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PROBLEMS OF FORMATION OF LEGISLATION IN THE FIELD OF ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY OF OIL AND GAS EXCAVATION IN UKRAINE

It is given the current scale of oil and gas in Ukraine and the steady growth of the production, an important factor in the successful implementation of the environmental strategy of development is to create the best legislation on environmental safety of oil and gas excavation as a basis for qualitative regulation of social relations in this area.

Thus, implementation of this type of business as the oil and gas production poses a potential threat to environmental safety, for environmental risk in this type of activity occurs even without the presence of any emergency, pollution can also occur in normal operation of oil and gas wells. In such circumstances, it is extremely important that you have adequate legal impact on social relations arising from the extraction of oil and gas, and determine the relevance of the chosen topic. The relevance of this study is also in the territory of Ukraine without any comprehensive studies on the regulation of the environmental safety of oil and gas in Ukraine in general, and the characteristics of the legislation on environmental

safety during the conduct of the above business in particular.

The article characterized the legislation of Ukraine in the field of environmental safety of oil and gas excavation, classification regulations in this area through a system method. Attention is focused on the fact that oil and gas production is environmentally unsafe activities, that is, to such activities, which are characterized by high environmental risk.

The main mechanism of formation and improvement of legislation on environmental safety of oil and gas excavation must be balanced state policy aimed at increasing the requirements and responsibilities of entities for environmental pollution and encouraging the implementation of environmental protection measures. For this purpose it is necessary to clearly define the principles of effective extraction of oil and gas in Ukraine to meet the needs of society in these strategic resources, preferential promotion of the voluntary commitments of contaminated land in their extraction and introduction of new environmentally friendly technologies in their processing.