

Abstract

The work analyses the changes of preferential voting in elections to the chamber of Deputies of the Parliament of the Czech Republic between 1996 – 2013. The theoretical framework is based on existing debate on intraparty dimension of electoral systems. The analytic part focuses on the elements of the preferential system of voting, which are not reflected in standard typologies, such as the sizes of lists of candidates, the maximal amount of preferential votes and the legal threshold.