

The Substantive Constitutional Constraints of Privatization

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Abstract

The substantive constraints of privatization initially deal with the question of whether a certain privatization is constitutionally permitted in the first place, or not, because many countries like France, protect the public services by the provisions of the constitution, and It is a common feature of constitutional texts that they include provisions defining the main branches of government - the executive, the legislature and the judiciary - and these provisions may be interpreted, that it would not be possible to completely privatize this functions.