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LEGAL FRAMEWORK OF THE INFORMATION SOCIETY DEVELOPMENT IN UKRAINE

The author investigates the influence of national information law principles and international legal standards on the creation and development of rules-standards that are the benchmarks for the formation of information legislation of Ukraine in the framework of the information society.

The article substantiates the importance of the systemic form of information law principles organization, the impact of this system and international legal standards on the formation of rules-standards of information legislation of Ukraine, which have become major benchmarks of effective legislation to ensure the development of the information society of Ukraine in the context of globalization.

The basic internationally recognized principles of the law on freedom of expression and information are analysed as set out in documents prepared under the auspices of an international organization "Article 19 of the Universal Campaign for free expression".

These principles considered in the article can become the basis of National Institute of Information Law development – the rights of the media and can be included into the Draft Information Code of Ukraine. At the same time, this step should be preceded by a thorough analysis of the feasibility of the regulatory consolidation of these principles in the information law in Ukraine that can be implemented, for example, by including appropriate provisions in the Annual Plan of adaptation of the national legislation to the EU legislation, as well as carrying out related scientific research. By the way, this conclusion is not only fully consistent with the provisions of the Law of Ukraine "On Main Principles of Development of Information Society in Ukraine for 2007–2015" but also develops some areas of legislative support of the information society development.

Legal ways and means of implementation of international legal principles to information legislation in Ukraine require further studies, taking into account the objective necessity to adapt national legislation to international legal standards in terms of the development of the global information society.