

General Average, its origin and development within the context of seamanship and navigation

Abstract

Rigorous thesis focuses on General Average and above all, putting its origin and evolution to context of legal history and theory, understanding its elements both from Seamanship and Law point of view, and/or procedures of navigations participants. The thesis also evaluates probable circumstances of General Average emergence and development from perspective of International Private Law. Thesis analyses conditions and circumstances of General Average historical emergence, interpolates relevant and essential facts involving it. Furthermore the thesis puts to context essential issues of international law, court procedures, jurisdiction, methods and measures implementing objects of legislator. Recent czech codification is theoretically analysed and relation to Austro-Hungarian body of Laws is represented. Sea Laws, Digesta, Ordinamenta and other codifications are collated.