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Ministry of Infrastructure of the Republic of Poland

The Ministry of Infrastructure of Ukraine presents its compliments to the Ministry of Infrastructure of the Republic of Poland and has the honor to address with the following.

Nowadays, the Government of Ukraine is taking a number of measures to bring Ukrainian legislation in line with European standards, as well as to harmonize national legislation in the field of road transport to the requirements of Agreement on the International Carriage of Perishable Foodstuffs and Special Equipment to be used for such Carriage (ATP).

This agreement defined that ATP certificate issued by the competent authorities of the State in which the vehicle must be registered or accepted for registration.

According to Article 6 of the Law of Ukraine «On Road Transport» State Service of Ukraine for Transport Safety (hereafter – Ukrtransbezpeka) is authorized for issuing ATP certificates.

Recently, global changes in legislation have been underway in Ukraine, in particular, in the field of road transport the provisions on the tasks and functions of Ukrtransbezpeka are being revised.

Due to the change of the Government in March 2020, in accordance with requirements of Ukrainian legislation, the procedure of changes in the legislation has not been completed and as a result, the process of implementing the procedure for issuing certificates and checking the compliance of vehicles with the requirements of the ATP is underway.

Ukrainian transport companies that perform transportation of perishable goods, in order to fulfil the ATP requirements conducting tests of vehicles used for such transportations abroad, at authorized stations and receive relevant certificate, in particular, in Poland and Germany.



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But Ukrainian companies have pointed out the problem, that appeared during control procedure of such vehicles by Polish Customs authorities, which impose penalties in connection with usage of ATP certificates issued abroad by Ukrainian carriers.

Given the above, let us kindly appeal to the Ministry of Infrastructure of the Republic of Poland to inform the control authorities of the Republic of Poland including the customs authority concerning non-application of penalties for Ukrainian carriers for lack of the issued in Ukraine ATP Certificates for the period of settlement of this issue on the legislative level.

The Ministry of infrastructure of Ukraine avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Infrastructure of the Republic of Poland the assurances of highest consideration.

Minister

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