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Trgovine - Ministry of Industry, Entrepreneurship and Trade

**No.Ref.01/13**  
**01.03.2024**

The Minister of the Ministry of Industry, Entrepreneurship and Trade, pursuant to Article 11, paragraph 1, subparagraph 1.5 of Law No. 08/L-117 on 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 Renewable Fuels, Article 4, paragraph 1, subparagraph 1.1 and subparagraph 1.2 of the Administrative Instruction (GRK) No. 03/2022 on Price Regulation of Petroleum Products and Renewable Fuels and Other Protective Measures, Annex 12 of Regulation (GRK) No. 04/2023 on Areas of Administrative Responsibility of the Office of the Prime Minister and Ministries, the Minister of Industry, Entrepreneurship and Trade issues the following:

**DECISION**

1. The following price regulation and other protective measures for oil products usable in transport shall be set as follows:
  - 1.1. The maximum allowed wholesale trade margin shall be two (2) Euro cents per liter;
  - 1.2. The maximum allowed retail trade margin shall be two twelve (12) Euro cents per liter;
  - 1.3. Entities shall be obliged to supply and offer oil products for sale, as before setting the prices and imposing protective measures.
  - 1.4. Increased inspection supervision;
  - 1.5. Expedited submission of the case to the Competition Authority, when there are suspicions of violation of free competition;
2. Price regulation and measures from Article 1 of this Decision shall remain in force thirty (90) days from the day this Decision enters into force.
3. The implementation of this Decision shall be supervised by the Market Inspectorate in cooperation with the Customs and Tax Administration.

## **REASONING**

The Ministry of Industry, Enterprise and Trade has regularly monitored the markets of oil products based on the daily evidence received by Kosovo Customs regarding the prices of supply/import of oil products as well as the daily reports from the Market Inspectorate regarding the wholesale and retail prices of oil products, whereby it results that frequent price fluctuations in the international market are reflected in our domestic market mainly when there is an increase in prices but not in cases where there is a decrease. Therefore, the lack of proportionality between the declared oil prices upon import and the prices in our domestic market constitutes grounds for regulating prices and implementing other protective measures pursuant to Article 15, paragraph 2, subparagraph 2.3 of Law No. 08/L-018 on Trade with Petroleum Products and Renewable Fuels, Article 3, paragraph 2, subparagraph 2.3 of Administrative Instruction (GRK) No.03/2022 on the Regulation of the Prices of Petroleum Products and Renewable Fuels and Other Protective Measures.

Price regulation and other protective measures shall be set pursuant to Article 4 and Article 6 of Administrative Instruction (GRK) No. 03/2022 on Price Regulation of Petroleum Products and Renewable Fuels and Other Protective Measures and shall be intended to protect the consumer, protect competition and avoid the market disturbances.

The calculation of the maximum allowed wholesale and retail trade margin shall be made according to Article 4, paragraphs 1.1 and 1.2 of AI No. 03/2022 on Price Regulation of Petroleum Products and Renewable Fuels and Other Protective Measures.

4. In the light of the foregoing, it is decided as in the enacting clause of this Decision.

5. This Administrative Instruction shall enter into force one (1) day after its publication in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Kosovo.

**Rozeta HAJDARI**

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**Minister**

***This Decision is served on:***

- *Cabinet of the Office of the Prime Minister;*
- *Cabinet of the Minister;*
- *Office of the Secretary General;*
- *Kosovo Customs;*
- *Tax Administration;*
- *Market Inspectorate;*
- *Department of Oil Market Regulation;*
- *Legal Department;*
- *Archive.*