

Viliam Štefan Dóci, Wer darf einen kriminellen Dominikaner richten? Eine Studie zur Kontroverse um das *privilegium fori* in Bezug auf das *crimen laesae majestatis*

Abstract: Who is entitled to judge a criminal Dominican Friar? A study on the controversy over the *privilegium fori* with respect to the *crimen laesae majestatis*

The Dominican Father Gregor Pogrányi was arrested by the royal authorities in May 1738 in the priory of Košice on suspicion of having committed the crime of *lèse-majesté* and was subsequently heard by a special court. He was charged with complicity in the anti-Habsburg opposition carried out by the Upper Hungarian nobles, especially Imre and György Gombos. The article deals with the controversy between Emperor/King Charles VI/III and the Dominican Order, who protested against such action by referring to the *privilegium fori*.

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