RESUME:

Peacekeeping Operations within the System of Collective Security

My thesis deals with the System of Collective Security in respect of historical improvement. It shows how System of Collective Security works under various conditions. I’ve choosen this topic because of my personal preference and because I find this subject-matter very interesting and topical.

In the first part I explain nowadays Collective Security as a centralized system, with executive powers being vested in the United Nations Security Council. And I show rolling progress of peacekeeping activities of UN. Peacekeeping operations has involved as a key instrument of solution of international disputes. I distinguish operations under Chapter VI UN Charter which deals with peaceful settlement of dispute and operations under Chapter VII UN Charter which also gives right to UN to take an action with support of military forces.

There is several examples of peacekeeping operations, including the really first one.

In following paragraphs I mention other International Organizations engaged in guarding international security. Namely, North Atlantic Treaty Organization, European Union and Organisation for Security and Cooperation in Europe and I provide their scope of activities on the field of security.

Next part I explore current threats for international security. I also survey peacekeeping operations with a presence of Czech Army. I outline the process of release international and national mandate. Here I have to deal with czech legislation process. Examples of operations follow.

Conclusions are drawn in the last Chapter where I assume next progress in respect of nowadays situation. Needs of UN Reform and it possible success in international enviroment.

Klíčová slova: Kolektivní bezpečnost, mírové operace, mandát.
Key words: Collective Security, peacekeeping operations, mandate.