

Comparison of Public and Private Law in the RF and UK



Private Law and Public Law in Russia

Russian law is a part of the civil law system and has division to Private and Public Law.

Branches of Private Law: civil law, family law, land law and others

Branches of Public Law: criminal law, constitutional law, administrative law and others

There are a lot of Codes in Russian Federation.

In Private Law there are interests of private people or company.

In Public Law there are interests of government or municipal power,

Division of law in UK

The most of legal scholars consider that there is not division to Public Law and Public Law in the system of common law which is existing in UK.

The main division of British law – division to Common Law and Law of Equity.

According to legal scholars who consider that there is division of British Law to private and Public Law:

Branches of Private Law: contract law, family law, tort law, property law, trusts

Branches of Public Law: constitutional law, administrative law, tax law, criminal law

Differences

- 1) There is not written constitution in UK, but there is a Constitution of RF (1993)
- 2) Russian law is codified, and English law is not codified
- 3) A lot of scientists consider that there is not any divisions to Private and Public Law in England

Similarities

- 1) In both governments Private Law regulates the legal relations between private people and organisations, and Public Law regulates the legal relations between individuals and power.
- 2) There are a lot of branches of law that we can see in both countries

Sources

- 1) Wikipedia
- 2) LMS: ESP 2018-2019, Private law, Public Law

Thanks for your attention!