

Abstract

The purpose of the thesis Reimbursement of costs in trial proceedings and enforcement proceedings is to provide a comprehensive view of the legal regulation on the topic of reimbursement of costs in trial and enforcement proceedings and subsequently to critically evaluate this regulation and to try to find a way to more appropriate solutions.

The thesis consists of an introduction, two parts dealing separately with the reimbursement of costs in trial proceedings and the reimbursement of costs in the enforcement proceedings and a conclusion. The introduction specifies the topic of the thesis and its purpose.

The first part of the thesis, which covers the reimbursement of costs in the trial proceedings, is divided into seven chapters. The first chapter generally defines the concept of costs. The second chapter then describes the specific types of costs that may be incurred in trial proceedings. The third chapter discusses the aspect of efficiency of costs, which is a very important factor in the decision to pay the costs. The subject of the fourth chapter is the specification of the obligation to pay the costs. The fifth chapter describes in detail the reimbursement of costs of the contentious trial proceedings, both in terms of legislation and in terms of general principles that are relevant to the topic. In the sixth chapter, the reimbursement of costs of the non-contentious trial proceedings is similarly analysed. The last chapter of the first part then deals with the reimbursement of costs of the appeal proceedings.

The subject of the second part of the thesis is an issue of reimbursement of costs in enforcement proceedings. This part is divided into three chapters, the first of which generally describes the differences between judicial execution of decision and execution proceedings. The remaining two chapters are each concerned with the procedure for reimbursement of costs in these enforcement proceedings, while the entire thesis has been developed with emphasis on rich case law.

In conclusion, the current legislation on costs reimbursement is critically evaluated throughout this thesis.