SUMMARY

Subject of the thesis: Information security of Russia at the present stage.
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Relevance of the research issue is due to the fact that in the twenty-first century one of the dominant factors in the present stage of global development has become a phenomenon, sometimes described as the "information revolution". The information revolution is a symbiosis of two developing throughout all stages of the evolution of social and political processes – the constant increase of the role and increasing the volume of information necessary for the viability of human society, and the process of development and improvement of technologies for collecting and disseminating information.

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The purpose of the research issue is in the identification and evaluation of new challenges and threats to information security of Russia.

Research objectives:
- to explore the concept, scope and structure of informational security of the state;
- to classify the types and sources of threats of information safety of the state;
- to consider information security of Russia and its place in the system of ensuring national security;
- to identify problems and threats to information security of Russia.

Scientific novelty: The author obtained the following main results:
- investigates the concept of "information security", and identified that it is a complex, multilevel phenomenon, on the state and prospects of development which have a direct impact a variety of factors, which bears both internal and external nature.
- analyzed the information security of Russia, and revealed that the modern geopolitical situation requires a fundamentally different approach to the problem of security, including the improvement of the forms, methods and instruments for identifying, assessing and forecasting of threats, defending the national interests, goals and values of Russia in the global information space, as well as system to counter these threats.
**Structure:** two chapters, four paragraphs, the conclusion, bibliography list of used literature from 95 sources, including 17 sources in foreign languages. The total volume is 77 pages.

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Informatization, undoubtedly contributes to a more effective management of public processes. However informatization not only accelerates the development of civilization, but also poses new threats to national, regional and global security, which world Federation of scientists in August 2000, named among the first in the list of threats to humanity in the twenty-first century. In this regard, highlighted the special component of national security – information security.

The information environment of the society at the turn of the Millennium has become a defining factor of political, social-economic and cultural development. The decisions of the state, inter-regional, international and global problems can not take into account the state of the information environment and its influence on all spheres of public life. There is a growing awareness of the importance of international legal mechanisms, the role of the moral component in the regulation of information relations in society, combined with economic and other methods of influence on these relations.

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