The working groups for the development of auto transport and road infrastructure have convened in the fourth meeting of the current year



On December 4, 2023, in a video conference format, the fourth meeting of the current year took place for the working groups on the development of auto transport and road infrastructure, with the participation of experts from both banks of the Nistru River.

During the session, a wide range of current issues in the field of auto transport facing drivers with "MD" license plates was discussed. In this context, experts from Chisinau addressed the issue of illegal tolls requested in the region, imposing the obligation to have a second motor third-party liability insurance issued in violation of the law, abusive requirements for additional payments for trucks with a total weight exceeding 18 tons, deliberate stops of vehicle operators with detailed interrogations and unauthorized checks, etc.

Similarly, the functioning of vehicle registration points in the cities of Tiraspol and Râbnița was addressed. Representatives from Chisinau reiterated that the basic issues in the operation of the registration points were artificially created by Tiraspol since the end of December 2021.

Experts from Chisinau emphasized the need to promote constructive approaches and avoid positions that excessively politicize the matter.

In ensuring the right to free movement and honoring the positive obligations of the state towards residents in the Transnistrian region, it was mentioned that the authorities in Chisinau are working on a draft legislative act aimed at revitalizing the activities of territorial subdivisions in the city of Râbnița and Tiraspol, as well as legalizing the participation of all vehicles whose residents have domiciles in the

eastern regions of the country in road traffic.

During the meeting, representatives of the National Auto Transport Agency informed about the new procedure for the periodic technical inspection of vehicles, which includes the introduction of an electronic badge in the form of a barcode.

