

**Decision no. 20, dated 24.02.2026**  
**(V-20/26)**

Constitutional Court of the Republic of Albania composed of: Fiona Papajorgji, President, Marsida Xhaferllari, Sonila Bejtja, Sandër Beci, Ilir Toska, Genti Ibrahimimi, Marjana Semini, Asim Vokshi, members, with court secretary Farisja Idrizaj, on 24.02.2026 took under examination in plenary session on the basis of submitted documents, the case no. 10 (Sh) 2025 of the Basic Court Register, pertaining to:

**APPLICANT:** **SHADIJE LIKA**

**INTERESTED ENTITY:** **GENERAL PROSECUTION OFFICE**, in absentia.

**SUBJECT MATTER:** **Repeal of Decisions no. 158, dated 06.02.2019 of the Tirana Court of Appeal; Decision no. 00-2024-312, dated 27.02.2024 of the Criminal College of the High Court, as incompatible with the Constitution of the Republic of Albania.**  
**Remanding of the case for retrial by a different panel of judges.**

**LEGAL BASIS:** **Articles 30, 32, paragraph 2, 42, 131, point 1, letter “f” and 134, point 1, letter “i”, of the Constitution of the Republic of Albania (*the Constitution*); Articles 6, paragraph 1, of the European Convention on Human Rights; Law No. 8577, dated 10 February 2000 “On the organization and functioning of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Albania”, (*Court’s Organic Law*), as amended.**

Constitutional Court, pursuant to Articles 131, point 1, letter “f” and 134, point 1, letter “i”, of the Constitution, as well as Article 72 of Law No. 8577, dated 10 February 2000 “On the organization and functioning of the Constitutional Court of the Republic of Albania”, as amended, unanimously,

**DECIDED:**

1. Admission of the application in part.
2. Repeal of Decision no. 00-2024-312, dated 27.02.2024 of the Criminal College of the High Court, as incompatible with the Constitution.
3. Remanding of the case to the High Court for further proceedings.

This decision is final and enters into force on the day of its publication in the Official Gazette.