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## **PRINCIPLES OF PROFESSIONAL SAFETY OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS IN UKRAINE**

Ambiguous are the views of modern scholars regarding the definition of “principles of professional safety of government officials”. The issue is highlighted mainly in highly specialized literature which examines principles of professional safety of certain categories of government officials.

In our view, the principles of protection of civil servants are a system of output, management, basic ideas and regulations that form the basis of legal regulation by the state to ensure the necessary, proper, safe working conditions of government officials providing effective results of their work and timely fulfillment of duties.

In our opinion, it is expedient to identify the following principles of protection of government officials:

- absolute value of life and health of a government official;
- provision of an adequate level of social protection of government officials;
- responsibility of the head of the state agency or body of local self-government for the creation and maintenance of safe and healthy working conditions for government officials;
- compensation for civil servants in the event of work-related illnesses or accidents in the course of official duties;
- introduction of uniform standards for the protection of civil servants in all

government agencies;

- systematic training of civil servants in the field of labor;
- combination of cooperation and consultation between the various public authorities on improving safety.

Like any objectively existing legal phenomenon, category of principles of protection of government officials has its own unique features. In view of this, it seems expedient to carry out analysis of this issue. Thus, in our view, the principles of protection of government officials have the following features:

- 1) they are necessary fundamental basis for regulation of the health of civil servants;
- 2) they are reflected in the legal acts of the labor legislation of Ukraine;
- 3) principles of protection of civil servants illustrate general trends and direction of the development of the industry;
- 4) their existence is objectively justified and mandatory for proper regulation in this field;
- 5) they are the necessary criteria for improvement of working conditions of government officials;
- 6) principles of professional safety of government officials are designed to establish an effective mechanism for effective work of employees in government agencies and local self-government.

In our opinion, this list of character-

istics of principles of professional safety contains generalized provisions inherent in the proposed categories and defines its place in the legislation on professional

health and safety. This list is certainly not complete and may be regarded as a manifestation of an integrated approach to the analysis of any phenomenon.

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## **UNAUTHORIZED ACTIONS AS A METHOD OF COMMITTING ADMINISTRATIVE OFFENCE**

Today, one of the most important tasks of the administrative law science includes best practices of considered measures in suppression of unauthorized actions and elaboration of clear recommendations concerning correct application of norms of the Code of Ukraine on Administrative Offences. In this regard, in the development of the administrative law science investigation of the unlawful act as infringement on social relations protected by norms of the legislation on administrative offences is a high priority.

Based on the analysis conducted in article it is concluded that unauthorized actions as a method of committing administrative offence incorporates the following features: they are done of one's own free will, i.e. nobody and nothing forces person to do such actions; in the course of carrying out such actions the

person defies opinion and desires of other people regarding the behavior option selected; they are realized without regulatory approval or in violation of prohibition, stipulated by applicable legislation.

According to legal confirmation, forms and goals of unauthorized actions can be divided into five groups each having unique features: 1) unauthorized abuse of rights or excess of power; 2) unauthorized performance of certain work requiring special knowledge, corresponding qualification and permission of relevant authorities; 3) unauthorized actions containing potential threat for legal order, connected with public safety provision in general and health of individuals in particular; 4) unauthorized use of tangible and intangible objects; 5) unauthorized acquisition (occupation) of tangible objects.