

Judicial Review and its Impact on Constitutional Interpretation

Hema Shrivastava

Assistant Professor

Sarwa Dharma Mahavidhyalaya, Kheriya Modi, Madhya Pradesh

Abstract: *Judicial review, the power of courts to review the constitutionality of legislative acts, is a cornerstone of modern democratic systems. This paper examines the evolution, principles, and applications of judicial review, with a particular focus on its impact on constitutional interpretation. It analyzes various approaches to interpretation, including textualism, originalism, and purposivism, and explores how judicial review has shaped the development of constitutional law. Additionally, the paper discusses the potential limitations and challenges associated with judicial review, such as judicial activism and the erosion of democratic principles.*

Keywords: Judicial review, constitutional interpretation, textualism, originalism, judicial activism, democratic principles