Abstract

This thesis deals with the issue of arbitration in international trade law. The author has chosen the topic of the thesis from the legal area of international law, not only because of her studies at a foreign university, where the study programme consist of international law subjects, but also according her professional experience after graduation, during which she regularly deals with arbitration.

The thesis is systematically divided into: introduction, seven chapters and conclusion. In the introduction the author describes the structure of the work, the literature and the goals she wants to achieve by this thesis. Each of the below specified chapters deals with a concrete issue related to arbitration.

The first chapter is dedicated to disputes in international trade and their possible solutions. Also there are mentioned examples of alternative dispute resolution.

The second chapter discusses the arbitration in general, its history, theoretical doctrines, kinds, arbitrality and comparison of advantages and disadvantages of arbitration.

There are listed the legal sources governing the arbitration. They are divided into domestic ones and international ones. The author also mentions the rules for ad hoc arbitration and institutional arbitration.

The fourth chapter describes the arbitrator, what are his duties and also what are his rights.

The sixth chapter analyses the process of arbitration. The author describes the various stages of the proceedings and the final part of this chapter is dedicated to arbitral decisions.

The seventh chapter is about the further proceedings after the arbitral award. The proceedings are divided, one for the winner party and the second one for the party that lost the case.

Finally the author evaluates every chapter and after all she analyses the whole work and reaches the aim of the work. The author also presents her personal views and opinions on the topic, possible future developments and needs of arbitration.

Documents for study are part of the work as the attachments.