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RELIGIOUS POLICY AND FREEDOM OF RELIGIOUS ACTIVITY AT
VIETNAM

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ABSTRACT

This study focuses on analyzing religious policy and religious activities in Vietnam since “Innovation” (1986). This study shows that there has been a fundamental change in the state’s policy towards religions, the state creates all conditions for religions to operate in accordance with the law, associate religion with the daily life of the people. This study also analyzes religious trends in Vietnam in the new period, such as the trend of the secularization of religion, the trend of religious modernization, emerging religious phenomena, religious ways newly formed and characterized of new some religious phenomena. The author then asserted the need for both theoretical and practical research on religious trends and policies in the new situation, the positive and negative factors of religious trends, the need continue to amend and amend religious policies, contributing to improving the policies of the Communist Party and the State of Vietnam on religion, ensuring democracy and equality in religious activities in Vietnam.