**LEGISLATION MONITORING CENTRE**

Legislation Monitoring Centre (LMC) is the first institution in Poland that deals with monitoring the quality and functionality of law creation in Poland. It has been established by the Confederation of Polish Employers aimed at the contribution to raise the standards of legislative work and support the development of the social dialogue. It is the only place where one can find updates on the progress of individual legal acts and submit comments, opinions and remarks – to save time on searching for information in books, newspapers and publications. It gives the possibility to participate in the creation of new regulations and therefore influences the shape and quality of legislation. This is especially important for people managing their own business who often – under the excuse of „amenities” - experienced restrictive provisions and regulations. LMC is also the only portal acting as an information medium – making it simple for them to learn about the arranged changes and get to know what the members of the parliament are currently engaged in.

Legislation Monitoring Centre, due to the wide range of issues to be monitored and the direct access to documents related to nearly all the areas of economic life, is an extremely useful tool for entrepreneurs of all branches. On the website the legislations are grouped into clear and readable categories, making finding „that specific” project extremely simple and quick. It is a place where experts of Confederation of Polish Employers publish their opinions and external expertise, making it an excellent tool for policy makers and journalists. Especially since each user can subscribe a newsletter – freely, according to his own preferences. Thus, depending on their own decision, even daily they can find in their mailbox the latest information concerning the projects in selected areas and sectors of economy.

Before the Legislation Monitoring Centre came into being the institutional forms of law constituting did not deliver the entrepreneurs a real possibility of submitting their remarks to the draft acts. The formation of the Legislation Monitoring Centre caused that the great experience of the employers and their practical knowledge on the mechanisms, which application could provide development and increased transparenty of economic relations, is not being wasted. The importance and role of the LMC in the Polish legislation system is confirmed by numbers – over 650 legal acts are being monitorem, grouped in 28 branches, 30 areas and they are written by 22 originators. The portal itself was already visited by over 15 000 people.

The platform is available at: <http://www.cml.kpp.org.pl/>

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