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*IMPACT OF THE USE OF TELECOMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY IN CRIMINAL TRIALS
ON PUBLIC AND ORAL GUARANTEES: A COMPARATIVE STUDY*

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Abstract

Remote litigation is one of the modern technologies established by countries to move the judiciary and prevent it from stopping, especially after the emergence of the corona pandemic, there were old states in this system and other countries that were new to this type of litigation, this study dealt with the subject of publicity and means that the doors of the court are open to the public without discrimination to attend and follow up discussions and pleadings at the trial hearing, it also dealt with oral and means the oral discussion held by the court against the accused.

This study showed the impact of modern means of communication in litigation in criminal proceedings on fair trial guarantees, which are considered one of the basic principles on which judicial organization is based, which is the guarantee of public and oral hearings, this is through the view of UAE legislation and Jordanian legislation, and the extent to which these guarantees are respected under hypothetical litigation, this study also showed the extension of the impact of modern technology on the right to defense as well as on the formation of the emotional conviction of the penal judge.

This study aims to include the principle of publicity and the principle of oral hearings in the virtual system without prejudice to the right of the accused or the rights of society, this is by identifying the equipment prepared by the court to ensure respect for these two principles in criminal trials, in addition to indicating the extent to which the accused can present his defense before the virtual court and the extent to which the emotional conviction of the criminal judge is formed without any obstacles that may negatively affect his conviction.

This research has reached some conclusions and recommendations.

Keywords: fair trial guarantees, remote litigation in criminal proceedings, modern technical means.