

Press Release

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Regarding today's (19) media report quoting the statement made by the defendant in the case of trespassing on the top floor of the Prosecutors Office and hanging the flag, the response is as follows:

- 1. Prosecutors handle cases objectively and independently in accordance with the law, and are not subject to external intervention or interference. The investigations and handling of relevant cases by this office are carried out according to the needs of the case, and there is no so-called interference or pressure from "high-level", "government party" or specific political figures, and it doesn't matter that many prosecutors want to leave their jobs. The content of the statement quoted by the media should be groundless and not worth refuting.
- 2. As for the defendant's criminal case involving trespassing into a building without reason, it has been investigated by the prosecutor. The prosecutor will fulfill his duty of objectivity and care, pay attention to the defendant's advantages and disadvantages, investigate the evidence in detail, hold him accountable in accordance with the law and properly investigate.
- 3. Taipei District Prosecutors Office once again appeals to the outside world not to make unnecessary exaggerations or speculations about the cases under investigation, and to leave room for the prosecutors to simply handle the case.