

The aim of this thesis is to realize description and analysis of the legal regulation of international trade with explosives, concentrated on the European community law and the Czech law. The thesis is focused on public law regulations of this issue with consideration of all partial aspects, including historical connections, because the legal regulations of explosives have several hundred years lasting history.

The introduction describes the basic historical changes of the explosives issue from both the technical and legal points of view, focusing on Czech and British legal regulation. This part is followed by the theoretical categorization of legal regulation of the trade with explosives in the system of international trade law and by a survey of most important legal rules of international, European community and Czech law, regulating this legal branch.

In the next chapters my thesis goes on with the analysis of valid legal rules, relating to individual partial issues such as a definition of the subjects authorized to explosives treatment, legal regulation of international trade with explosives for civilian use, international trade with explosives for military use and launching of explosives on European market.

The prevention of the misuse of explosives for criminal delicts is represented in this thesis by chapters dealing with legal regulation of explosives traceability, explosives transport monitoring and plastic explosives marking.

I have also included a chapter analysing legal regulation of international transit of dangerous goods by roads, as it seems to be an important partial aspect of the international trade with explosives.

At the end of the thesis I emphasize the intricacy of these legal and technical issues, laying high requirements on expert knowledge of persons, who deal with the international trade with explosives in practice.