

Managing Administrative Law Cases using an Adaptable Model-driven Norm-enforcing Tool

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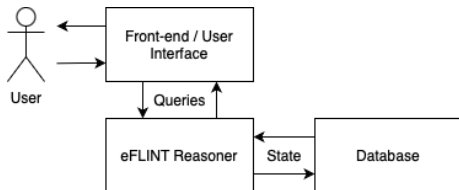
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Contributions

Goal: Develop a case management system that increases compliance and provides transparency to applicants.



Contributions:

- An adaptable case management tool that reasons about applicable norms.
- An evaluation against elicited user requirements resulting in suggestions for further development.

User requirements [1]

- Workflow models
- Reasoning with partial information
- Link to relevant sources
- Recall the details of previous cases



eFLINT [2]

- Normative reasoning
- Powers and duties
 - Acts
 - Duties
- Compliance checking



eFLINT

Acts

```
Act grant-request
  Actor servant
  Recipient applicant
  Conditioned by [Income] <= [Income limit]
  Creates [Quittance granted].

Physical send-approval-letter Syncs with
  grant-request (servant, applicant)
```

eFLINT

Duties

```
Duty process-application
  Holder case-manager
  Claimant applicant
  Terminated by grant-request
                  ,deny-request
  Holds when application()
```

The Tool

Case selection screen

Dashboard

Cases

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Cases

NEW CASE

NAME	DEADLINE	
Demo Case	2023-01-01	Open
Demo Case	2023-01-01	Open
Demo Case	2023-08-04	Open


Information editing screen

Client details:


Name

Demo Case

Date

07/19/2023 

Deadline

08/04/2023 

Notes

Partner

Yes No Unknown

Age

36

Income

55219

Pension age reached

Yes No Unknown

Action screen

Client details

Name

Demo Case

Date

2023-07-19

Deadline

2023-08-04

Notes

Information

1 - [Pension age reached]

Answer: **no**

2 - [Partner]

Answer: **yes**

3 - [Age]

Answer: **36**

4 - [Income]

Answer: **55219**

 Edit Case

Actions

Actions to take

Send approval letter

Normative status: NOT Allowed

EXECUTE

Send information request letter

Normative status: Allowed

EXECUTE

Send rejection letter

Normative status: Allowed

EXECUTE

Conclusion

Current contributions:

- Adaptable Norm-enforcing Case Management system
- An evaluation against elicited user requirements resulting in suggestions for further development.

Next steps:

- Additional user testing
- Providing transparency to explain decisions

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