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Ministarstvo Industrije, Preduzetništva i Trgovine - Ministry of Industry, Entrepreneurship and Trade

Ref. No. 01/59
28.07.2023

The Minister of the Ministry of Industry, Entrepreneurship and Trade, in support of article 11, paragraph 1 under paragraph 1.5 of Law No. 08/L-117 For the Government of the Republic of Kosovo, articles 10 and 11, of Law No. 06/L-113 On the Organization and Functioning of the State Administration and Independent Agencies (Official Gazette, No. 7/01 March 2019), Article 15 of Law No. 08/L-018 On Trade in Petroleum Products and Fuels Repeatedly, article 4 paragraph 1. under paragraph 1.1 and under paragraph 1.2. of Administrative Instruction (QRK) no. 03/ 2022 on price regulation of petroleum products and renewable fuels and other protective measures, Article 8, paragraph 1, sub-paragraph 1.4, of Regulation (QRK) No. 02/2021 For the Areas of Administrative Responsibility of the Prime Minister's Office and Ministries, the Minister of Industry, Entrepreneurship and Trade issues:

DECISION

1. Price regulation and other protective measures for oil products usable in transport are set as follows:

1.1. The maximum allowed commercial margin of wholesale is two (2) euro cents per liter;

1.2. The maximum allowed commercial margin of retail sale is twelve (12) euro cents per liter;

1.3. Subjects are obliged to supply and offer oil products for sale, as before the establishment of prices and protective measures;

1.4. Increased inspection supervision;

1.5. Accelerated presentation of the case to the Competition Authority, when there are doubts about the violation of free competition;

2. Price regulation and measures from Article 1 of this Decision remain in force thirty (30) days from the day this Decision enters into force.

3. The Market Inspectorate, the Department for Oil Market Regulation and other responsible bodies are obliged to implement this Decision.

REASONING

The Ministry of Industry, Enterprise and Trade has regularly monitored the markets of oil products and based on the daily evidence received by Kosovo Customs regarding the prices of the supply/import of oil products as well as the daily reports from the Market Inspectorate regarding the prices of the retail sale of oil products, an increase in prices has been evidenced which is not reflected by price movements in the world market, which constitutes the basis/trigger for the regulation of prices and the appointment of other protective measures according to Article 15, paragraph 2, subsection 2.3 of Law No. 08/L-018 on Trade in Petroleum Products and Renewable Fuels, Article 3 paragraph 2 subsection 2.3 of Administrative Instruction (QRK) no. 03/ 2022 on price regulation of petroleum products and renewable fuels and other protective measures.

Regulation of prices and other protective measures are set based on Article 4 and Article 6 of the Administrative Instruction (QRK) no. 03/ 2022 on price regulation of petroleum products and renewable fuels and other protective measures and is intended to protect the consumer, to protect competition and to avoid disturbances in the market.

The calculation of the maximum commercial margin allowed for wholesale and retail sales is made according to article 4 paragraph 1.1 and 1.2. of Administrative Instruction (QRK) no. 03/ 2022 on price regulation of petroleum products and renewable fuels and other protective measures.

This Decision entered into force one (1) day after publication in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Kosovo.

Based on what was mentioned above, it was decided as in the enacting clause of this Decision.

Rozeta HAJDARI

Minister

The decision is sent to:
Cabinet of the Office of the Prime Minister;
Minister's Cabinet;
Office of the General Secretary;
Kosovo Customs;
Market Inspectorate;
Department for Oil Market Regulation;
Legal Department;
Archive.