PLANNING THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT IN SERBIA

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Abstract

This paper is an analysis of the strategic framework of industrial development of Serbia in the period of transition. The problems of spatial industrial development policies in Serbia in the last time are evaluated, in the context of resource use and environmental protection. There are recognized possible environmental consequences of industrial development perspectives in the relation to the Spatial plan of Serbia and to the Economic Development strategy of the Republic of Serbia. Unsustainable trends and process are identified, as follows: no efficient (excessive) using of non renewable resource in the industry; environmental degradation and quality of locations and persistence of high ecological risk and treatment of industrial waste. Analyzing some trends of spatial industrial development, planning-developmental perspectives and development strategies of particular sectors, it might be assumed that in the oncoming period, in certain parts of the Republic of Serbia, it can be expected an increase in ecological risk.

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