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**CONCEPT OF LEGAL STATUS OF A NATURAL PERSON**

The legal category of "natural person" appears as the result of the selection of the process and subsequent synthesis of certain legal qualities of a person, as well as the areas of legal activity, associated with his/her existence as a separate category, as opposed to other legal entities.

A natural person as a subject of law accumulates, unites legal relations, volitional decisions, parties of legal awareness, legally significant actions, in which a man finds his/her identity, acts as legal inherent value.

The term "natural person" is heterogeneous, it consists of two parts. On the one hand, the individual is a citizen (foreigner, person without citizenship), par-

ticipates in public legal relations; on the other – individual participant of private legal relations.

Based on the position on the inadmissibility of the imposition of stereotypes in law enforcement, violent legal typification of entities, the status can be defined as a general guideline for the legislator, which determines the level of legal capacity of the individual achieved by the society, enabling further detalization of legal personality.

Legal status is intended to consolidate and provide the necessary range of individual rights and freedoms in the legal system, ensure legal "sovereignty" of the individual, not acting as a limitation of his/her will.