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INSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL FRAMEWORK FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE KYOTO PROTOCOL IN BULGARIA

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Abstract: The publication examined the existing institutional and legal framework for the implementation of the Kyoto Protocol after its ratification by Bulgaria. The opportunities are analyzed at what extent the existing gaps in the national legislation may be supplemented by provisions in international instruments. The need of changing the institutional framework and the establishment of a special government structure to deal with the operational expertise and national policy on climate change is discussed, in view of the negative effect that would have on the economy of improper conduct.

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