

SUMMARY

The legal category "civil control" in the aspect of ensuring the effective activity of public administrations is studied. The institutional framework of public control and its main components were considered: subject, object, subject and procedure for its implementation. The relationship between civil control and the development of the rule of law and civil society is determined, it supports social relations in a state of stability and balance. It is proved that public control, as an impactful form of ensuring the effective functioning of public administrations, allows us to identify shortcomings in the activities of public authorities, to verify the results of the fulfillment of their tasks and functions, defined by regulatory and legal acts regarding independent ensuring of rights and freedoms.

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