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TYPES OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL IN THE PROTECTION OF NATURAL RESOURCES

The author carries out scientific and theoretical research of the classification of environmental control in the sphere of protection of natural resources from the perspective of laws of the system as a whole and the interaction of its components.

Analysis of the existing practice of the division of environmental control into certain types testifies to the fact that conventional criteria for classification do not exist. The most common classification criterion used by scientists is the subject of environmental control. Ecological and legal acts also lack unity in determining the types of environmental control. It is a disadvantage and requires proper legal regulation.

The analysis revealed the conditions and opportunities of integrated consideration of social, economic and environmental factors in the implementation of environmental monitoring in the field of natural resources.

So, the solution of environmental problems at the regional level is possible only on the basis of a systematic approach by way of scientific research of ecological control.

Today, the feasibility of carrying out the state ecological control in the field of protection of natural resources in relation to small businesses with low or moderate risk is almost eliminated. Solving this issue, a considerable attention must necessarily be given to the public opinion of the inhabitants of this territory.

Establishing cooperation between the company (the subsoil user) and the public affects the prestige of the enterprise. The environmental NGOs have an impact on public opinion that can create a negative reputation of "the company-pest" which is reflected in the profit value of the shares.

The primary purpose of control activities' classification in the field of protection of natural resources should be not only of theoretical but also of practical significance. The classifications proposed by scientists do not consider the level of implementation of environmental control in this area.

Thus, environmental problems occur at three levels: national, regional and local. It is proposed to classify the ecological control in the field of protection of natural resources into national, regional, and local (according to the territorial criterion).