

## Bulgaria - Sexual Assault (excl. rape)

Molestation is an act with the purpose of arousing or satisfying a sexual desire without copulation regarding a person who has accomplished 14 years of age, by using force or threat, availing himself of his/her helpless status or by bringing him to such a status or by taking advantage of dependency or control.

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### Legal provisions on protection orders

No legal provision

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### Legal Source

Criminal Code, Article 150