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**KNOWLEDGE OF ENGLISH IS THE KEY TO  
A SUCCESSFUL CAREER FOR A LAWYER**

The lawyer is a profession, which concerns all parties of public life. Everything that is subject to legal settlement - an ancestral land of lawyers. Many experts in the field of law ask a

question today - whether "English is necessary for the lawyer?" It is possible to answer "no" if you are going to work in government bodies. To a subject not less even can demand knowledge of English from you there. If to be engaged in private practice, then English will be rather a need, than pleasant addition.

In the market of legal services competition toughening is observed recently more and more companies as the main requirement for candidates put forward knowledge of English. But the good knowledge of the general English doesn't guarantee you understanding of all legal terms and subtleties in this language. Respectively, the first that is necessary for the lawyer - it understands of all subtleties of his profession not only in Russian, but also in English. For receiving the necessary knowledge, it is better to use a special course of studying of language, beginning from the general business of terminology, finishing with specific terms and features of their use.

The lawyer working with documents in a foreign language needs to understand what he does well. Whether it is worth saying about how a bike there can be a mistake price? For the company it can turn back loss of reputation, enormous penalties, omission of financial benefits and many other unpleasant consequences.

Also, lawyers who learn English develop the skills of reading and speaking skills. Subsequently it helps at negotiations, for upholding of interests of the company with courts (including international), readings professional literature and communication with foreign colleagues. Finally, there is a wish to tell that the lawyers working in the private companies often receive up to two times more colleagues working in government bodies. For many it can begin excellent motivation to learn language.

First, the lawyer who knows a foreign language has more opportunities for contacts with foreign colleagues. He can exchange more actively experience, go by conference, etc.

Secondly, such expert will always have a possibility of additional earnings thanks to the translations of special legal texts.

Thirdly, if the lawyer who perfectly knows English is engaged in scientific work, he will have an access to a huge number of information in a foreign language, he can write articles in English, be published in foreign magazines.