Peculiarities of teaching disciplines on environmental and legal topics during the martial law in Ukraine

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Abstract

The article investigates the problems and prospects of teaching environmental legal disciplines under the conditions of martial law in Ukraine. The purpose of the study is to examine the problems and prospects of teaching environmental legal disciplines under the conditions of martial law in Ukraine. Research methodology includes such methods as analysis method, comparative method, forecasting method, and logical methods. Various approaches to the teaching of the above-mentioned disciplines in the conditions of martial law were analyzed, and the degree of importance and interest in them was determined, which allows us to state that all legal relations that make up the relevant subject of each of the studied legal disciplines were negatively, and sometimes critically, affected in the conditions of martial law. Since February 24, 2022 (since the introduction of martial law on the territory of Ukraine), most of the specified legal relations have been significantly limited, and sometimes even blocked (for example, land and agrarian ones). The existing situation required a quick reorientation in the teaching of relevant legal disciplines. Conclusions are made regarding the development prospects of each discipline.

Keywords: agrarian law, alternative energy law, environmental law, natural resource law, land law.
Resumen

El artículo investiga los problemas y perspectivas de la enseñanza de disciplinas jurídicas ambientales bajo las condiciones de la ley marcial en Ucrania. El objetivo del estudio es examinar los problemas y perspectivas de la enseñanza de disciplinas jurídicas ambientales bajo las condiciones de la ley marcial en Ucrania. La metodología de investigación incluye métodos como el método de análisis, el método comparativo, el método de pronóstico y los métodos lógicos. Se analizaron diversos enfoques de la enseñanza de las disciplinas mencionadas en las condiciones de la ley marcial y se determinó el grado de importancia e interés en las mismas, lo que permite afirmar que todas las relaciones jurídicas que conforman la materia relevante de cada una de Las disciplinas jurídicas estudiadas se vieron afectadas negativamente, y a veces de manera crítica, en las condiciones de la ley marcial. Desde el 24 de febrero de 2022 (desde la introducción de la ley marcial en el territorio de Ucrania), la mayoría de las relaciones legales especificadas se han limitado significativamente y, a veces, incluso se han bloqueado (por ejemplo, las relacionadas con la tierra y las agrarias). La situación existente requería una rápida reorientación en la enseñanza de las disciplinas jurídicas pertinentes. Se extraen conclusiones sobre las perspectivas de desarrollo de cada disciplina.

Palabras clave: derecho agrario, derecho de energías alternativas, derecho ambiental, derecho de recursos naturales, derecho de tierras.

Introduction

The threats require the development of new legal solutions and practical steps aimed at ensuring the functioning of land, agrarian, ecological, natural resource, energy legal relations, and legal relations in the field of alternative energy. The military aggression is a negative factor affecting all important areas of life and health of the population of Ukraine. Thus, we are already seeing the terrible consequences of the negative impact on water bodies, including the Black Sea ecosystem, which is a consequence of oil pollution, organic pollution due to the destruction of the wastewater treatment system, and noise pollution that injures marine fauna. Military actions lead to the destruction of forests, pollution of air, soil, and land, disturbance of landscapes of territories and objects of the nature reserve fund, the condition of which is critical, and destruction of objects of flora and fauna. The risks of emergencies of critical infrastructure facilities and increased nuclear danger, etc., are increasing. Food security, as a state in which the population has physical and economic access to a sufficient amount of safe food, which is an integral component of Ukraine's national security, is also under great threat. All these problems are related to the future life not only of the population of Ukraine but also, without exaggeration, of the whole world.

The introduction of martial law in Ukraine, in accordance with the decree of the President of Ukraine, dated February 24, 2022, No. 64/2022, in connection with the military aggression of the Russian Federation (Law 2102-IX, 2022; Resolution 480, 2022) fundamentally changed the procedure for the implementation of the above-mentioned legal relations in our country, which undoubtedly affects the relevant industries as well.

In view of this, the purpose of the study is to clarify the problematic issues and prospects of teaching environmental legal disciplines in the conditions of martial law in Ukraine.

The object of the study is to the problems and prospects of studying environmental legal disciplines under the conditions of martial law in Ukraine.

The tasks of the research are:

1. Analysis of land, agrarian, ecological, natural resource, energy legal relations, and legal relations in the
field of alternative energy under martial law and their influence on the possibility of teaching environmental legal disciplines under martial law in Ukraine.

2. Analysis of the current state of teaching environmental legal disciplines under martial law in Ukraine, identifying the main problems faced by teachers and students during the study of these disciplines during martial law, and studying the impact of martial law on the effectiveness and accessibility of the educational process in the field of environmental law.

3. Development of proposals for improving the methods of teaching environmental legal disciplines, increasing the interest of students and teachers in this educational process.

The teaching of environmental legal disciplines is critically important in wartime, as the training of specialists in environmental law contributes to the solution of numerous challenges related to the restoration and protection of the environment. Improving teaching methods and supporting the educational process will help ensure the training of competent specialists who will be able to work effectively in the conditions of post-war reconstruction of Ukraine. Among the problems is that the instability of the Internet connection makes it difficult to conduct classes; lack of access to educational materials and technical equipment reduces the effectiveness of the educational process. Teachers and students experience constant stress and anxiety due to hostilities, which negatively affects concentration and motivation. Many students and teachers are forced to move, which creates additional challenges for the organization of the educational process.

**Theoretical Framework or Literature Review**

To study the problematic issues and perspectives of teaching environmental legal disciplines under martial law in Ukraine, the works of the following scholars were studied:

In his work, Ilkiv (2023) analyzed the problems of implementing individual organizational and legal forms of environmental security under martial law and the prospects for their improvement. Therefore, to ensure the recovery of Ukraine in the context of socio-economic planning, which considers the climate goals of the European Union, it is necessary to create a mechanism that contributes to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and adaptation to climate change.

The research of Zarzhitskyi (2012) investigated the relevance of problems related to the legal support of Ukraine’s environmental policy, including methodological and legal measures, the genesis and mechanisms of this policy, the priority directions of the state’s environmental activities, and the legal regulation of environmental quality as a strategic aspect of Ukraine’s environmental policy. Legal forms and methods of ensuring the quality of the environment were also studied.

Moreover, Zhadan (2023) noted that ensuring the rational use of natural resources is of great importance in the implementation of regional environmental policy. This involves the creation of an interdisciplinary scientific and practical institute, which has economic and ecological components in its composition. For a long time, it was believed that the rational use of resources means their economic profitability in the field of nature management. However, in research and policy, the understanding of this concept can vary depending on the context and approach.

To add, Kirin (2023) analyzed the problems of urban environmental law. The industrial paradigm of development has led to the depletion of natural resources, the destruction of ecosystems, and the disruption of natural balance. Rejection of the main negative aspects of this model caused a creative search by world leaders and scientists, which led to the formulation and consolidation of the concept of sustainable development in UN documents.

What is more, Kostytyski (2003) analyzed the theoretical provisions regarding the ecology of the transition
Period. Pavlov & Pavlova (2023) considered the problems of rational use of the socio-economic, ecological, and energy potential of Ukraine and its regions in the conditions of martial law. Further, Pyokhov, Pyokhova, & Shevchuk (2018) considered the environmental crisis in Ukraine in the context of ensuring the implementation of state environmental policy.

Kolomoiets, Galitsina, Sharaia, Kachuriner, & Danylenko (2021) claim that agriculture is a crucial sector of the economy that requires ongoing legislative enhancement. Its significance stems from supplying the population with food and delivering raw materials for industry.

Additionally, Semernya, Lyubynskyi, Fedorchuk, Rudnytska, & Semernya (2022) investigated environmental security under martial law. Analyzing the results of polls about ecological danger in Ukraine among ordinary citizens, it can be noted that the population understands the whole tragedy of the complex situation and experiences the psychological consequences of war caused by the intervention of an aggressor country that is an enemy of our sovereignty.

Problems of environmental safety law, 2016, are considered in the book of Krasnova & Kirina (2016). The agrarian and land law of Ukraine through the modern paradigm and development prospects is analyzed in the work of Hetman & Kurman (2012). Shemshuchenko (2023) investigated the organizational and legal problems of ecological security of Ukraine under martial law.

Finally, Yakovyshyn & Tkach (2022) noted that the training of specialists of any profile should meet the needs of the time and solve the urgent challenges of today. The boundaries of the educational programs of the 101 "Ecology" specialty, considering their focus, make it possible to make changes to the educational components to ensure the ecological safety of urban areas affected by military activity.

**Methodology**

Researching the problems and prospects of teaching environmental legal disciplines under the conditions of martial law in Ukraine can use various research methods to obtain objective information and conclusions.

With the help of the analysis method, problematic issues from the review and analysis of scientific works, articles, books, and legislative acts related to environmental legislation, education, and war in Ukraine were investigated. Analysis of the problems and prospects of teaching legal disciplines related to environmental issues in the conditions of martial law in Ukraine requires a structured approach to understanding the impact of the ongoing conflict on education. This involves identifying key challenges, assessing current teaching practices and making suggestions for improvement to improve the learning process and maintain educational standards.

In particular, a comprehensive analysis of the existing literature was carried out regarding: the impact of martial law on educational systems; previous cases of educational adaptation in conflict zones, best practices of distance and crisis education, as well as the current state of legal and environmental education in Ukraine. By systematically identifying problems, evaluating current practices, and studying innovative solutions, the goal is to increase the sustainability and effectiveness of environmental and legal education in conflict situations.

Logical methods of research may contribute to the understanding of the problems and prospects of teaching environmental legal disciplines in the conditions of martial law in Ukraine. In particular, the main terms and concepts related to the problem of teaching environmental legal disciplines in wartime are defined. The teaching of legal disciplines on environmental and legal issues under martial law in Ukraine faces unique challenges and opportunities. Logical methods of research can provide a structured framework
for analyzing these issues and identifying viable solutions. Example:

Research Compilation: Collect studies on remote education during conflicts, impacts of war on student performance, and case studies on environmental law education.

Critical Appraisal: Assess the methodologies and conclusions of these studies for reliability and applicability. Synthesis: Create a summary of key findings and identify best practices and gaps in the current research. By applying these logical methods of research, a thorough and structured analysis of the problems and prospects of teaching legal disciplines on environmental and legal issues under martial law in Ukraine can be conducted. This approach will help in identifying the specific challenges faced, evaluating the effectiveness of current strategies, and proposing well-founded recommendations for improvement.

The forecasting method has become a useful method for determining the possible prospects of teaching environmental legal disciplines in the conditions of martial law in Ukraine and identifying possible problems that may arise in the future. The study of historical data and trends in the teaching of environmental legal disciplines under the conditions of martial law in Ukraine made it possible to identify certain patterns and predict possible future changes. The use of the forecasting method made it possible to gain a deeper understanding of the possible prospects and problems of teaching environmental legal disciplines under the conditions of martial law in Ukraine and to prepare appropriate strategies for overcoming challenges.

The application of the comparative research method can help in understanding the problems and prospects of teaching environmental legal disciplines in the conditions of martial law in Ukraine. This include:

Literature review: Academic papers, reports, and articles on education in conflict zones.

Field reports: Documentation from NGOs, international organizations, and local authorities.

Identifying similarities and differences: Compare how each case addresses the challenges of teaching legal disciplines during conflict.

Assessing effectiveness: Evaluate the effectiveness of different strategies and adaptations.

Contextual adaptation: Consider the specific cultural, economic, and political contexts that influence education in each case.

In particular, thanks to this method, a comparative analysis of the methods of teaching environmental legal disciplines in martial law conditions was carried out, which contributed to the identification of effective approaches and strategies. The achievements and results of the teaching of environmental legal disciplines were evaluated, which made it possible to draw conclusions about which approaches are the most successful and implemented. The comparative method provided an opportunity to gain a unique insight into what approaches might be most effective under martial law conditions in Ukraine and what challenges might be unique to this context. The comparative research method provides a comprehensive framework for analyzing the problems and prospects of teaching legal disciplines on environmental and legal issues under martial law in Ukraine. By comparing with other conflict-affected regions and historical contexts, valuable lessons and best practices can be identified and adapted to enhance the resilience and effectiveness of Ukrainian legal education during these challenging times.

**Results and Discussion**

The methodology of teaching environmental legal disciplines should involve the use of several basic ideas.
First, it is the use of an integrated approach. This is because any researched direction can have several branches and constituent parts (take as an example the energy system, which has electricity, thermal energy, fuel, and transport energy, and its components are coal, oil and gas, nuclear, hydropower, and alternative energy). Each of the branches has its objective characteristics, but at the same time demonstrates a close relationship with other parts. The improvement of the legislation should consider both the need to unify the legal foundations of the functioning of a certain area and the need to specialize in legal regulation.

Secondly, the development of the conceptual basis for the reform of legislation should consider such a necessary condition as the minimization of the amount of public funds spent. Thirdly, a feature of the disciplines of the ecological direction is the need to take into account the natural potential of Ukraine, since most of the studied directions use natural resources or are natural resource activities.

Fourth, for the development of a well-founded conceptual improvement of legislation in this direction, it is strategically important to permanently use the method of greening, which consists of considering ecological requirements and the need to protect the natural environment when developing any legal mechanism.

Thus, despite the challenges of today, which the war dictates to our country, there are all prerequisites for the continuation of pre-war reforms and the creation of new urgent norms, which are necessary for the development of relations, the research of which is oriented to the legal disciplines of the environmental direction.

For this purpose, it is proposed to consider land, agrarian, environmental, natural resource, energy legal relations, and legal relations in the field of alternative energy under martial law in separate blocks within the framework of the legal disciplines that cover them.

Land Law

The war also posed new challenges to the legislators regarding and ensuring the implementation of land rights during martial law. So, starting from 24.02.2022, the work of the online resource – Public Cadastral Map was stopped. In addition, it was forbidden to carry out any operations related to the sale of land plots, and the possibility of receiving some services was limited (in particular, viewing information about a land plot, obtaining information from the State Land Cadastre), which relates to the implementation of cyber-attacks on relevant resources. the holder of which is the state. In addition, some territories of Ukraine became temporarily occupied, so there was a need to legally regulate the status of such lands and land plots.

The impetus for the possible partial de conservation of land legal relations was the adoption by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine of Resolution No. 480 dated 19.04.2022, according to which the sale/purchase of immovable property and the execution of relevant alienation agreements with certain features were allowed (Resolution 480, 2022). But only on 05/07/2022 the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine adopted Resolution No. 564 (2022), which was finally brought into line with the requirements of the legislation. Since notaries must obtain information from the state land cadastre to certify agreements with land plots, and before the adoption of the beforementioned Resolution, as already noted above, this service was impossible.

Another important step in the regulation of land relations in conditions of war was the adoption the Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Legislative Acts of Ukraine Regarding the Features of Regulation of Land Relations in Conditions of Martial Law" (Law 2247-IX, 2022). This legislative act simplified the leasing of state and communal land plots for the placement of production facilities of enterprises displaced (evacuated) from the war zone, critical infrastructure facilities, and placement of facilities for the temporary
stay of internally displaced persons.

The Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Legislative Acts of Ukraine Regarding the Restoration of the System of Registration of Land Lease Rights for Agricultural Purposes and Improvement of Land Protection Legislation" (Law 2698-IX, 2022) the procedure for conducting land auctions (trading) was restored for the purpose of transferring land plots for use.

During the first half of 2023, several laws were also adopted, among which the most comprehensive regarding land legal relations is the Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Legislative Acts of Ukraine on Improving the Legal Regulation of Performing Notarial and Registration Acts When Acquiring Rights to Land Plots" (Law 3065-IX, 2023), which regulates and clarifies many issues regarding the acquisition of rights to land agricultural land.

After the end of martial law, many issues will be devoted to the restoration of lands and the elimination of their clogging and pollution. There will also be many questions regarding the return of land plots to their owners and compensation for damages caused by military actions.

Agrarian Law

The first thing that suffers in a state that is forced to conduct military operations is the food security of its population. Currently, there is an urgent question regarding the formation of such legislation, which can preserve the achieved level of agricultural production and protect the population of Ukraine and the world from hunger. This is extremely relevant if we remember that Ukraine's contribution to the world food market is equivalent to feeding about 400 million people, not considering the country's population.

In accordance with Goal 2 of the National Report "Sustainable Development Goals: Ukraine" (Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine, 2017) "Overcoming hunger, development of agriculture", the said report states that "the agro-industrial complex of Ukraine is currently the leading link of the national economy, which largely determines socio-economic development, forming 14% of gross value added and more than 40% of the country's exports. Currently, the agricultural sector is almost the only locomotive of the Ukrainian economy. Almost 90% of the food needs of the country's population (within their purchasing power) are met by domestic products. The main problems of the development of the agrarian sector of the economy are as follows:

1) reduction in the number of the population living in rural areas, in general, and employed in agricultural production;
2) low level of labor productivity caused by worn-out production facilities, use of outdated technologies, insufficiently developed rural infrastructure;
3) the instability of the competitive positions of domestic agricultural products on foreign markets due to the incompleteness of the processes of adaptation to European requirements regarding the quality and safety of food products, because of which the share of exports of food industry products is less than the share of exports of agricultural raw materials;
4) lack of motivation among agricultural producers to comply with agro-ecological requirements;
5) lack of information of a significant part of agricultural producers about market conditions and business conditions in the industry;
6) incompleteness of land reform" (Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine, 2017).

To resolve the main pool of problems that arose because of the introduction of martial law in the field of agrarian relations, the Verkhovna Rada adopted the Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Legislative Acts of Ukraine Regarding the Creation of Conditions for Ensuring Food Security in the Conditions of Martial Law". which changed the procedure for regulating land and agrarian legal relations in conditions of full-
scale war (Law 2145-IX, 2022).

Thus, following this Law:

1) the term of validity of all types of land use, the term of which expired during the period of martial law, has been automatically extended;
2) it is allowed to transfer land plots for commercial agricultural production for rent without conducting land auctions;
3) land lease contracts are concluded only in electronic form and are not subject to registration under the procedure established by law, instead, such contracts must be registered in special books, the form of which is approved by the competent authorities;
4) it is allowed to sublease leased plots of land for agricultural production for sowing.

For the most part, the corresponding law was aimed at ensuring the 2022 seed company. The Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Legislative Acts of Ukraine Regarding the Restoration of the System of Registration of Land Lease Rights for Agricultural Purposes and Improvement of Land Protection Legislation" (Law 2698-IX, 2022) also regulated a temporary legal mechanism for registration of lease rights to agricultural land plots without entering information about the specified right into the State Land Cadastre and the State Register of Property Rights on immovable property with the registration of the specified rights by district military administrations in the relevant Registration Books.

Of course, the new realities of the existence of Ukraine require a qualitative update of the current legislation to revise the existing ones and create new effective mechanisms for the formation of food security.

**Environmental Law**

One of the biggest damages inflicted by the aggressor state on environmental legal relations is because military actions have a devastating effect on natural ecosystems. Military actions on the territory of the state led to an increase in greenhouse gas emissions, which further deepened the global climate crisis.

The state and society faced an urgent task of developing an effective system for protecting the environment and man as part of it. There is a need to update environmental legislation adapted to the conditions of martial law, work on theoretical improvements and development, implement specific practical steps to overcome the negative environmental consequences of war, preserve and restore affected ecosystems, ensure environmental safety, and protect the environmental rights and interests of citizens.

Therefore, the legislator should direct legal measures to:

1) development of a compensation mechanism that will guarantee full compensation for environmental damage caused to the environment because of hostilities;
2) updating several legal acts by expanding the list of real and potential threats to environmental security in Ukraine and strategic directions of state environmental policy, taking into account actions on the territory of the state of martial law, in particular the Strategy of Environmental Security and Adaptation to Climate Change for the period until 2030, approved by the order of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine of October 20, 2021 No. 1363-r and the Law of Ukraine "On the Basic Principles (Strategy) of the State Environmental Policy of Ukraine for the Period Until 2030" (Law 2697-VIII, 2019);
3) improvement of the organizational and legal mechanism of environmental management following the requirements of wartime (increasing the effectiveness of the system of environmental monitoring, environmental control, etc.);
4) determination of the peculiarities of the legal regime for the use of natural resources and ecosystems,
considering the action on the territory of the state of martial law;
5) reproduction of individual natural resources, revival of natural complexes (in particular, territories and objects of the nature reserve fund), damaged because of military actions;
6) determination of the peculiarities of the implementation of environmental rights in conditions of war and increasing the effectiveness of their protection.

**Natural Resource Law**

Domestic natural resource legislation is not adapted to the regulation of relations of use and protection of natural resources in the conditions of war and post-war reconstruction – the current normative and legal regulation is not able to effectively ensure counteraction to the rapid depletion of natural resources and create effective mechanisms for their recovery. That is why there is an urgent need to develop a systemic vision for improving natural resource legislation from the standpoint of meeting modern needs because most natural resources are exhaustible – it is much easier to lose them irretrievably than to restore them. For example, the development of some strategies of the European Union and Ukraine, cause certain fears, because they can create prerequisites for a sharp exacerbation of the above-mentioned problems. We are talking about the implementation of the prepared hydrogen strategies of the EU and Ukraine. According to them, Ukraine is considered as a territory for deploying a significant volume of hydrogen production for EU needs. This perspective contains not only attractive opportunities but also serious risks. They are concentrated in the natural resource component, namely in the use of freshwater resources, which are currently in a rather difficult ecological state. Awareness of the vulnerability of our state due to military, economic, environmental, and demographic crises, as well as a clear focus on national interests, should become safeguards that will prevent future hydrogen legislation from conserving Ukraine’s raw material status and negatively affecting the state’s environmental security.

**Energy law**

Ukraine's energy security deteriorated critically during the war due to the damage to a large part of the country's energy infrastructure. The restoration of the country's energy system in the post-war period will require proper, adapted regulatory regulation that would consider the latest objective circumstances and challenges. Since the current energy legislation of Ukraine is currently not adapted to such needs, it turned out to be ineffective both during and after the war (Kharytonova, & Grigoryeva, 2021). Currently, there is an urgent need to reform domestic energy legislation, considering the impact of wartime conditions.

Legal science is currently on the path of studying individual components of energy law and legislation, where the following components are distinguished:

1) legislation on the general regulation of energy relations (regulations on the electricity market, energy efficiency, energy conservation);
2) oil and gas legislation;
3) atomic (nuclear) legislation;
4) coal legislation;
5) legislation in the field of alternative energy (Kharytonova, & Grigoryeva, 2023).

In modern conditions in Ukraine, the normal rate of differentiation of energy legislation is additionally accelerated by several systemic factors: European integration substantive restructuring of legislation, and adaptation of energy legislation to the conditions of a constant threat to energy security during military operations.

In Ukraine, the adoption of various energy strategies and programs has become an indispensable attribute of rulemaking. However, there are quite significant flaws in this: firstly, the replacement of the necessary
regulatory support by software rulemaking; secondly, the visibility of rule-making activity (most often created for foreign partners: the adoption of a program or strategy does not require special efforts, does not require resources, no responsibility arises for its non-fulfillment, but at the same time there is an opportunity to report positively on the fulfillment of international obligations, etc.).

Modern legislation, which was written under the circumstances of peacetime, turned out to be poorly adapted to the operation of the energy system in the conditions of military operations. Only at the end of 2022, because of military actions on the territory of Ukraine, a third of power plants were destroyed, and more than 40% of consumers remained without electricity. Fuel prices are steadily rising, and thermal fuel resources are limited. At the same time, the analysis of rule-making activity demonstrates that the acute social problem of energy security has not been solved systematically at the moment, because energy legislation during the wartime period was changed only point by point (for example, through the adoption of the laws of Ukraine Law 2479-IX (2022), Law 2956-IX (2023), Law 3141-IX (2023), etc.). The systemic energy crisis can be solved only by systemic restructuring of legislation.

However, it should be noted the emergence of the tendency of the transition of Ukrainian legislation from the paradigm of energy saving to the newest paradigm of energy efficiency, which is aimed at regulating relations aimed at strengthening energy security, reducing energy poverty, sustainable economic development, preserving primary energy resources and reducing greenhouse gas emissions.

**Alternative Energy Law**

The dynamics of the development of national and international legislation and the constantly growing requirements for the need to reduce Ukraine's energy dependence led to the rapid development of alternative energy. Alternative energy sources can include solar and wind energy, geothermal and hydrothermal, aerothermal, wave and tidal energy, hydropower, biomass energy, gas from organic waste, gas from sewage treatment plants, biogas, as well as secondary energy resources: blast furnaces and coke gases, methane gas, degassing of coal deposits, transformation of waste energy potential of technological processes.

From the analysis of land, agrarian, environmental, natural resource, energy legal relations, and legal relations in the field of alternative energy under martial law, it can be seen that their development and further fate are very different. Thus, for land and agrarian legal relations, prospects are returning for the continuation of those reforms that were initiated before the war. Too progressive legislation will create an inadequate regulatory environment, which reduces the effectiveness of public influence on such relations.

Therefore, the solution to this systemic problem should consist of determining:

a) temporal adequacy, that is, establishing the real timeliness of the adoption of certain norms; forecasting the degree of realism of their implementation within the specified time frame; avoiding the sudden appearance of new rules for the functioning of the industry; the guarantee of the stipulated terms (for example, the terms of receiving one or another state support);

b) factual adequacy, i.e. analysis of the actual state of social relations for their readiness, the presence of problematic aspects, possible consequences of the implementation of certain legal mechanisms;

c) formal and legal adequacy, i.e. choosing the least traumatic way of implementing a normative decision.

**Conclusions**

As a result of the study, the following conclusions were made:
The development of environmental legal disciplines is complicated by the combined effect of several main legal problems of a systemic nature, namely: a) imbalance of differentiation and systematization in the development of legislation in the relevant field; b) deformed software; c) unpreparedness of legislation for regulation in crisis conditions; d) transformation of the legal model of state support; e) application of the "political freezing" method; e) conservation of Ukraine's raw material status; g) observance of adequate rates of legislative development and transition. Solving these problems requires a systematic approach, considering many factors and circumstances, which requires high-quality scientific support for the process of rulemaking.

At the current stage, the teaching of environmental legal disciplines should be based on a crisis approach, which involves determining ways to improve land, agrarian, environmental, natural resource, and energy (including alternative energy) legislation of Ukraine through the prism of the functioning of the legal system in the conditions of military operations and further post-war restoration of the state. The proposed crisis approach is new for domestic science since previous studies of legal disciplines of the environmental direction were guided by other approaches, in particular: environmental (ensuring greening, reducing the negative impact on the environment, etc.); climatic (for example, decarbonization of the energy sector); integration (legislation reform under the influence of international European integration obligations), etc.

In addition, there is an urgent need in the teaching of environmental legal disciplines to apply the crisis testing method, which will involve checking each proposed regulatory decision for efficiency and effectiveness in the event of force majeure (crisis) situations. This method will make it possible to implement a general crisis approach to the implementation of certain norms, as well as to substantiate the expediency of certain rule-making steps in the conditions of military actions and post-war reconstruction.

The third important component in the teaching of environmental legal disciplines is the development of the latest methods of priority stress resistance, which will involve the teaching of environmental legal disciplines based on the use of the crisis testing method and the identification on this basis of the most effective and efficient legal mechanisms that are able to ensure the harmonious functioning of the outlined relations as in peacetime, as well as in crisis situations of anthropogenic, technogenic and natural nature.

Considering the perspective of the development of the studied legal relations and the solution of legal problems related to this issue, it can be noted that there are currently prerequisites for the continuation of pre-war reforms and the creation of new norms necessary for the restoration of our country. Teaching environmental legal disciplines in modern conditions and challenges requires consideration of many factors and should be aimed at: 1) defining a certain approach; 2) application of the most suitable methods; 3) developing and creating the latest methods.

As for further scientific research, we consider it necessary to investigate the international experience of teaching environmental legal disciplines under martial law.

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