THE CONCEPT OF MARINE SHIP AND ITS STATUS



The concept of "marine ship" is one of basic principles in Maritime law.

Whether a particular floating object is qualified as a sea vessel or not, is very important, due to the fact that its legal status and, accordingly, the legal consequences that arise in the course of navigation largely depends on it.

That is why this term paper is devoted to one of the most relevant and practically significant topics – the problem of legal definition and the status of marine ship.

TERM PAPER STRUCTURE

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 - 2. Legal features of "marine ship".
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CONCEPT OF "MARINE SHIP"

This part highlights examples of different definitions of "marine ship" in both national and international law. Despite the fact, that there are lots of different international agreements, conventions, rules and etc., there is no universal definition for this concept. All of them contain only such a definition, that is necessary the intended goal of the document.



LEGAL FEATURES OF "MARINE SHIP".



This part shows us legal features of "marine ship", which are listed in article 91, paragraph 1 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS).

This Convention defines the rights and responsibilities of nations with respect to their use of the world's oceans, establishing guidelines for businesses, the environment and the management of marine natural resources.

According to it, there are 3 basic principles of "marine ship":

- 1. ships nationality;
- 2. state registration of the ship;
- 3. ships flag.

LEGAL STATUS OF THE SHIP AND ITS CREW



This section reveals legal status of a ship and a crew qualification requirements according to legislation of Russian Federation.

According to international laws, ships legal status depends not on its functional purpose, but on the type and legal regime of its location.

CONCLUSION



These days, the usage of marine spaces has significantly increased, therefore it requires additional, better detailed regulation of this area of human activity, including at the legal level.

Thus, the problem of legal definition of the concept of "marine ship" and its status is the most relevant and practically significant nowadays.

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