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THE RIGHT TO PROPERTY WITH THE SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE SCOPE OF ITS PROTECTION IN BUSINESS

Abstract: *The paper analyzes the right to property under the European Convention on Human Rights, as well as the specifics regarding the protection of the property of companies in the practice of the European Court of Human Rights. Given that the protection of the deprivation of possession is the core of Article 1 of Protocol no. 1, the conditions that must be met in order for deprivation to be in accordance with the Convention are examined. In practice, the Court primarily examines cases from the aspects of the second and third rule, and afterwards based on the first rule. The three rules from Article 1 of Protocol No. 1 are separate, but not mutually exclusive, since according to judicial practice, a violation of the peaceful enjoyment of property can occur due to the combined effect of measures that lead to interference with this convention right. Although it follows from the wording of Article 1 of Protocol No. 1 that states have wide margin in limiting this right, the scope of the right to property has been significantly expanded in the practice of the supervisory bodies of the Convention, which is particularly visible from the form of protected property in business. The results of the research indicate that the scope of protection includes shares and stocks in companies, bussines licenses, business interests, compensation for loss of resources for production, certain claims of the company and intellectual property.*

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