

Abstract

The topic of this rigorous thesis is Copyright legal protection of computer programs, whereas it contains a description of current regulation of this issue in European and Czech law and its evaluation. The thesis includes detailed analysis of the European Directive on the legal protection of computer programs and its particular provisions.

Moreover the thesis is concerned with analysis of the Czech regulation of computer program protection and its comparison with the European regulation. The thesis addresses evolution of the Czech regulation and evaluates particular amendments of the Copyright Act. It also takes into account specifics of a computer program and aspires to analyse questions whose interpretation may be difficult in practice.