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PROBLEMS OF APPLYING THE CASE LAW OF THE EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN THE PRACTICE OF INVESTIGATIVE UNITS OF THE NATIONAL POLICE OF UKRAINE

The article is devoted to the theoretical and practical problems of applying the case law of the European Court of Human Rights in the criminal investigation of Ukrainian investigation units National Police of Ukraine, determining the place and role of decisions of the European Court in the national legal system as a source of criminal procedural law.

Study and analysis of the provisions of the Constitution of Ukraine, the new Criminal Procedural Code of Ukraine and the current legislation on the activities of pre-trial investigation units in Ukraine and the practice of their application during pre-trial investigation of norms of international legal standards regarding the protection of the rights, freedoms and legitimate interests of a person, the case law of the European Court of Justice Human rights on these issues under the new criminal procedure law of Ukraine testify, that the essential shortcoming of the system of legislative provision of regulation of this activity of pre-trial investigation bodies is that the provisions of the new CPC led to a radical change in the domestic criminal-law doctrine. The revision and improvement of the current legislation, and in particular the important and determinative positions, such as the changes to the CPC and the Criminal Code, should be based on a thoroughly elaborated scientific concept based on real needs of existing practice and the development of public relations in the state.

It is precisely in the work of the bodies of the pre-trial investigation of the National Police that the situation of the fight against crime and the real state of protection of the rights, freedoms and legitimate interests of individuals and legal persons from criminal and other illegal encroachments are most clearly reflected. Therefore, the cardinal change in the criminal process in Ukraine in this part could not be introduced without fundamental research, taking into account the achievements of the leading domestic scientists in this field, as well as the introduction of the relevant law conditions. The legalization of these requirements by the legislator in the course of the work of the CPC in 2012 has led to a number of legislative mistakes, including in matters of ensuring the rights, freedoms and legitimate interests of a person in criminal proceedings. Despite the positive features of these and other innovations, the practice of applying during the pre-trial investigation of the norms of international legal standards regarding the rights, freedoms and legitimate interests of a person, the practice of the European Court of Human Rights on these issues under the new criminal procedure legislation of Ukraine testifies, that domestic criminal procedural legislation needs to be improved on the implementation of criminal proceedings in this area through the implementation of international legal standards. In connection with this, there is an urgent need to develop appropriate mechanisms for implementation, harmonization of normative legal acts, provisions of the new CPC of Ukraine with international legal acts on this issue, which are sources of criminal procedural legislation of Ukraine.

In this connection, it also appeared necessary to consider the problematic issues of the application of these standards and the need to revise and improve certain norms and provisions of the CPC of Ukraine, which regulate the grounds and procedure for this activity, as well as the development of a mechanism for the application of pre-trial investigations of the norms of international legal standards concerning ensuring the rights, freedoms and legitimate interests of a person, the case law of the European Court of Human Rights on these issues under the new criminal procedure law Ukraine.

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