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REBUILDING UKRAINE’S TRANSPORT SECTOR – HOW TO MAKE IT “GREEN”?

Russia’s war against Ukraine continues, during which buildings, enterprises and infrastructure are being destroyed. This is a difficult time, but we are confident that after the victory, reconstruction will begin, which should be planned now. Returning to normal would be a big mistake – as a result of the recovery, we will be able to modernize various markets and sectors of the economy, including the transport sector. Zoia Melnyk, Infrastructure Sector Head of BRDO, **explains** what should be the post-war reconstruction of Ukraine.

WHAT SHOULD BE THE PRINCIPLES OF POST-WAR REBUILDING OF UKRAINE?

What should be the plan for the post-war reconstruction of Ukrainian economy in order to increase industrial efficiency and reduce energy consumption? Anton Zorkin, the Head of the Energy sector, **commented** on these issues for Delo.ua. In particular, he mentioned that to reduce the energy intensity of Ukraine’s GDP and increase the competitiveness of the Ukrainian economy on the world market, it is necessary to carry out radical modernization in all sectors of the economy. It is also a necessary condition for the further European integration of our country, as the recently approved new EU environmental policy provides for increasing the energy efficiency of the economies of all member states.

CONDITIONS FOR TEMPORARY RESIDENCE, RECONSTRUCTION OF HOUSING AND EVACUATION OF PRODUCTION – A NEW BILL WAS ADOPTED IN THE PARLIAMENT

Creating conditions for temporary residence of internally displaced persons, reconstruction of housing and settlements affected by the Russian armed aggression, as well as relocation (evacuation) of production facilities of enterprises from the war zone – these are the goals of the draft law №7282, developed jointly with BRDO experts, that was adopted in the Parliament. Read **more** what the draft law provides for.

A BILL TO LIBERALIZE THE USE OF LAND DURING MARTIAL LAW IS ADOPTED

The Parliament adopted a bill №7289, aimed at simplifying the provision of land for the needs of the national economy, agricultural sector and citizens of Ukraine during martial law. BRDO experts participated in the development of the document. Read more in **our press release** on what the bill is about.

DURING THE 1,5 MONTHS OF THE WAR, THE COST OF BORSHCH IN UKRAINE INCREASED BY 13%

This is evidenced by a recent “borshch index” from BRDO experts. How the war affected the prices of basic products, what the collected data says, and what happens next – read in the **comment** of Yuliia Kornieieva, Chief Economist of BRDO.

COMPENSATION FOR UKRAINIANS FOR DESTROYED PROPERTY – THE PARLIAMENT PASSED A BILL

Ukrainians will be able to receive compensation for damaged or destroyed property as a result of Russian military aggression. This is provided by Bill #7198, which was adopted by the Parliament in the first reading. BRDO experts participated in the **development** of the document. Today, Ukrainians can already report through the “Diia” portal about damaged and destroyed real estate. Information messages through “Diia” are equated to claims for compensation as soon as the law enters into force.

BRDO EXPERTS APPEALED TO THE AUTHORITIES TO ELIMINATE SHORTCOMINGS IN THE LEGAL REGULATION OF THE TELECOM SECTOR DURING MARTIAL LAW

At present, there are still annoying gaps in this area, as the requirements of the Martial Law and the Law “On Electronic Communications” on the development and approval of certain legal acts provided by these laws have not yet been met. As a result, currently clear and sufficient powers of the National Center for Network Management (NCU) in martial law, as well as mechanisms for their implementation are not defined; there is no responsibility for non-compliance with the instructions of the NCU operators; the issue of disconnection of subscribers during martial law remains unresolved. Details on the problematics and the text of the appeal are available **here**.

DURING THE WAR, BUSINESS IN UKRAINE CAN BE CONDUCTED ON THE BASIS OF ONLY ONE DOCUMENT

Many companies were forced to cease operations altogether. This is especially true for businesses that are in areas where combat fightings are active. Other companies, which continue to operate, mostly cannot operate at full capacity. To support entrepreneurs and reduce administrative and regulatory burdens, BRDO experts together with the Ministry of Digital Transformation of Ukraine and the Ministry of Economy of Ukraine have developed a package of regulations, including Government Decree **№314** on martial law. This document allows businesses to operate on the basis of submitting to the Ministry of Economy a declaration of economic activity without obtaining the appropriate permits (permits, licenses and / or other results of public services) during martial law.

INFOGRAPHICS: EXPLAINERS OF WHAT TO DO IN DIFFERENT SITUATIONS

BRDO created a cross-sectoral initiative in coordination with state authorities to create infographic instructions with explainers for businesses and citizens on what to do in different situations. In particular, the following instructions were designed (in Ukrainian):

1. **Connecting the service of National Roaming**
2. **Alternative routes of passenger transportation**
3. **Action algorithm for everyone transporting humanitarian aid across the border**
4. **Official accounts of funds for reconstruction due to military aggression of the RF**
5. **Algorithm for customs clearance of humanitarian aid when crossing the border**

APPEALS TO INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS AND COMPANIES

BRDO supports the global movement of appeals to international organisations, corporations, and separate companies to exclude the RF from respectable international organisations and to boycott the aggressor by stopping business operations with it. In April, BRDO experts appealed to **Henkel** and **Valve Corporation** regarding stopping doing business with and in Russia and clarification for payments to Ukrainian video games developers.

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