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## 1.2. Public discussion

The terms "civil society" and "third sector" have found their way into high level political and public discourse in the Czech Republic in the middle of the 1990s. In spite of the fact that the term "third sector" still remains rather vague, organizations are included in both the terms. However, there is no general agreement on what the right. What this indicates is that the self-identification and the boundaries of ongoing discussions.

<sup>1</sup> See chapter 5. Evaluation of the national perspective on civil society, citizenship and civic participation. Concluding remarks and future trends.