## ABSTRACT

This thesis deals with the house arrest sanction which is one of alternatives of the unsuspended sentence of imprisonment. The author tries to summarize accessible information on the history of house arrest and electronic monitoring. The main aim of the thesis is to briefly present substantive and procedural legal regulation of the house arrest sentence in the Czech Republic. This thesis also covers other issues such as the role of the Probation and Mediation Service in the process of imposing the sanction of house arrest and in the enforcement of this sanction, advantages and disadvantages of house arrest and the outline of legal regulation of house arrest in some other states.