

ECONOMIC SECURITY IN THE SYSTEM OF NATIONAL SECURITY OF UKRAINE

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The article is dedicated to the study of the economic security place in the system of the national security of Ukraine. In Ukraine, the priority of national interests in the field of economic security is the creation of the competitive, socially oriented market economy, and ensuring a constant growth of living standards and welfare of the population.

Economic security implies the ability of the national economy to ensure its independent development, the stability of civil society institutions, sufficient defensive potential of the state under various adverse conditions and events, as well as the country's ability to protect its own interests from external and internal threats.

In order to provide the economic security, it is important to monitor and assess the level of threats. The main threats to economic security are identified: reduction of the gross domestic product, decrease of investment and innovation activity, scientific and technical, as well as technological potential; critical condition of the main productive funds in the leading industries; critical amounts of state external and internal debts; critical situation with food provision of the population; inefficient use of fuel and energy resources, insufficient rates of diversification of their supply sources, and lack of

active energy preservation policy; "shadowing" of the national economy, etc.

The main components of the economic security of Ukraine are analysed: macro-economic, demographic, social, food, productive, financial, investment, scientific and technological, energy. The main indicators of economic security are: GDP amount, birth and mortality rate, rate of labour migration of the population, welfare (poverty) and unemployment level, level of food provision, profitability of operational activities of industrial enterprises, the level of depreciation of basic means of production, share in the industrial production of the processing industry and machine building, the amount of state debt, level of science and education financing, amount of investments, share of own fuel and energy resources.

Shadowing of the national economy in the system of threats to Ukrainian economic security, which leads to an imbalance in certain spheres of the economy, takes a significant place.

The main directions of the state policy in the field of economic security of the country are determined. One of the most important tasks of our state is a creation of a reliable system of economic security ensuring as an integral part of the national security guaranteeing system of Ukraine.