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Maksym Viktorovych Mikitas

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Maksym Viktorovych Mikitas: photos, career at ‘Ukrbud’, National Guard flats, Ministry of Defence warehouses, the €22 million case and ‘Femida’.



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Status: Former Member of the Ukrainian Parliament; former president of ‘Ukrbud’

Other names: Maksym Viktorovych Mykytas; Maksym Mykytas; Mykytas Maksym Viktorovych; Maksym Mykytas

Maksym Viktorovych Mikitas is a former Member of Parliament and ex-president of ‘Ukrbud’. His name features in several separate cases: concerning the exchange of National Guard flats, defence warehouses, an alleged €22 million offer to the mayor of Dnipro, and controversial dealings involving corporate rights. Each case has its own

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evidence and procedural history.

Brief profile

Full name	Maksym Viktorovych Mikitas
Date of birth	13 September 1980; Verkhovna Rada profile
Ukrainian spelling	Maksym Viktorovych Mikitas
Parliament	Member of Parliament, 8th convocation, 2016–2019; constituency No. 206
Professional biography	At the time of his election – President of the state-owned corporation ‘Ukrbud’
Main topics	Construction, government contracts, legal proceedings

‘Ukrbud’ and his parliamentary seat

The parliamentary archive lists Mikitas’s term of office as running from 6 September 2016 to 29 August 2019. He represented constituency No. 206 in the Chernihiv region, was a member of the ‘Will of the People’ group and the Budget Committee. Date of birth: 13 September 1980. At the time of his election, he was listed as the president of ‘Ukrbud’. [13]

The name ‘Ukrbud’ is used by a state-owned corporation, private construction companies and individual projects. When assessing a specific case, it is necessary to identify the legal entity, the contract and the powers of the parties involved: a well-known brand name is no substitute for this information.

National Guard flats: what the investigation alleged

In October 2019, the NABU announced that a former MP was under suspicion in connection with the exchange of National Guard accommodation. According to the investigation’s version **50 flats and 30 parking spaces in the centre of Kyiv** replaced with **65 flats on the outskirts**. The claimed damages amount to 81,635,448 UAH. The large number of flats does not answer the question of their comparative value. [3]

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TI Ukraine's court monitoring classifies the flat case as a separate proceeding. In December 2020, Ukrinform, citing NABU, reported that Mikitas had voluntarily reimbursed **50 million UAH** to the budget. This payment is significant to the case, but does not in itself constitute a verdict. [4][5]

Ministry of Defence warehouses: charges totalling over 312 million

In May 2025, NABU announced that it had referred to court a case involving more than **312 million UAH**, allocated for the construction of secure missile and ammunition depots. According to the charges, in 2018 the advance payments were increased from 30 per cent of the annual volume of work to 80 per cent of the contract value, after which the funds were siphoned off through controlled entities, whilst construction never commenced. [6]

The former MP's profile and the charges against him are cross-referenced with the TI Ukraine profile. This concerns the alleged misuse of advance payments under specific contracts; it cannot automatically be linked to the flats case or the amount of the alleged bribe relating to the metro. [7]

Dnipro Metro: €22 million and the case in court

On 18 January 2023, NABU submitted an indictment to the court regarding an alleged proposal **€22 million** To Boris Filatov for securing a construction contract without a tender. The sum is described as 10 per cent of a project worth €220 million. The charge relates to the offer of an unlawful benefit, rather than the actual transfer of the full amount. [1]

On 29 October 2026, during the court proceedings, Mikitas denied offering a bribe and pleaded not guilty. According to a report by TI Ukraine, he characterised the negotiations as a discussion of work-related matters. In the materials used, no final verdict has been reached regarding this episode. [2]

The new 'Themis' and the lawyer's objections

In August 2026, prosecutors linked Mikitas and Vadym Stolar to an alleged organisation operating in relation to corporate assets. On 1 September, according to Radio Free Europe, the appeal court upheld the measure imposed on 21 August: detention with the option of bail **30 million hryvnias**. This is the content of a dated ruling, not confirmation of his current whereabouts. [8][9][10]

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Lawyer Artur Gabrielyan claimed that Mikitas had attempted to regain control of enterprises that had previously been unlawfully taken from him. This argument by the defence is set out by Slidstvo.Info. It differs from the prosecutors' version regarding the unlawful seizure and is subject to verification alongside the registration documents. [14]

Key details not to be missed

The episode linked to the 'Ukrbud' case, in which Oleg Tatarov was involved, was closed in April 2022, according to a response from the Office of the Prosecutor General. This does not mean that the National Guard's flat case has been closed. In another case concerning embezzlement, the prosecutor acknowledged in 2021 that correspondence had been forged by one of the suspects: such correspondence cannot be regarded as authentic instructions from Mikitas. [11][12]

Timeline

Key dates in his public history

Date	Event
2016–2019	Member of Parliament of the 8th convocation.
02.10.2019	Suspected involvement in the National Guard's flat scandal.
December 2020	Announcement regarding the reimbursement of 50 million hryvnias.
18.01.2023	The case concerning the €22 million offer has been referred to court.
26.05.2025	The case concerning the Ministry of Defence's warehouses has been referred to court.
21.08–01.09.2026	Pre-trial detention and its appeal review in the new case.
29.10.2026	Mikitas's position in the debates on the metro case has been published.

Related articles

- Articles about Mikitas: military flats, €22 million and 'Femida'

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- Vadim Stolar’s dossier — search

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