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**KUVENDI I PA KONSTITUAR: FUNKSIONALITETI INSTITUCIONAL
DHE GJYKATA KUSHTETUESE**

**НЕ КОНСТИТУИРАНОТО СОБРАНИЕ: ИНСТИТУЦИОНАЛНА
ФУНКЦИОНАЛНОСТ И УСТАВЕН СУД**

**THE UNCONSTITUTED ASSEMBLY: INSTITUTIONAL
FUNCTIONALITY AND THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT**

Abstract

This paper examines the process of constituting the IX Legislature of the Assembly of the Republic of Kosovo following the February 9, 2025 elections, focusing on the political and institutional obstacles that hindered the normal functioning of state institutions. The research analyzes the non-approval of the Report on the Verification of Mandates, disputes concerning the election of the Speaker and Deputy Speakers, as well as the holding of dual positions by individuals in violation of the law. The findings indicate that these disagreements and differing interpretations of constitutional provisions have obstructed the formation of the Government, the adoption of legislation, and the implementation of public policies, thereby jeopardizing Kosovo's international credibility and European integration. The paper also highlights the pivotal role of the Constitutional Court in ensuring institutional functionality and draws lessons for improving parliamentary practices and upholding the rule of law.

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