

Thesis Reviewer's Report

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 Title: Right to Good Administration of the European Union
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Assessment criteria

	excellent	very good	acceptable	unacceptable	N/A
Achievement of the aims of the thesis	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Use of appropriate methods	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Depth of analysis (in relation to the topic)	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Structure and extent of the thesis	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Use of Czech and foreign sources (including references)	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Formal aspects (text, diagrams, charts)	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality of language (style, grammar, terminology)	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Usability of the results

	high	medium	low	N/A
In theory	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In practice	<input type="checkbox"/>	X	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other comments

The presented diploma thesis deals with the right to good administration within the European Union, based on Article 41 of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the EU and the jurisprudence of the European Court of Justice and the European Court of Human Rights. It also compares this right with the broader principle of good governance. The author structured the work into 6 chapters. The first chapter (Background of study) defines the basic terms associated with the given topic. The second chapter contains a corresponding literature search on the topic, originating exclusively from foreign sources. The third chapter defines the research methodology and methods. The actual practical contribution of the author's work is then mainly contained in the fourth and fifth chapters. The fourth chapter is an analysis of the right to good administration, especially in the context of judicial decisions of the European Court of Justice. The fifth chapter follows this up by summarizing the findings and conclusions. The work is suitably closed with the sixth chapter with recommendations and conclusions. From a formal and linguistic point of view, the work meets the usual standard for diploma theses. From the point of view of the editing, rather small things can be criticized (e.g. Chapter 1 is not numbered in the text). Overall, however, it can be concluded that this is a high-quality work in which the author has adequately dealt with a very current topic. I therefore recommend the work for defense.

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Questions and suggestions for the defence

- 1) Your analysis is focused mainly on decision of European Court of Justice. However, European Court of Human Rights is also mentioned in the thesis. How would you characterize the role of ECHR in relation to the right to good administration?
- 2) Are you familiar with any activity of the Public Defender of Rights (Ombudsman) of Czech Republic towards the good administration (and mainly the principles of good administration)?

Overall evaluation

I **recommend** the thesis for defence.
The proposed grade for the thesis: B

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