## Alexander ZVYAGINTSEV Deputy Prosecutor General of the Russian Federation



Alexander Zvyagintsev was born on the 8<sup>th</sup> of July 1948 in Ukraine, which was a part of the USSR.

He has a degree in Law.

Professional career: after military service, from 1970 he worked in the investigative and prosecution authorities in Ukraine holding different posts, namely:

1981-1986 – Head of Department, Senior Assistant to the Public Prosecutor of Ukraine 1986-1992 – Deputy Chief of the Division of Publicity and Systematization of Soviet Legislation, Deputy Chief of the Organization and Control Department, Chief of the Press and PR Centre and Senior Assistant to the Prosecutor General of the USSR

1992-2000 – Senior Assistant to the Prosecutor General of Russia and Chief of the Press and PR Centre

2000-2003 – Deputy Prosecutor General of the Russian Federation for the Volga Federal District Since 2003 – to the present day – Deputy Prosecutor General of the Russian Federation

During his service he has been decorated with "Certificate of Honor of President of the Russian Federation", 7 state awards including the "Order of Merit for Country of the III Degree", medals and orders of various state agencies, NGOs and scientific institutions of Russia and some foreign countries, orders of the Russian Orthodox Church. He has been awarded with titles of the "Honorary Lawyer of the Russian Federation" and Honorary Officer of the Prosecution Services of the Russian Federation and Ukraine.

He is 1st Rank State Counselor of Justice.