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Public administration



Term Administration

- **Activity** aimed to care for certain things
- It pursues an activity that is targeted, that **follows an aim** whether its own or set by another entity, either of its own or as a duty
- It **disposes of the means** necessary to achieve the set aim
- Purposeful human activity aiming **to reach particular purposes**, targets



- **Term Management \neq Term Administration**
- **Management** a purposeful activity leading to influence the managed entity in conformity with the set aim
- **Administration**
 - ❖ specialized management
 - ❖ shows sign of stability, institutionalisation and regulation
 - ❖ applied in stabilized systems and normatively determined relations only



Public And Private Administration

- ***Interest theory***
- ***Power theory***
- ***Organic Theory***



Public Administration

- public administration as the administration of **public affairs** is administration in **public interest** and exercised as **a duty** set by law
- within public administration sets its own targets self-government
- public administration **as a service**
- legal element
- purposeful element



Organizational Principles

■ Important terms

□ *Powers*

□ *Competence*

➤ **Decentralization**

➤ **Deconcentration**

■ Territorial principle

■ Departmental principle



Organizational Principles

- Monocratic x collegial principle
- ❖ Appointing x electoral system



Public administration in the Czech Republic

- Central state administration bodies
 - ❖ *Ministries and other central state administration bodies*
 - ❖ *Czech Republic Government*
- Territorial deconcentrated - specialized state administration bodies
- Territorial administration with general competence
 - ❖ *Regions and communities*
 - Independent competence (*self-governing*)
 - Delegated competence
- Interest and professional self-government