SOCIAL STUDY

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Deformation of social law consciousness as institutional factor of corruption in Russia

Modern period of development is characterized by a profound reform of the Russian political, economic, spiritual and organizational foundations of society. This not only requires the active participation of the state in the management of the company, but also the formation of his citizens positively oriented legal consciousness. However, the widespread prevalence of corruption relations generates ideas about their normality and lack of sustainable practices of social control forms tolerant attitude towards corruption population. As a result, the ability of the population at the conscious level to observe the laws, respect the rights and freedoms of others is not always adequately reflected in practice and are often manifested in the distribution of various forms of deformation of legal consciousness. This article analyzes the most common types of displays deformation legal consciousness of citizens in contemporary Russian society. We consider the social risk of distortion of legal consciousness of Russian society, is the destabilizing of the existing political and legal order and the weakening of the moral and legal systems of society, thereby contributing to the further spread of corruption.

<u>Key words:</u> corruption, legal consciousness, legal behavior, legal culture, social consciousness, the Russian society.

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