No. 3492 the fleet sheet's final word

Thur., Aug. 20, 2015

A daily e-mail bulletin of Czech wit & wisdom. For your free subscription, write to subscribe@fsfinalword.com

Česká pošta - the new ČEZ



By the time Karel Schwarzenberg made his grand discovery and declared in Sept. 2011 that ČEZ had been financing political parties, the company's halcyon days were already behind it. The assets had been stripped, and the easy money was gone. It was time to move on, and Schwarzenberg was merely giving the eulogy at the funeral of the ČEZ Republic. Martin Roman had grated on so many people because he oversaw a separate power center and was able to tell politicians what to do. His replacement, Daniel Beneš, is a yes-man in comparison. As is the head of Česká pošta, Martin Elkán. ČEZ's PR & marketing budget still keeps the wheels greased, but the next big thing is supposed to be the new IT unit at Česká pošta. Why else would ČSSD and ANO be making such a big deal out of two minor corruption scandals, where only a few million are involved? Because the real prize at Česká pošta are the billions in IT contracts.

Read this later today in <u>Czech</u> Findus on Facebook



HOW MUCH MONEY DO YOU HAVE TO GIVE TO WIN A PUBLIC TENDER? A hundred crowns each month is enough. Become a member of the Transparency International Club. Your financial subsidy helps us fight corruption and establish fairer working conditions in the sphere of public affairs. More on www.transparency.cz/klub

