Europe if the Conservative party carries out its threat to withdraw from the Strasbourg court, the former attorney general Dominic Grieve QC has warned.



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**[Council of Europe says it has not received plan of action from Russia on paying ECHR award to ex-Yukos shareholders](#)**

11/06 Interfax

The Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe has stated that Russia has not indicated its willingness to comply with a European Court of Human Rights (ECHR) judgment obliging it to draw up a comprehensive action plan, including a binding time frame, for the distribution of the award of just satisfaction to former Yukos shareholders

**[Armenia opposed to PACE report on Karabakh conflict, Nalbandian](#)**

11/06 Arka News Agency

Armenia's foreign minister Edward Nalbandian spoke today against the decision of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe (PACE) to prepare a report on the Karabakh conflict, the press service of the Armenian foreign ministry said.

**[Affaire Vincent Lambert : une vidéo relance la polémique](#)**

11/06 Le Monde

Cinq jours après l'arrêt de la Cour européenne des droits de l'homme (CEDH) autorisant l'arrêt de l'alimentation et de l'hydratation artificielles de Vincent Lambert, cet homme tétraplégique de 38 ans en situation neurovégétative après un accident de la route en 2008, les partisans de son maintien en vie ont entamé mercredi 10 juin une contre-offensive médiatique d'ampleur.