



## **Measures about urban buildings stains**

The law n.94 of 2009 introduce more severe measures about urban buildings stains. It provides even detention for those who dirty historical or artistic monuments.

Although all municipalities are trying to fight this plague that, in addition to degradation, affects even historic buildings, as recently happened in Bologna.

There is no law that establishes who should clean the graffiti. The residents are often those who do it at their expense. In other cases municipalities, for reasons of public decorum, provide for the removal.

Many municipalities acted for prevention; they acquired specific systems to prevent the adhesion of the paints on the surfaces. This has greatly simplified their removal by washing.

The Brescia district, for example, opened a tender notice to find areas to be dedicated to writers creativity, so that the integrity of the rest of the city can be preserved. The graffiti problem thus remains more relevant than ever, between cities to defend and less economic resources to allocate, both for municipalities and for private citizens.