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TRANSFORMATION OF RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS OF MAN AND THE CITIZEN IN TERMS OF INFORMATIZATION

Informatization has both positive and negative consequences. On the one hand, conditions and mechanism of information access, processing, implementation and circulation have improved. On the other – the number of information violations has increased, including facts of unlawful collection and use of information, unauthorized access to information resources, illegal copying of information in electronic systems, stealing information from libraries, archives, banks and databases, violation of information processing technologies, application of viruses, destruction and modification of data in information systems, interception of information in technical channels, manipulation of public and individual consciousness and so on.

Retrospective analysis of the formation and development of information rights and freedoms of man and the citizen reveals that, for a long time they were considered in the light of other rights and freedoms. However, now it is possible to observe their isolation from other rights and freedoms, as well as a clear definition of the specific right among different

information rights and freedoms, including the right to information and the right of access to information. It should also be noted that this information rights and freedoms develop dynamically, giving “ordinary” rights and freedoms information character.

In view of the foregoing, it seems necessary to distinguish the following main effects of information on the system of rights and freedoms.

1. The emergence and development of information rights and freedoms of man and the citizen.

2. Providing information character of other rights and freedoms (political, economic, civil, environmental, etc.).

3. Permanent development of information and communications technologies contributes to the emergence of new information rights and freedoms; therefore, the list of information rights and freedoms is inexhaustible.

4. Further specification of information rights and freedoms of man and the citizen, particularly distinction within the right to information of the right to access to information and more.