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Dear Nataliia Fursenko,

On behalf of the Editorial Board of the scientific journal Ukrainian Political and Legal Discourse, please accept our sincere gratitude for your expert peer review of the manuscript entitled "Legal Mechanism for Obtaining Refugee Status and Asylum in the European Union".

We are pleased to inform you that, following the completion of the peer-review process and the authors' revisions in line with your recommendations, the article has been accepted for publication in No. 8 (2025): Ukrainian Political and Legal Discourse, Section: International Law.

It was a pleasure for the Editorial Team to work with such a professional, attentive, and analytically strong reviewer. Your review was prepared at a high expert level, submitted in a timely manner, and distinguished by a clear structure, well-grounded argumentation, and a balanced combination of doctrinal and policy-oriented perspectives. Our cooperation with you has confirmed your professional expertise, the consistency of your reviewing standards, and the reliability of your engagement with the Editorial Office. Your prompt communication, strict adherence to review deadlines, and consistently high analytical quality are qualities the Editorial Board values and considers exemplary among our reviewers.

We particularly appreciated your detailed and systematic evaluation of the manuscript across the key criteria, including thematic relevance, scientific novelty, structure, practical significance, methodological clarity, and language quality. Your comments were precise, constructive, and directly applicable. The depth with which you engaged with the EU regulatory framework — including the Dublin III Regulation, the Qualification Directive 2011/95/EU, the Procedures Directive 2013/32/EU, the Temporary Protection Directive 2001/55/EC, and the new Pact on Migration and Asylum 2024 — gave the authors a solid foundation for refining the manuscript.

Your review demonstrated a high level of professionalism in presenting feedback, logical consistency in arguments, and a clear understanding of the interplay between the EU's normative framework on international protection and its national implementation across member states.

We also highly value your responsible and thorough approach to the peer-review process, reflected in the depth of your analysis, your attention to both substantive and formal aspects, and the clarity of your recommendations. Such high-quality reviews are essential for maintaining the academic integrity, credibility, and professional standards of our journal.

Thank you for your contribution to Ukrainian Political and legal discourse. We look forward to continuing our collaboration in future peer-review activities, especially in international law, EU migration and asylum law, human rights protection, and the legal dimensions of post-war recovery and European integration.

With respect and best wishes,

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