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Topical problems of differentiation in labour law in Russia

Keywords: Differentiation of labour law; employer; employee; professional standards; Labour Code

Legal regulation of labour has a lot of problems spurred by the issues of differentiation. Though current changes in the sphere refer to the same scope of issues, there seems to be little consistency. Such a situation impacts the regulation of labour relations and other relations in this sphere, disrupting the balance between the interests of the workers and employers. To address that issue several recommendations are put forward in the paper.

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Concept and legal characteristics of higher education institution in context of modern Russian law

Keywords: Educational institution; tertiary education; higher education institution; legal status; non-governmental organization; licensing; accreditation

The paper considers a complex of problems related to the determination of the legal status of higher education institutions in Russia. Having analyzed various approaches modern legal scholars use to define the concept of 'higher education organization for professional education', the author suggests another definition of this concept.

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Providing false information to Uniform State Register of Legal Entities: crime or administrative wrongdoing?

Keywords: Administrative wrongdoing; crime; Uniform State Register of Legal Entities; criminal law; falsification; economic crime

The cases of providing false information to the Uniform State Register of Legal Entities are regulated by the provisions of criminal and administrative law, however, these provisions are inconsistent and incompatible with one another. The problems with collision of norms of law give rise to the cases in which enforcement bodies will prioritize the line of criminal prosecution. Possible developments and changes in this situation are discussed in the paper.

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Problems of granting non-contributory pensions to migrant worker in member-states of Eurasian Economic Union

Keywords: Eurasian Economic Union; working migrants; pension payment; 'foreign' pension; treaties on pension payment guarantees

Within the framework of international law which foregrounds human rights protection, special attention is paid to social policy protection of migrant workers. Countries are building up cooperation in the sphere of social policymaking by signing bilateral and multilateral treaties. The Russian Federation prioritizes the issues of pension payment to migrant-workers within Eurasian Economic Union.

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Sources of financial law and problems of financial law regulation

Keywords: Sources of financial law; hierarchy of financial law sources; financial law regulation; construction of financial law norms; tax legislation; foreign currency regulation norms

The paper analyses the concept of source of financial law and provides a classification of such sources. The author outlines the problems of financial law regulation in the context of digital transformation of public governance as well as the impact of anti-COVID restrictions and imposed sanctions.

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Digital law as science and academic course at Moscow State University

Keywords: Digital law; information law; legal IT; digitalization; education

The last decade was marked by the development of digital law science as well as digital law courses within the framework of the tertiary system. Faculty members of Lomonosov Moscow State University law school have been part of that process and are happy to share their best practices.

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Assistant to notary: specifics of legal status when acting as notary's interim

Keywords: Notary; assistant to notary; interim functions and duties of a notary; control over notary's work

In the paper, the author considers the scope of duties of a notary in case of their absence, i.e. the procedure for assigning interim functions and duties of a notary, as well as certain conflicts of Russian legal norms regulating appointment to these positions.

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Third-party litigation funding and commercial arbitration in UAE

Keywords: International commercial arbitration; third party litigation financing; dispute resolution; litigation funding; UAE

The paper compares the approach to third-party financing in courts in the free trade economic zones like UAE, where the legislation is based on common law tradition, with the approach of courts of the continental zone which legislation is based on the Sharia law. The author analyzes an investment dispute initiated against UAE in the investment arbitration court to determine whether third party litigation financing practice is aligned with the doctrine of Sharia.

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Andrey Yanuarievich Vyshinsky (1883—1954), statesman and legal scholar.

Article seventy-three

Keywords: USSR; repressions; USSR General Procurator Office; I.V. Stalin; A.Ya. Vyshinsky

The paper continues the series of works devoted to the professional career and academic legacy of A.Ya. Vyshinsky. The author gives a general evaluation of A.Ya. Vyshinsky's work in the second half of 1930s and the phenomenon of the repressions during Stalin's rule.

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Local self-government in Russia: modern concept

Keywords: Local self-government; government; Constitution of Russian Federation

The paper discusses the development of the institute of local self-government in Russia. Based on the analysis of the principles laid down in the Federal Law on local self-government the author discusses the new draft of the amended version of this Law. It is argued that the unity of the system of government does not exactly mean that local governments would be fully integrated within the government system since these bodies have a specific legal nature with certain elements of civic institutions.

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Administrative liability of court-appointed administrators under Art.14.13. of the Code of Administrative procedure of the Russian Federation: court practice and ways of improving regulation

Keywords: Administrative liability; court-appointed administrator; legal uncertainty
Lack of unified judicial approach to imposing liability on court-appointed administrators under Art.14.13 of the Russian Code of administrative procedure is due to legal uncertainty of certain law provisions and inconsistency of legal requirements. It is argued that the practice of applying Art.13.14 should be adjusted, to that end, several proposals concerning the draft of new Russian Code of administrative procedure should be considered.

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Legal status of urban social groups in Ancient Rus (IX—XV centuries)

Keywords: Towns; guests; social group status; social group associations; custom
The paper discusses the work of associations formed by different urban social groups in towns of Old Rus "pre-Moscow period", the author analyzes the commercial relations between traders and craftsmen. The author takes a closer look at professional associations and associations formed in urban areas of that period.

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On specific characteristics of criminal responsibility of persons enlisted to special military operation

Keywords: Criminal responsibility; special military operation; military service contract; mobilization; martial law; release from criminal responsibility; convict; minor offence

The paper discusses new changes to the criminal law legislation, which deal with specific characteristics of instituting criminal prosecution against persons enlisted to the special military operation as well as changes which introduced provisions on criminal responsibility for failure to fulfill duties committed by military officers.