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#### **LAW ENFORCEMENT AS AN OBJECT OF LEGAL PREDICTION**

**Keywords:** legal prediction, levels of legal prediction implementation, legal system, law enforcement, globalisation risks.

**Abstract.**

Purpose of the study: identifying the place and role of law enforcement as an object of legal prediction in the legal system, studying prognostic lines for improving law enforcement activities, and identifying globalisation risks for national law enforcement practice.

Methods of study: system structure analysis, logical and formal legal methods, content analysis.

Results obtained: the importance of law enforcement in the legal system is examined and its prognostic model is proposed. The lines of impact of legal prediction on the law enforcement function are determined. As a result of the analysis, a justification is given for the need to modernise the legal impact on social relations and its law enforcement component as an independent element of the legal system, risks of globalisation for domestic law enforcement are identified and legal means for levelling them are proposed.

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**ON THE QUESTION OF IMPROVING  
THE EFFICIENCY OF LEGAL REGULATION OF RELATIONS  
IN THE FIELD OF RENDERING FREE LEGAL AID  
IN THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION**

**Keywords:** constitutional law, qualified legal aid, free legal aid, legal regulation, free legal aid systems, quality of free legal aid, lawyers, state law offices.

**Abstract.**

Purpose of the work: wording and justification of proposals for improving the efficiency of legal regulation of relations in the field of rendering free legal aid to citizens in the territory of the Russian Federation.

Methods of study: analysis, synthesis, and the comparative legal method are used in the paper.

Results obtained: based on the analysis of the current laws that regulate rendering free legal aid, scholarly approaches and the expert community opinions, proposals for improving the efficiency of legal regulation of rendering free legal aid which can be used in law-making at the federal and regional levels are worded and justified.

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## **CONCEPTUAL FOUNDATIONS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE INSTITUTION OF ACCESS TO INFORMATION USING DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES IN THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION**

**Keywords:** information, access to information, human rights and freedoms, information technology, information society, digital transformation, digital platform, information security.

### **Abstract.**

Purpose of the work: identifying trends in the development of the right to access information in the Russian Federation based on end-to-end digital technologies and digital platform solutions in the information society.

Method of study: the work is based on the methods of dialectics and system analysis of the legal information sphere making it possible to study comprehensively and logically consistently the processes of digitalisation of the implementation of the right to access information in the context of their legal regulation in the information society and digital transformation in order to identify existing patterns and development trends.

Results obtained: the study carried out made it possible to draw a number of justified conclusions: under the conditions of the information society and digitalisation, information acquires the nature of a strategic resource. It is necessary to improve the legal regulation of access to official and other socially significant information with a view to protect the rights, freedoms and legitimate interests of various subjects as a comprehensive, integrated and multi-level system formed in accordance with the geographical distribution principle, using big data, artificial intelligence and other state-of-the-art digital technologies. The increasing importance of access to reliable information requires a transition to a conceptual model of access to information based on information interaction of subjects aiming at ensuring national interests in the digital world.

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**LEGAL INFORMATION SUPPORT FOR THE DEVELOPMENT  
OF THE NATIONAL LEGAL INFORMATION SYSTEM  
IN THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION  
UNDER THE CONDITIONS OF DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION**

**Keywords:** legal information, access to information, information technology, information society, digital transformation, digital platform.

**Abstract.**

Purpose of the work: analysing the development of the national legal information system based on end-to-end digital technologies and digital platform solutions under the conditions of the information society.

Method of study: the work is based on the methods of dialectics and system analysis allowing a comprehensive study of processes of digitalisation of legal information in the context of their legal regulation under the conditions of digital transformation.

Results obtained: the study carried out allows to make the following conclusions. Under the conditions of the information society, information becomes an important strategic resource. The national legal information system should become an official, comprehensive, integrated, multi-level and open information system based on the geographical distribution principle, on a digital platform using convergent technologies aimed at legal information support of the individual, society and the state, including modernisation of public administration in the context of administrative reform.

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**LAWSUIT AS A LEGAL MEANS FOR PROTECTING  
THE RIGHTS AND LEGITIMATE INTERESTS OF A PERSON  
AT THE MODERN STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT  
OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURAL RELATIONS**

**Keywords:** criminal proceedings, lawsuit, victim, defendant, civil plaintiff, civil defendant.

**Abstract.**

Purpose of the paper: identifying a special role of the lawsuit for compensation for damages caused by an offence.

Methods used: the dialectical cognition method, general scientific methods of abstraction, analysis, and synthesis, as well as special legal methods: historical legal, comparative legal, logical legal, etc.

Results obtained: features of the criminal procedural law as regards considering of civil law claims in the course of criminal proceedings are identified, legal positions of the Constitutional Court and the Supreme Court of the Russian Federation on the issues under consideration are analysed, positions taken by scholars specialising in procedural law in relation to prospects of compensation for victims of damages caused by an offence are shown, justifications are given for recommendations on resolving certain problematic questions related to hearing a lawsuit in the course of a preliminary investigation and trial of a criminal case.

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**LEGAL ASPECTS OF FORMATION OF THE MECHANISM  
FOR PROTECTING THE RIGHTS OF PARTICIPANTS  
OF THE FINANCIAL MARKET**

**Keywords:** financial market, participants of the financial market, financial organisation, basic standards, mechanism for legal regulation of the financial market, financial services, Bank of Russia.

**Abstract.**

The paper is devoted to studying the role and place of basic standards of financial organisations in the system of legal regulation of financial market relations. The author notes the problem of insufficient financial awareness of consumers of financial services which the said standards are expected to raise. The possibility of considering the said instruments as sources for legal regulation of relations with the involvement of financial organisations is examined. It is noted in the paper that the basic standards of financial organisations should be considered as sources for regulating the financial market whose content ensures building a mechanism for protecting the rights of participants of financial relations. The author notes that the basic standards of operation of financial organisations contain provisions enabling the Bank of Russia to carry out oversight response measures or, in case of good reasons, to use measures of coercion and/or conviction.

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## **MONITORING THE LEGAL REGULATION OF GENETIC DATA PROTECTION IN THE EUROPEAN UNION**

**Keywords:** genetic information, genome, security, human genetic material, personal data, privacy, data protection, European legislation, legal regulation, data protection.

**Abstract.** The legislative experience in protecting genetic, biometric, and medical information using the case of certain European countries (Germany, Italy, and France) is studied in the paper. An analysis is carried out of the impact of Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data as well as of the repeal of Directive 95/46/EC on the harmonisation of national laws of countries of the European Union in the field of genetic privacy and security.

The system approach, analysis and synthesis methods, and comparative legal studies form the methodological basis for this study.

The study carried out makes it possible to conclude that due to the active use of biological information and arising potential risks it is necessary to create a clear and efficient legal framework to ensure the privacy, security, and anonymity of using personal genetic data of people.

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## **MONITORING REGIONAL STRATEGIES OF SPATIAL DEVELOPMENT OF RUSSIAN CITIES: MODELLING POLITICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICES. PART 2**

**Keywords:** region, city, spatial development, strategies, political and administrative practices.

### **Abstract.**

Purpose of the paper: presenting the problems of Russian cities in the mainstream of: regional development, harmonisation of the urban space and functioning of the city's social and economic system, working out and implementation of development strategies of cities in regional formations considering the views of different actors: authorities, business, NGOs, social groups and individual citizens, which presumes constant scientific support for the strategies at all implementation stages and constantly monitoring the effectiveness of measures carried out.

Method of study: analysis of statistics and sociological survey materials.

The information background of the paper is statistical data for the Russian Federation on the whole, for its republics, krais, oblasts, autonomous okrugs (districts) and individual cities as well as the results of sociological studies carried out in different cities of Russia categorised by population size, administrative status, social and economic development level and profile, spatial location.

The results obtained are presented in the form of analytical provisions and proposals aimed at improving the system for working out city development strategies, concerning the formation of the strategy content within which the document should include a set of basic and additional sections whose composition depends on the city type. A system of strategic goals and priorities for the main areas of social and economic development of the city is proposed for cities of different types. These areas are linked to the urban development index: economic development, human capital development, improving the quality of the urban environment, and developing social infrastructure. A set of typical priorities for the city's social and economic development is proposed. As regards the priorities, it is recommended to lay down and make specific the lines of development for this city worked out jointly by all stakeholders and ensuring its competitiveness in the short, medium and long term, to wit: economic development based on modern technologies, human capital development, investment climate improvement, urban infrastructure development, increasing the efficiency of municipal administration, agglomerational integration, and preservation of social and cultural identity.

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## **THE PANDEMIC AND CRIMINALISATION OF SOCIETY: HOW TO PREVENT A VICIOUS CIRCLE. PART 2**

**Keywords:** coronavirus, criminology, crime, identity of the offender, fraud, domestic violence, cyberbullying, cybercrime, latency, criminological forecast, combating crime.

### **Abstract.**

Purpose of the paper: examining the international situation as regards combating crime in the period of the COVID-19 virus pandemic.

Methods of study: sociological, comparative legal, statistical, analysis, synthesis, deduction.

Result obtained: a comparative analysis of the state of crime and combating it in Russia and abroad in the period of the COVID-19 virus pandemic is carried out.

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## **LEGAL PROTECTION OF INFORMATION ON THE INTERNET UNDER THE CONDITIONS OF DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION OF RUSSIA**

**Keywords:** digital transformation, digitalisation, informatisation, Internet, legal regulation instrument, legislative framework.

### **Abstract.**

Purpose of the paper: studying trends in the development of legislation and government policy in the field of ensuring security of information on the information and telecommunications network Internet, and identifying the most topical problems and questions encountered by the academic community in the process of examining this area.

Problems touched upon: studying law theory approaches to the concept and classification of information placed on the Internet, carrying out an analysis of legal protection of information on the Internet in the Russian Federation, identifying problematic questions encountered by law enforcement agencies when citizens are held liable for violating national laws in the information sphere.

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