

**POLITE FORM - HISTORY OF CODIFICATION OF THE RULES
AND CONTEMPORARY PRACTICE**

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The article reviews the codification of the norms related to the polite form in Bulgarian – what changes have been made and how they have affected the writing practice. The nature and reasons for the difficulties in applying the rules are also analyzed.

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