

Abstract

This diploma thesis aims to analyze the legal regulation of liability for environmental damage in the Czech legal order. Given that the regulation of legal liability for environmental damage in Czech law is highly fragmented, this thesis attempts to give a more comprehensive view of the whole issue. By dividing it into individual chapters, the thesis presents individual aspects of legal liability for environmental damage and systematically offers insight into its issues. In its first part, the thesis focuses on legal liability in environmental protection and compares the individual components of legal environmental liability. In particular, it focuses on legal liability for damage under the Civil Code, where, on the basis of a detailed analysis, it defines the main characteristics that distinguish it from legal liability for environmental damage. The second part of the thesis already deals with the legal regulation of environmental damage. The concept of environmental damage is introduced according to individual laws, with the greatest attention being paid to Act No. 167/2008 Coll., on prevention remedying environmental damage. The application of legal liability for environmental damage through preventive and remedial measures is viewed both by Act No. 167/2008 Coll., on prevention remedying environmental damage, and by acts regulating individual environmental components and sources of environmental threat. It is on the basis of a detailed analysis and comparison that the shortcomings of Act No. 167/2008 Coll., on prevention remedying environmental damage, are identified and described. The conclusion of the thesis contains a summary of the individual acquired knowledge and the formulation of partial conclusions.