Summary

Unconditional sentence of imprisonment

I have chosen this topic because the questions of prison service is very interesting part of criminal law. The purpose of my thesis is to analyse under which conditions is possible to take a decision about the unconditional sentence of imprisonment and how the real life in prison is functioning.

The thesis is composed of seven chapters, each of them dealing with different aspects of this topic. Chapter One is introductory and defines what is the unconditional sentence of imprisonment.

Chapter Two is subdivided into two main parts. Part One describes the notion of punishment and Part Two explains the purpose of punishment.

Chapter Three deals with the role of unconditional sentence of imprisonment in the system of punishments.

Chapter Four consists of three parts and focuses on the alternative punishments which can be used instead of the unconditional sentence of imprisonment and their dividing.

Chapter Five is the main part of this thesis. It is subdivided into five parts and concentrates on legal regulation of the unconditional sentence of imprisonment and describes some types of offenders who are afflict by this punishment. Also deals with the execution of sentence of imprisonment and describes privileges and duties of convict, their employments and education. The last part of this chapter focuses on taking care of convicts after their liberation.

Chapter Six describes some problems of czech penitentionary such as crowded prisons or using drugs.

Conclusions are drawn in Chapter Seven where is summary of this topic and where I suggest that this problems of penitentionary should be solved because if we don't try to solve them, the circle: committing crime - execution of sentence of imprisonment - liberation - next committing crime - next execution of sentence of imprisonment will never ends.