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The appearance of a new quarterly: *Przegląd Prawa Europejskiego* on the market of legal periodicals must be welcomed with attention and recognition.

The idea to create a magazine of such a distinctive orientation follows quite naturally from the growing importance of legal questions connected with European integration. Those problems are and will certainly continue to be present in all the legal periodical;¹ *Przegląd Prawa Europejskiego* declares that they will be its main focus. The editorial, specifying the magazine's aims, written by Prof. E. Łętowska, President of the European Law Promotion Foundation, and the contents of the first issue prove that the Founding Committee (general editors: Dr. hab. W. Czapliński, Institute of Political Sciences at the Polish Academy of Sciences, Prof. C. Mik, Chair of Human Rights at the Mikołaj Kopernik University, scientific secretary Dr. E. Tomkiewicz, Institute of Political Sciences at the Polish Academy of Sciences) has adopted a very broad notion of European law. It comprises questions of the law of the European Communities and the harmonisation of Polish legislation with Community law and the legislations of Western Europe, the legal aspects of the functioning of NATO, Council of Europe, OECD, etc., as well as the protection of human rights and particular comparative questions concerning national legislations.

The arrangement of the magazine is as follows: articles, a review of the judgments of the European Human Rights Tribunal and of the European Communities Tribunal, reviews, reports and a Polish bibliography on European integration.

The first issue contains articles by A. Wojciechowski: "Adjusting Polish Law to European Law - a Never-ending Process", J. Galster: "Constitutional-law Borrowings in the Institutional System of the European Communities", M. Zdanowicz: "Outside Implications of the Schengen Arrangements", W. Czapliński and A. Włosińska: "Certain Aspects of Implementing the European Treaty in Polish National Legislation", M. Kulesza: "Public Assistance for Enterprises in the Republic of Poland. The Role of Communes - Initial Observations in the Light of the Provisions of the Treaty of Rome and the Treaty on Association", A. Gras: "European Community Legislation", C. Mik: "Radio and Television Broadcasting in European Community Law" and B. Gronowska: "Reform of the Control Procedure of the European Convention on the Protection of Human Rights of 1950 - Selected Problems".

The review of judgments is a brief presentation of theses, actual states and extracts from the reasons for selected judgments of the European Human Rights Tribunal and of the European Communities Tribunal on issues which within the past few years related to various fields, such as parents' rights, the protection of property, financial law, and television advertising.

The magazine publishes reviews of both Polish and foreign works. It also takes notice of Polish and international conferences concerned with European studies.

¹ Some periodicals thought it necessary to devote whole issues to those problems: *Studia Prawnicze* 1996, no. 1-4 and *Państwo i Prawo* 1996, no. 4-5 - a jubilee issue commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of this publication.

A valuable initiative is the extensive bibliography of Polish literature relating to European law and problems connected with European integration from the years 1995-1995, including a separate presentation of books and contents of magazines. The second issue will contain a bibliography from the years 1990-1993.

Przegląd Prawa Europejskiego has good chances for becoming a periodical for readers seeking theoretical reflections and factual information, those interested in tendencies in international, foreign and Polish law, and those advanced or just beginning to study European law. We sincerely hope that the magazine will continue its laudable work.

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