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The purposes of this research are to study and to find the solutions of the problems of court administration under the Ministry of Justice which cause inappropriateness in the current court administration and the administration conflict between the Minister of Justice and the judicial officers

It is found that the best way for solving these problems is to grant the court to have its own administration. In details, the Judicial Department should take responsibility on its own court administration. The court, therefore, can obtain the budget and personnel officers in the amount that is appropriate to its legal actions. It is also recommended that, rather than the minister of justice, the President of the Supreme Court should responsible for all of the court's administration in order to eliminate the conflict between the Minister of Justice and the judicial officers. These solutions would encourage the court to be independent in both legal actions and administration aspects. In addition, in order to prevent the Judicial Department from the abuse of power, system of checkes and balances among anarchy possessors should be modified. Both the Legistrative Department and the Executive Department should jointly participate in the appointment of major position of court executive, in preparing and in approving of court's budget. The Legistrative Department, also, should have authority for punishment and withdrawal of any judicial position.

These solutions would bring independency, flexibility and systematization to the court administration. Moreover, independent and neutral judge could provide the better serve to the public.