

Legal costs

62. There is no reason to distribute court costs in a different way than according to the main rule in Chapter 18 Section 1 of the Code of Procedure. As a result of the outcome of the case, Poland is entitled to compensation for its legal costs.

63. The amount claimed by Poland in the Court of Appeal can be considered reasonable.

64. Regarding the legal costs in the Supreme Court, it is considered that the case has involved complicated issues and involved significant values. In view of this, Poland's request for attorney's fees and expenses for legal opinions and legal advice must also be approved. However, it is not fair that Poland should also be awarded compensation for the work that six civil servants put into the dispute. The request as it concerns that part must therefore be dismissed. Otherwise, Poland's claim for legal costs in the Supreme Court must be granted.

In this decision participated Justices Gudmund Toijer, Svante O. Johansson (referent), Dag Mattsson, Malin Bonthron and Cecilia Renfors.

The rapporteur has been the legal secretary, Cecilia Andgren.