
ACTIVITIES OF ACADEMIC SOCIETIES

Jan.-Dec., 2007

1. Constitutional Law

The Japan Public Law Association held its General Meeting at Kagawa Kenmin-kaikan on October 6 and 7, 2007. The uniform theme was “Change of Governmental Structure and Constitutional Movement.” The following presentations were made.

1. General Meeting on October 6, 2007

Reports:

- (1) “We, the Japanese people, acting through our representatives in the Nation, do firmly establish this Constitution”
Yasuo Hasebe (Professor, Tokyo University)
- (2) “The Present Japanese Society and the Constitution”
Ichiro Urata (Professor, Meiji University)
- (3) “The Reform of Administrative Institutions and the Fundamental Principles in Constitutional and Administrative Law”
Kiyoshi Hamakawa (Professor, Hosei University)
- (4) “The Constitutional Theory which Administrative Law supposes”
Hisashi Koketsu (Professor, Tokyo University)

2. First Session on October 7, 2007

Reports:

- (5) “Constitutionalism and Constitutional Patriotism: Reconciling Pluralism with Consensus”
Noriyuki Inoue (Professor, Kobe University)
- (6) “Spiritual Integration of the Nation (about Japan)”
Masatoshi Takahashi (Professor, Kagawa University)
- (7) “Protection of the Nation and the Role of the State”
Mamiko Ueno (Professor, Chuo University)
- (8) “State Interference with the Family and the Protection of the Nation: Changes of Governmental Structure and the Protection of the Nation”
Kohei Yokota (Professor, Tsukuba University)
- (9) “The Legal Structure of Education: Mainly Focusing on the Educational Administration”
Yoshihide Kitagawa (Professor, Yokohama National University)

3. Second Session on October 7, 2007

Reports:

- (10) “Individual Autonomy, Market Autonomy, and the Reason for Government’s Existence”
Toru Nakajima (Professor, Waseda University)
- (11) “The Possible ‘Market’ and ‘Publicness’ in the Local Public Administrative Service”
Tatsuhisa Tamura (Professor, Shimane University)
- (12) “A Study on the Subjective Extension of Public Authority (Public Interest)”
Takeshi Hitomi (Professor, Hokaido University)
- (13) “The Legal Structure of the Police: From the Viewpoint of Constitutional Law (Scholarship)”
Osamu Ishimura (Professor, Senshu University)
- (14) “Distraction/Concentration of Police Operations and the Role of Local Government and Private Organizations: The Legal Structure of the Police”
Akio Takahashi (Professor, Osaka University)