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## CONTROL OVER ACTIVITIES OF THE NATIONAL POLICE OF UKRAINE

On the basis of the complex analysis of theoretical, methodological principles, normative legal acts, the essence and peculiarities of control over the activity of bodies and units of the National Police of Ukraine are described, types and forms of control are characterized, the legal regulation of its implementation is analyzed, problems connected with its realization for current conditions, formulated suggestions and recommendations for the improvement of the legal regulation of control over the activities of the police.

It was established that control in the field of public administration can be characterized as a form or type of activity, principle, function, stage of the managerial process, and means of ensuring legality.

It was emphasized that the control over the activities of the bodies and units of the National Police of Ukraine provides the opportunity to direct their activities to fulfill the pre-set tasks by checking the actual state of affairs and provision of relevant proposals that are detailed in the functions and powers of the controlling entities, the degree of implementation of the reality decisions is specified. The numerous and diverse tasks of the

police, which relate primarily to the rights, freedoms and interests of individuals and legal entities, require adequate approaches to the establishment of an appropriate police control system as the most effective means of ensuring the rule of law and respect for the rights and freedoms of citizens.

It is proved that the main purpose of the control over the activities of the bodies and units of the National Police of Ukraine is not only to examine the shortcomings in the work on the basis of the examination of the state of affairs, but also to find out ways to eliminate them, and, if it's necessary, to maintain development and implementation of specific measures for the improvement of the situation, provision of methodological assistance in the development and adoption of managerial decisions.

It is substantiated that control in general is the observation, verification or supervision of the operation of the relevant object in order to obtain objective and reliable information about the state of affairs on it. The functional purpose of monitoring is to obtain operational information about subordinate bodies, to reflect objectively the actual state of affairs on controlled objects, to identify positive experiences and miscalculations in the organization and the work of the bodies and units of the National Police, specific police officers. It is emphasized that the current system of control over the activities of the National Police of Ukraine is characterized by a combination of external and departmental control, which allows to cover the maximum number of actors (police bodies and units) with appropriate measures and achieve a high level of reliability obtained during the monitoring and monitoring measures of information, which is used to accept the appropriate levels of decision-making by police chiefs aimed at the increasement of the level of observance of the rights and freedoms of citizens.

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