

Andriy V. Tan'ko. Administrative activities of the National police in the field of human rights and freedoms protection in Ukraine. The article bases on the analysis of normative legislation and results of modern administrative and legal researches and reveals the essence and features of administrative activity of the National police in the field of human rights and freedoms protection in Ukraine. It is analyzed the general theoretical provisions and basic definitions of the problem. It is considered the establishment of providing administrative services system as a priority for the development of the social and social-legal policy of Ukraine.

Administrative activity of the Ukrainian police is defined as state power, by-law, organizational and administrative activity, regulated by the rules of administrative law, aimed at providing police services in the fields of public and state interests' protection, ensuring public security and order, human rights and freedoms protection, counteracting offenses, providing assistance to those who need it. The features of administrative activity of the Ukrainian police summarized as follows: its determination by the norms of administrative law, human-centrism, organizational-administrative and communicative nature, social orientation, orientation to the requirements of the current legislation, etc.

It is substantiated that the main ways to improve the system of police services as an organizational basis and instrument of administrative activity of the National police are the follows: to improve the legal interaction between the individual and the state, human rights and freedoms protection, the functioning of the rule of law, and to promote the work of the National police among the population.

The author emphasizes that the person who embodies the law enforcement activities of the National police is given greater powers than other citizens to represent the state, which requires the police to take a particularly responsible attitude towards the performance of their professional duties.

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