Korshun A.A. Institutional guarantees of rights and freedoms of internally displaced persons in Ukraine: theoretical and legal aspects. The article analyses the institutional guarantees of ensuring the rights and freedoms of internally displaced persons in Ukraine. Thus, the legal protection of the status of internally displaced persons in a modern legal state should be based not only on legislation that complies with international standards, but also on effective institutional guarantees. The problematic issues of institutional guarantees of the rights and freedoms of internally displaced persons have been identified and analysed. It is stressed that on the way to the European integration aspirations of Ukraine, institutional guarantees are of fundamental importance in the construction of a democratic state-building, in the development of civil institutions, since they serve as a cementing and form-forming basis for the establishment of a democratic, legal, and social state.

The attention is focused on the effectiveness of cooperation between the state and non-governmental organizations in the context of guaranteeing the rights and freedoms of internally displaced persons because, firstly, in the present situation, most civil society organizations are created to solve the problems of internally displaced persons.

The existence of such civic organizations is due to the fact that the most active members of the civil society are seeking to contribute to the safeguarding of the rights and freedoms of internally displaced persons; secondly, the activities of NGOs in certain practical situational cases can be more successful and effective than activities of state authorities and local self-government bodies. Thus, the creation of a "Educational and Scientific Laboratory for the Study of the Legal Status of Internally Displaced Persons and Ensuring Gender Equality" was recognized as an important event in the comprehensive improvement of the institutional guarantees of the implementation of the rights and freedoms of internally displaced persons and the development of the scientific potential of the Dnipropetrovsk region.

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