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ACOM - The legal position of military personnel



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As from 1st January 2020, the legal position of civil servants in the Netherlands has been regulated through the Law on the normalisation of the legal position of civil servants.

Nataschja Hummel asks in her promotion paper as legal jurist on “The special legal position of the military”, which she successfully defended on 8th October last, if the legal position of military personnel should be “normalised”, i.e. brought in accordance with the Law on civil servants.



Ma. Dr. Hummel concludes to this affirmatively, but nevertheless in a way that account is taken of the special position of the military through special exception regulations.

(ACOM wishes to communicate that it does not take over as such the views of Ma. Dr. Hummel, but considers important that its members are informed of them.)

