

Themes of this thesis are negotiations and processes leading to the division of Czechoslovak federation. At the beginning this work describes common history of Czechoslovakia till the year 1989. This part of the thesis is primarily focused on problems and common issues of both nations present in Czechoslovakia. There is also brief analysis of national policy towards other nations.

Second part of the beginning is dealing with the political history of Czechoslovakia between November 1989 and June 1992. This part describes in detail the biggest difficulties both nations had to solve. Special attention is paid to the „dash-war“, dispute about competence between republics and federation, negotiations about state agreement and constitutions. From the opening analysis results, that till the election in June 1992 was achieving a compromise between both nations difficult but still possible.

Next part of this thesis describes its main theme, the negotiations between political elites of ODS and HZDS, rule parties elected in the year 1992. In this detail interpretation of conferences is revealed role of each of the main politicians involved in the process of the partition, starting with problematic role of Václav Havel, who unwillingly but significantly contributed to the division, continuing with uncompromising attitude of Václav Klaus and finishing with evasive, and often incorrect approach of Vladimír Mečiar from HZDS.

From the description of negotiations results, that after the election 1992 Czech representatives had to deal with new issue in Czechoslovak relation, the new demand of Slovaks - the international subjectivity of Slovak republic. ODS found this demand incompatible with the preservation of common state. Slovak side offered the possibility of creation Czechoslovak union, instead of current federation. This suggestion was not accepted by ODS as disadvantageous for Czechs.