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Re: the Russian Law Journal

Legal journals play an important role in dissemination of new information among both researchers and persons engaged in enforcement of law at various levels. Certainly every country has its own specific. Other countries' legal experience usually helps to give a creative meaning to the first-sight obvious facts. In Russia this international experience exchange can be done on a platform of this new legal edition. The Russian Law Journal is able to fulfill such a role even at the global level.

The specific of the Russian law system is expressed not only in the fact that it takes a middle path between anglo-saxon and romanic systems and has a mixed type of civil procedure. The Russian Law Journal editors play an essential role of making this information exchange process happen, managing the process of peer review, taking decisions on publication of manuscripts and sourcing review articles.

The law has always been and continues to be a big part of everyone's everyday life. From commerce and government to scientific discovery, healthcare, education and entertainment, the law stays above all those fields named. We already see how it has revolutionized as time goes by. Further changes will continue to affect the way we live. As law practitioners and researchers, we are responsible for

making only good changes happen, and to some extent help shape the future. That is why there is a need to cooperate and the Russian Law Journal is a great example of cooperation. It provides an ideal forum for exchange of information on a great variety of topics and more, in various formats: full length and letter length research papers, survey papers, work-in-progress reports on promising developments, case studies and best practice articles written by law experts and beginners.

Taking into account the recent increasing of the attention to the issues concerning protection of the intellectual rights we hope that the Russian Law Journal will act like the lighthouse for our foreign colleagues. Its pages will notify about the latest developments in the sphere of patent law, trademarks and Internet etc.

The Intellectual Property Court sincerely welcomes The Russian Law Journal and expresses wish and hope that the readers shall be able to ascertain among many important scientific researches the solution of the nowadays open problems in all spheres of law as well in this periodical.

President of the Court

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