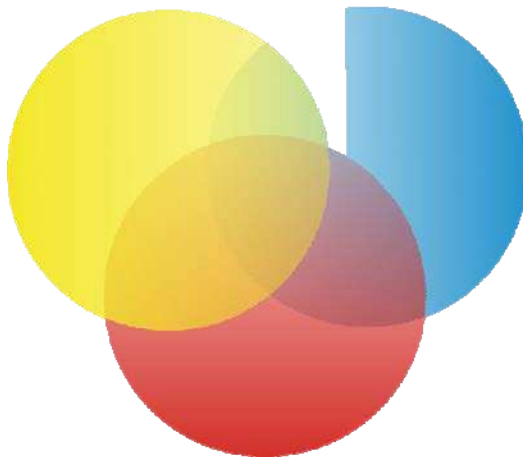


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## Acquiescence

- The acceptance of a practice by one branch of government that implicates the role of another branch

## Types of Acquiescence

- By agreement
- By waiver

## Legislative Acquiescence

- To the judicial branch\*
- To the executive branch



## Terminology

- Legislative acquiescence
- Legislative acceptance
- Legislative silence



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