

Abstract

Diploma thesis: Legal regulation of the treatment of animals under human care

This diploma thesis deals with legal regulation of the treatment of animals under human care at the national, international and European Union levels. It is systematically divided into four main chapters. The first chapter deals with the definition of relevant animal protection concepts, in particular defines the difference between the concepts of animal, creature and wildlife, it also gives an overview of further categorization of animals such as experimental animals, farm animals, animals breed for hobby, handicapped animals, animals that need special care from human, wandering and deserted animals. In my second chapter, I attempted to outline the relationship between national and international law. Firstly is the diploma thesis devoted to presents five most important agreements adopted within Council of Europe at international level, then mentions the Universal Declaration for protection of animals adopted within the United Nations organizations. In other part of the second chapter I devote to legislation at European Union level describing primary and secondary legislation, as well as conceptual tools. At the level of the Czech Republic, thesis divides the legislation dealing with direct protection of animals against abuse, in this part I closer describe animals protection against abuse Act. Then is in the thesis described indirect protection of animals against other negativ treatment whit them, which are the Ministry of Agriculture of the Czech Republic, the State Veterinary Administration, the Ministry of Defence and the Ministry of the Interior, the State authorities responsible for the approval of experimental projects, the municipal authorities of the municipalities with extended competence and last municipalities. The last chapter deals with tortuous responsibility in the field of animal rights protection, both in the field of administrative and criminal law. It also mentions the special criminal liability of legal entities in this area.

Keywords

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