

Abstract

The Czechoslovak Parliament in the Years 1945 – 1992

The thesis named "*The Czechoslovak Parliament in the Years 1945 – 1992*" aims to describe the activity of the Czechoslovak parliamentary system since the Second World War to the break-up of Czechoslovakia. The author examines the composition, status and responsibilities of the National, respectively Federal Assembly not only formal under constitutional law and other acts, but also in fact under the real constitutional law that especially during the government of the totalitarian communist regime was markedly different from the law that is constitutionally enshrined. After the Second World War, the Czechoslovak Parliament passed many milestones in its development. The aim of the thesis is to describe those different periods and to familiarize the reader with the activities of the National, respectively Federal Assembly, in the post-war history, with emphasis on the time when our parliament was in fact the supreme legislative body and not only formally under the Constitution, but also in fact. In this work there is also described the role of Parliament in the crucial moments of history of Czechoslovakia during the post-war period, as the "*February 1948*", "*Prague Spring*" 1968, "*Velvet Revolution*" in 1989 and the division of Czechoslovakia in 1992.

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