

Summary

This dissertation deals with the topic of minor offences against public order. While working on this dissertation there has been a major change in the law, where the act number 200/1990 Sb. about minor offences was replaced by two new acts. Firstly it was replaced with the law number 250/2016 Sb. about responsibility for minor offences and the legal proceedings (furthermore minor offense law) and secondly with the law number 251/2016 Sb., about selected minor offences. This thesis aims at the area of minor offenses against public order regulated in the act about selected minor offences, it describes individual offenses and analyses whether there has been any change compared to previous regulations.

This dissertation consists of seven chapters.

In the first chapter I deal with the definition of a minor offence. I describe the individual definition of minor offences and describe its particular features.

The second chapter follows the first; I deal with the responsibilities for offences caused by legal entities and business individuals. This modification was not previously included in the offense law, and I would like to describe the individual bases of responsibility for these subjects.

The third chapter deals with the definition of public order. Public order belongs to a so called vague legal terms and therefore defining it is not easy. So I try to use the legal literature and partly case-laws to specify the different possibilities of defining this concept. At the end of this chapter, I deal with the protection of public order, where I briefly deal with generally binding decrees, the municipal police.

The main theme of my thesis and at the same time the topic of the fourth chapter is the individual merit of minor offences against public order. In the beginning of this chapter I focus on the system of the law about selected offences and also I deal with general characteristics of offences against public order. I follow with individual merits and I discuss them individually.

The fifth chapter briefly addresses crimes against public order.

In the sixth chapter I deal with chosen merits according to the tenth section of the Sixth Criminal Code called ‘other disturbances to public order’. The reason why these two chapters are included in my thesis is my attempt to describe and, if necessary, to compare

individual offenses against public order with the selected crimes mentioned in the tenth section of the Sixth Criminal Code.

The final chapter is dedicated to graphs, which I created using materials and data made available to me by the Prague 14 City district offices. Each graph contains data about minor offences for certain periods of time and is used to demonstrate the real practice, for example the number of offences committed in one year.