

# **Procedural rights of the parties of the criminal case**

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## **Abstract**

The subject of this study indicates the procedural penal rights against each of the parties of the criminal case – the offender and the victim- within the limits of the criminal trial proceedings pending before the competent court, in order to ensure the fairness and the speed of the trial guarantees without any procrastinations or delays, giving the insurance for these rights by the Jordanian criminal legislator No (9) of 1961 in fulfillment of the sacred principles as the right of defense and presumed innocence in every criminal trial, according to the Jordanian code of the criminal procedure and any other relative law.

And giving that these rights are tainted by some kind of ambiguity as there is no any independent study that involves it as we please, one of the objectives and a major aim for this study was to address in detail the attempt to detect the shortcomings of these legal texts trying to consume it ad deal with whatever legal texts we can process.

And so, the researcher concluded that the legislator tried to gather as many rights as he possible for the two parties we mentioned above in various texts in the procedural law, therefore, the researcher recommends to complete these shortcomings to reduce the ambiguity which benefits the two party's trial.

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