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### **346 Private law**

The attached table includes changes under consideration in Exhibit 133-17: 340 Law (June 2010).

The proposed revision is the result of the discussion of German Law Librarians Stefanie Dechent, Yvonne Jahns, Helga Karg (Deutsche Nationalbibliothek Frankfurt/Main, Leipzig) and Ivo Vogel (Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin)

The objective of our proposal is a discussion with the other EDUG members to improve DDC private law's division for users in countries with civil law tradition. Private law and in particular contract law, is of course a special challenge for classifying publications in this legal tradition. Several legal issues are not included in 346 or are integrated within the table in a total different order compared to our concept of legal science.

Our orientation is also the current European development of a harmonized EU private law which is stipulated in the draft of a European Civil Code. But this helps only looking at key abstract concepts; the increasing role of legal harmonization does not mean a consistent language common to European private law. We cannot simple translate legal terms.

It is also aimed here to improve the German edition, which was the first translation into German. Using DDC some years carried out more professionally appropriate caption translations. This can help users finding the right numbers resp. relevant publications.

The purpose of the proposal is ensuring that all relevant search entries can be offered, not an entire change of Dewey number ordering corresponding to traditional European (law) classification systems.

It is intended to collect other European proposals and to come out with a summary until next EDUG business meeting in 2011.

A discussion meeting is planned at IFLA WLIC 2010 on August, 11 in Gothenburg. Everybody is invited to send comments to <mailto:y.jahns@d-nb.de>

Proposed changes of the 346 table are indicated in red.

**346 Private law**

*See also 340.9 for private international law*

**SUMMARY**

**346.001–.009 Standard subdivisions; laws, regulations, cases, procedure, courts; equity**

**.01 Persons and domestic relations**

**.02 Juristic acts, contracts, agency**

**.03 Torts (Delicts)**

**.04 Property**

**.05 Inheritance, succession, fiduciary trusts, trustees**

**.06 Organizations (Associations)**

**.07 Commercial law**

**.08 Banks and insurance**

**.09 Investment and negotiable instruments**

**.1 Socioeconomic regions**

**.2 Regional intergovernmental organizations**

**.3–.9 Specific jurisdictions and areas**

.001 Philosophy and theory

Notation 01 from Table 1 as modified under 342–347, e.g., sources of law 346.0011

.002 Miscellany

Notation 02 from Table 1 as modified below and under 342–347, e.g., cases 346.00264

.002 3 Private law as a profession, occupation, hobby

Class here nature of duties, characteristics of profession of civil-law notaries, of other notaries required to have legal education

Class notaries public (lay notaries) in 347.016. Class works that emphasize procedures of work performed by notaries with the subject without adding notation 023 from Table 1, e.g., private international law 340.9, transfer of real property 346.0436

**We are happy with the new civil law notaries class-here note.**

.003 Dictionaries, encyclopedias, concordances

.004 \*Equity

.005–.008 Standard subdivisions

.009 History, geographic treatment, biography

[.009 17] Socioeconomic regions

Do not use; class in 346.1

[.009 3–.009 9] Specific continents, countries, localities

Do not use; class in 346.3–346.9

.01 \*Persons and domestic relations

.012 \*Persons

Including names of persons

*For capacity and status of persons, see 346.013*

See also 346.048 for business names.

We are happy with the completion of name law here. Federica Paradisi from Italy suggested to have also an own number or an appropriate note for the topic of Domain-names. German librarians have classed works on that either in 346.048(8) or in 343.0994(4).

.013 \*Capacity and status of persons

Capacity: the attribute of persons (personal or corporate) which enables them to perform civil or juristic acts

Including capacity and status of aliens; of people in late adulthood; of people with disabilities; of ethnic, national, economic groups; ~~of slaves~~

The status of slaves is not suited to our ages.

Subdivisions are added for either or both topics in heading

Class liability of states to aliens in 341.26; class individual rights in 342.085; class the rehabilitation of a criminal's personal rights lost by judicial sentence in 345.077

*For criminal capacity, see 345.04*

[.013 08] Groups of people

Do not use; class in 346.013

.013 4 \*Women

.013 5 \*Minors

Including age of majority

.013 8 \*People with mental illness and disabilities

.015 \*Domestic relations (Family law)

Class here comprehensive works on domestic relations and inheritance and succession

*For marriage, partnerships, unions, see 346.016; for parent and child, see 346.017; for inheritance and succession, see 346.052*

.016 \*Marriage, partnerships, unions

Including civil unions, common-law marriage, de facto relationships, domestic partnerships, registered partnerships; unmarried couples living together (cohabitation)

Swedish colleagues stated that different rules apply to marriages and cohabitantes. Although German books often cover both groups, it is right that most European countries have different rules and the question is therefore, if it is appropriate to have them together in .016 or if it would be better to separate partnerships and unions?

Subdivisions are added for marriage, partnerships, unions together; for marriage alone

Class same-sex marriage in 346.0168

.016 3 \*Spouses

Rights and duties

Including legal status of homemakers

Class here husband and wife, married people

Class legal status of married women in 346.0134; class rights and duties in relation to divorce, annulment, separation in 346.0166

.016 6 \*Divorce, annulment, separation

Subdivisions are added for divorce, annulment, separation together; for divorce alone

> 346.016 62–346.016 64 Specific aspects of divorce, annulment, separation  
Class comprehensive works in 346.0166  
*For specific aspects of annulment, see 346.01665; for specific aspects of separation, see 346.01668*

.016 62 \*Prenuptial contracts (Antenuptial contracts)  
*For support aspects of the contract, see 346.01663; for marital property aspects of the contract, see 346.01664*

.016 63 \*Support  
Class here alimony  
*For separate maintenance, see 346.01668; for child support, see 346.0172*

.016 64 \*Marital property in divorce, annulment, separation  
Including community and separate property in divorce, annulment, separation  
Comprehensive works on marital, community, separate property relocated to 346.042

.016 65 \*Annulment

.016 68 \*Separation  
Including separate maintenance

.016 8 \*Same-sex marriage  
Class rights and duties of spouses in 346.0163; class divorce, annulment, separation in 346.0166

.017 \*Parent and child  
Including surrogate motherhood  
Class here parental rights and duties regardless of marital status of Parents

.017 1 \*Unborn children  
*For a specific aspect of unborn children, see the aspect, e.g., rights of fetuses 342.085*

.017 2 \*Child support

.017 3 \*Custody of children  
Class here joint custody, visitation rights

.017 5 \*Paternity

.017 8 \*Adoption

.018 \*Guardian and ward

.02 \*Juristic acts, contracts, agency  
Subdivisions are added for juristic acts, contracts, and agency together; for juristic acts alone  
Class juristic acts dealing with a specific legal aspect not provided for here with the aspect in 342–347, e.g., personal property 346.047

.021 General considerations of juristic acts  
Including cause, form, object, declaration of will

**Discussion needed: Including also the right of withdrawal?**

**.022 \*Contracts**

Including breach of contract, parties to contract, rescission, Subcontracting, violation of bonus morus, principle of equity and good faith (bona fide), time limits, limitation (termination), terms and conditions, party autonomy, interpretation of contracts.

*For standard business conditions, see .022 4.*

The promotion of good faith in contractual and other relationships is a fundamental legal principle, widely accepted, but not accorded the same recognition in every law. It is not recognised as a general rule of direct application in Common Law jurisdictions, but all Dewey users should help this note classing the general requirement that parties act in a good faith incl. provision of incorrect pre-contractual information.

The other issues are also fundamental and the question is, if it would even more appropriate to have own subdivisions?

There are lots of other topics, not mentioned here, like plurality of debtors, where literary warrant in civil law is such specific that own numbers would be desirable.

Class here comprehensive works on liability

Discussion is needed: Class here mixed contracts?

Class sale in 346.072; class loan in 346.073; class tenancy and rent in 346.0434 and subdivisions; class lease in 346.04346. Class contractual aspects of specific subjects in law with the subject in 342–347, e.g., partnership contracts 346.0682; class nonlegal aspects of contracts concerning a specific nonlegal subject with the subject, e.g., materials management aspects of roofing contracts 695.0687

*For government liability, see 342.088; for liability of schools, of school officials, of school districts, see 344.075; for criminal liability, see 345.04; for specific kinds of contracts, see 346.023–346.025; for extracontractual liability, see 346.03*

*new: .022 2 Non-performance and warranty (GER Leistungsstörungen)*

Class here interference with or impairment of the performance of an obligation

In German law contractual compensation claims have their basis either in general law of impairment of performance of an obligation or in the guarantee measures, regulated with the specific types of contracts. The main rules of impairment of performance (§§ 275 ff. BGB) can be applied to all obligation relationships. All kinds of impairment should be classed here as impossibility of performance, existing (or original) impossibility (or frustration), subsequent (or supervening) impossibility (or frustration), frustration of a contract, temporary impossibility, fundamental change of circumstances underlying the contract, inability (to do or perform), delay of the debtor, delay of the creditor [DNB 108 titles sh Leistungsstörung; 234 titles sh Mängelhaftung; 32 titles sh Unmöglichkeit; 54 titles sh Verzug  
Subdivision is needed because of too much titles in ddc 346.022 = 200 titles]

*new: .022 4 Standard business conditions (GER Allgemeine Geschäftsbedingungen)*

Class here standard form contracts

There is much literary warrant on the question of unfair terms, especially in contracts between business and consumers. Principles of good commercial practice or transparency are often violated. Clauses can be invalid.

**.023 \*Public contracts (Government contracts)**

Including defense, research and development contracts

Class governmental contracts themselves in 352.53

**.024 \*Contracts of service**

Including master-servant relationships, mechanics' liens

Class labor contracts in 344.01891; class public contracts of service in 346.023; class contracts of service involving bailments in 346.025; class agency in 346.029; *new: class insurance contracts in 346.08601; class transport contracts in 343.0932; class medical treatment contracts in 344.0412*

*See also 346.074 for liens in secured transactions*

*346.024 should be used for all service supplies including contracts for constructions, processing, storage, design, information or advice. In case of construction (building) contracts there is enough literary warrant for an own subdivision:*

*New: .024 2 Contracts for constructions*

*Class here private building law.*

*[DNB 345 titles sh Bauvertrag, 117 titles sh Baurecht/Bürgerliches Recht]*

*This should be used for contracts under which one party undertakes to construct or to alter a building or other immovable structure.*

**.025 \*Contracts involving bailments**

Including bills of lading, pawnbroking

Class public contracts involving bailments in 346.023

*New .028 Unjust enrichment*

*This is a fundamental part of private law and should not be mixed with agency in .029. In the Draft Common Frame of Reference (DCFR) of a European Private Law this is covered within an extra book (book VII of X).*

*[DNB 96 titles sh Ungerechtfertigte Bereicherung]*

**.029 \*Agency and quasi contract**

Including power of attorney, ~~unjust enrichment~~

Subdivisions are added for either or both topics in heading

**.03 \*Torts (Delicts)**

Class here liability for the torts of others, e.g., employees

Class remedies in 347.077

*See Manual at 345.02 vs. 346.03*

**.031 Liability of specific classes of persons**

Including liability of employers, directors of corporations, hospitals

Class liability of specific classes of persons in specific situations in 346.032–346.038

*For personal liability of government officials, see 342.068*

**.032 \*Negligence**

Including contributory negligence

Class environmental liability and negligence in 344.046; class malpractice in 346.033

**.032 2 \*Accidents**

Class accidents resulting in personal injury and wrongful death in 346.0323

**.032 3 \*Personal injury and wrongful death****.033 \*Torts against the person**

Including assault and battery, invasion of privacy, malpractice (professional liability)

*For accidents, see 346.0322; for injury through negligence, see 346.0323; for libel and slander, see 346.034. For malpractice pertaining to a specific profession, see the profession in 342–347, e.g., malpractice of notaries 347.016, malpractice of lawyers 347.05041*

.033 4 \*Malicious prosecution

Class here false arrest and imprisonment

.034 \*Libel and slander (Defamation)

Class libel and slander as crimes in 345.0256

.036 \*Torts involving property

Including nuisance, trespass, trover and conversion, wrongful entry

Class wrongful entry as invasion of privacy in 346.033

.038 \*Product liability

Class here strict liability

.04 \*Property

*For property of enemy aliens, see 341.67; for public property, see 343.02*

## **SUMMARY**

**346.040 869 1 Property of people with status defined by changes in residence**

**.042 Kinds of interest in property**

**.043 Real property**

**.044 Government control and regulation of real property**

**.045 Regional and local community planning**

**.046 Government control and regulation of specific kinds of land and natural resources**

**.047 Personal property**

**.048 Intangible property**

.040 869 1 Property of people with status defined by changes in residence

Class here alien property

*For nationalization of alien property, see 343.0252*

.042 Kinds of interest in property

Including comprehensive works on marital, community, separate property [*all formerly 346.01664*]; joint tenancy, future interests

*For marital, community, separate property in divorce, annulment, separation, see 346.01664*

.043 \*Real property

Land, permanent fixtures, natural resources

Including mobile homes

Class here interdisciplinary works on economic and legal aspects of ownership and transfer of land

*For economic aspects of ownership and transfer of land, see*

*333.1–333.5; for government control and regulation of real property, see 346.044*

*See also 343.0944 for motorized homes*

.043 2 \*Ownership (Land tenure)

Including incidents of ownership, e.g., riparian rights, water rights;

recovery, squatter's right; types of estate, e.g., fee simple  
*For joint tenancy, see 346.042*

.043 3 \*Horizontal property and cooperative ownership  
Variant name for horizontal property: condominium  
Including time-sharing

.043 4 \*Tenancy  
Including eviction  
Class here landlord and tenant  
Class ejectment in 346.0432

.043 44 \*Rent  
Including rent control

.043 46 \*Leases

.043 462 \*Commercial leases

.043 48 \*Farm tenancy  
Class rent in 346.04344; class leases in 346.04346

.043 5 \*Easements and servitudes  
Including right of way

.043 6 \*Transfer  
Including consolidation of land holdings, restrictions on alienation  
Class inheritance and succession in 346.052  
*For conveyancing, see 346.0438*

.043 62 \*Acquisition and purchase

.043 63 \*Sale  
Class real estate business in 346.0437

.043 64 \*Mortgages  
Class here foreclosure

.043 7 \*Real estate business  
Including valuation of real property  
Class regulation of a specific general administrative function of  
real estate business with the function in 342–347, e.g., wages  
344.0128133333, organization 346.065

.043 71 \*Malpractice  
Class malpractice pertaining to closing and settlements in  
346.04373; class malpractice pertaining to subdivision in  
346.04377

.043 73 \*Closing and settlements  
Including escrows

.043 77 \*Subdivision

.043 8 \*Conveyancing  
Including deeds, ~~registration and description of land~~, title  
examinations, titles

*new: .043 9 Cadastral register*

*Class here registration and description of land*

*Discussion welcome, if other Europeans also think that an own subdivision for register of real estate is needed.*

*[DNB 92 titles sh Grundbuchrecht, 24 titles sh Grundbucheintragung, 33 titles in .0438 dealing with register law]*

.044 \*Government control and regulation of real property

Class here conservation of natural resources; land reform; comprehensive works on government control and regulation of public and private real property

Subdivisions are added for either or both topics in heading

Class government as landlord or tenant in 346.0434; class comprehensive works on environmental law in 344.046

*For control and use of public real property, see 343.0256; for rent control, see 346.04344; for regional and local community planning, see 346.045; for control of specific kinds of land and natural resources, see 346.046*

*See also 341.4 for conservation of extraterritorial natural resources*

.045 \*Regional and local community planning

Variant name for local community planning: city planning

Including building codes that relate to regional or local community planning or land use; land use; restrictions on posting advertisements; zoning

Class regulations governing construction of buildings in 343.07869

.046 Government control and regulation of specific kinds of land and natural resources

Class here protection of specific resources

Add to base number 346.046 the numbers following 333 in 333.7–333.9, e.g., control of power and power resources 346.04679, conservation of fisheries 346.046956, control of recreational lands 346.04678; then add further as instructed under 342–347, e.g., cases involving control of recreational lands 346.046780264

Class comprehensive works in 346.044

.047 \*Personal property

Movable property

Including leasing of personal property, e.g., a truck

Class mobile homes in 346.043

*For intangible property, see 346.048; for sale, see 346.072*

.048 \*Intangible property

Including public lending rights

Class here intellectual property, industrial property (intangible property of an industrial nature, e.g., business names, franchises)

*For negotiable instruments, see 346.096; for competition law see 343.0721*

.048 2 \*Copyright

.048 4 \*Design protection

.048 6 \*Patents

.048 8 \*Trademarks

.05 \*Inheritance, succession, fiduciary trusts, trustees

.052 \*Inheritance and succession

Class here estate planning, probate practice

Subdivisions are added for either or both topics in heading

Class comprehensive works on domestic relations and inheritance and succession in 346.015

*For estate planning to avoid taxes, see 343.053; for wills, see*

*346.054; for administration of estates, see 346.056*

.054 \*Wills

.056 \*Administration of estates

Including execution of wills

*For unclaimed estates, see 346.057*

.057 \*Unclaimed estates

.059 \*Fiduciary trusts

.06 \*Organizations (Associations)

Class here organization of associations engaged in specific types of enterprises, e.g., an organization of railroad companies

Class organization of labor unions in 344.0187. Class operation of organizations engaged in a specific type of enterprise with the type of enterprise, e.g., operation of railroad companies 343.095

.063 \*Accounting

Class accounting for specific kinds of organizations in 346.064–346.068

*See also 343.034 for government accounting*

.063 1 \*Malpractice

.064 \*Nonprofit organizations

Including charitable trusts and foundations, trade associations, unincorporated societies

.065 \*Business enterprises

Including combinations, record requirements, sale, valuation

Class record requirements for a specific kind of organization with the kind in 342–347, e.g., record requirements for a government corporation 346.067; class record requirements for a specific subject with the subject in 342–347, e.g., workers' compensation insurance records 344.021

*For corporations, see 346.066; for unincorporated business enterprises, see 346.068*

.065 2 \*Small business

Class small corporations in 346.066

.066 \*Corporations (Companies)

Class comprehensive works on corporate and commercial law in 346.07

*For government corporations, see 346.067*

*See also 342.09 for municipal corporations*

.066 2 \*Organization

Including investment banking, liquidation

.066 22 \*Incorporation

.066 26 \*Reorganization  
Including acquisitions and mergers

.066 4 \*Management  
Including records

.066 42 \*Officers

.066 45 \*Meetings  
Class shareholders' meetings in 346.0666

.066 48 \*Accounting

.066 6 \*Securities and security holders  
Including shareholders' voting and meetings  
Standard subdivisions are added for either or both topics in heading  
Class tender offers for corporate stock in 346.0662; class securities  
marketing in 346.092

.066 8 Kinds of corporations (Kinds of companies)  
Including close corporations; cooperatives; credit unions; holding,  
limited, public limited companies  
Class specific aspects of corporate law applied to specific kinds of  
corporations in 346.0662–346.0666  
*For nonprofit corporations, see 346.064; for government  
corporations, see 346.067*

Subdivisions are needed for mostly treated kinds of corporations. Although specific aspects are classed with the aspects, .0668 is overcrowded. There is much literary warrant on all the different types. The question is how to divide the corporation in a way that is appropriate for users in different countries? Can we agree on a distinction between a few main categories which fits for all Europeans?  
[DNB 475 titles in .0668!]

.067 \*Government corporations  
Including quangos  
Class municipal corporations in 342.09

.068 \*Unincorporated business enterprises  
Including land trusts, sole traders

.068 2 \*Partnerships  
Class here joint ventures

.07 \*Commercial law  
Class here commercial contracts, conduct of business; laws of a specific  
jurisdiction governing business investment by foreign nationals, e.g., laws  
of China governing the conduct of business in China by foreign nationals  
346.5107; comprehensive works on business law  
*For a specific subject of commercial law, of business law not provided  
for here, see the subject in 342–347, e.g., tax law 343.04, insurance law  
346.086*

.072 \*Sale  
Class sale of real property in 346.04363; class sale of business  
enterprises in 346.065; class conditional and secured sales transactions in  
346.074

.073 \*Loan

Including agricultural and consumer credit, interest, truth in lending, usury

Class here credit

Class secured loan transactions in 346.074

.074 \*Secured transactions

Including chattel mortgages; conditional, installment sales; guaranty, liens, suretyship

Class comprehensive works on mortgages in 346.04364

*See also 346.024 for mechanics' liens*

.077 \*Debtor and creditor

Including collection of debts

*For bankruptcy, see 346.078*

.078 \*Bankruptcy

Including receivership

Class here insolvency

**New: .078 2 Personal bankruptcy**

**Class here procedures of reorganisation bankruptcy for private consumers**

**Subdivisions are needed, because there is too much literary warrant on bankruptcy. A minimum need is for private insolvency, where most European countries offer specialised procedures.**

**[DNB 490 titels in .078; 81 titels sh Verbraucherinsolvenzverfahren]**

.08 \*Banks and insurance

.082 \*Banks

Class here banking

Class investment banking in 346.0662. Class regulation of a specific general administrative function with the function in 342–347, e.g., wages 344.012813321, corporate organization 346.0662

*For loan, see 346.073*

.082 1–.082 3 Specific topics of banks

Add to base number 346.082 the numbers following 332 in 332.1–332.3, e.g., international banks 346.08215, specialized banking institutions 346.0822, credit and loan institutions 346.0823, commercial banks 346.08212; then add further as instructed under 342–347, e.g., cases involving commercial banks 346.082120264

.086 Insurance

Class regulation of a specific general administrative function with the function in 342–347, e.g., wages 344.01281368, corporate organization 346.0662

.086 000 1–.086 000 9 Standard subdivisions

Notation from Table 1 as modified under 342–347, e.g., cases 346.086000264

.086 01 General principles

Add to base number 346.08601 the numbers following 368.01 in 368.011–368.019, e.g., underwriting 346.086012; then add further as instructed under 342–347, e.g., cases involving underwriting 346.0860120264

.086 02 \*Malpractice

.086 06–.086 09 Risks and sales groupings

Add to base number 346.0860 the numbers following 368.0 in

368.06–368.09, e.g., automobile insurance 346.086092; then add further as instructed under 342–347, e.g., cases involving automobile insurance 346.0860920264

.086 1–.086 8 Specific topics of insurance

Add to base number 346.086 the numbers following 368 in

368.1–368.8, e.g., fire insurance 346.08611; then add further as instructed under 342–347, e.g., cases involving fire insurance

346.086110264; however, for government-sponsored insurance, social insurance, see 344.02

.09 \*Investment and negotiable instruments

.092 \*Investment

Class here investments

.092 2 Specific types of investments

Including bonds, government securities, mutual funds, stocks; commodities, real estate  
Class here securities

Class initial promotion of securities in 346.0662; class what a

corporation must do to make certain a security is valid in 346.0666;

class organizations marketing specific types of securities in 346.0926

*See also 346.074 for secured transactions*

[.092 201–.092 209] Standard subdivisions

Do not use; class in 346.09201–346.09209

.092 6 \*Marketing agents and arrangements

Including securities brokers; exchange of securities, stock exchanges

Class investment banking in 346.0662. Class regulation of a

specific general administrative function of organizations engaged

in marketing securities with the function in 342–347, e.g., wages

344.01281332642, organization 346.065

*For commodity exchanges, see 343.08*

.096 \*Negotiable instruments

Including bills of exchange, checks (cheques), promissory notes, trade acceptances, warehouse receipts

*For securities, see 346.092*

## **.1 Socioeconomic regions**

Add to base number 346.1 the numbers following —17 in notation 171–177 from Table 2, e.g., private law of developing countries 346.124; then to the result add as follows:

001–009 Standard subdivisions

Notation from Table 1 as modified under 342–347

01–09 Topics of private law

Add the numbers following 346 in 346.01–346.09, e.g., property

law of developing countries 346.12404, cases involving property

law in developing countries 346.124040264

Class socioeconomic regions of a specific regional intergovernmental

organization in 346.2; class socioeconomic regions of a specific jurisdiction or

area in 346.3–346.9

**.2 Regional intergovernmental organizations**

Class here relationship between the organization's law and national law of member countries

Add to base number 346.2 notation 3–9 from Table 2, e.g., private law of European Union 346.24; then to the result add as follows:

001–009 Standard subdivisions

Notation from Table 1 as modified under 342–347

01–09 Topics of private law

Add the numbers following 346 in 346.01–346.09, e.g., property law of European Union 346.2404, administrative regulations of property law of European Union 346.240402636

*See Manual at 342–349*

Class relationship of organization's law and national law of a specific member country with the national law in 346.3–346.9, e.g., effect of European Union laws on national private law of Italy 346.45

**.3–.9 Specific jurisdictions and areas**

Add to base number 346 notation 3–9 from Table 2, e.g., private law of Australia 346.94, of New South Wales 346.944, of African states 346.6; then to the result add as follows:

001–009 Standard subdivisions

Notation from Table 1 as modified under 342–347

01–09 Topics of private law

Add the numbers following 346 in 346.01–346.09, e.g., family law of Australia 346.94015, of New South Wales 346.944014, of African states 346.6015, cases involving family law of Australia 346.940150264

*For regional intergovernmental organizations, relationship between the organization's laws and national laws of all member states, see 346.2  
See Manual at 342–349*