

**By the Judgement of 23 March 2026 No. 16-II, the Constitutional Court assessed constitutionality of Article 1 (part 3) of the Civil Procedure Code of the Russian Federation**

This legal provision was examined to the extent that, according to the meaning given to it by judicial interpretation, when the court determines the start of the indexation period for the awarded monetary sums under a court decision ordering the recovery of funds from the budget of the Russian Federation, it serves as a basis for applying Article 208 of the Civil Procedure Code in the version that was recognised as inconsistent with the Constitution due to the uncertainty of its normative content, but which had not yet been amended by the legislator in implementation of the relevant judgement of the Constitutional Court.

The contested legal provision was recognised as inconsistent with the Constitution to the extent that it permits, under the circumstances noted, the application of Article 208 of the Civil Procedure Code in the version that was recognised as inconsistent with the Constitution by a judgement of the Constitutional Court, but which had not yet been amended by the legislator in implementation of the relevant judgement at the time when the circumstances in connection with which its application is carried out arose, in a manner other than that provided for in the judgement of the Constitutional Court.