

повысить эффективность доставки товаров и снизить затраты компаний как на внутреннем рынке, так и при международной торговле благодаря сотрудничеству с Китаем — одним из лидеров этой отрасли технологий. Однако для успешного внедрения этой технологии необходимо преодолеть ряд вызовов, связанных с регуляцией, безопасностью полетов и техническими ограничениями существующих моделей дронов.

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THE ROLE OF CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES IN THE FIGHT AGAINST SMUGGLING

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In the modern world, customs crimes are becoming an increasingly urgent problem. They pose a serious threat to the economic security of the state, as they undermine the foundations of free trade, contribute to the development of the shadow economy and create conditions for illegal trafficking of goods.

Customs crimes include various acts related to violations of customs legislation. These include:

- illegal movement of narcotic drugs, psychotropic substances or their precursors or analogues through the customs border;
- illegal movement of highly potent, poisonous, toxic substances, radioactive materials, firearms, ammunition, explosives;
- violation of customs control rules;
- illegal export or import of goods and vehicles.

All these actions are aimed at making illegal profits, evading taxes and fees, as well as bypassing customs control. They cause damage to the economic component of the state, violate the rights and legitimate interests of bona fide participants in foreign economic activity.

The relevance of the topic under consideration is due to the fact that customs authorities are actively fighting the illegal movement of narcotic drugs, using

customs control as the main tool of this fight. The effectiveness of customs control is a determining factor for ensuring state and economic security. Customs authorities strive to carry out customs control most effectively, minimizing time costs and ensuring strict compliance with customs legislation.

The activities of the customs authorities have a significant impact on the economic development of the country. Customs regulation is one of the key mechanisms of state influence on the economy. It includes the establishment of rules and procedures that regulate the movement of goods and vehicles across the customs border for both legal entities and individuals.

The measures taken in the field of customs regulation are aimed at suppressing illegal trade. As part of these measures, advanced technologies and control methods specially adapted to combat smuggling are used.

Customs officers are working to curb and restrict illegal trade in order to reduce the number of international illegal transactions, reduce the volume of shipments of contraband goods and eliminate criminal groups.

In the context of combating smuggling, customs control acts as the main tool. In this regard, it seems necessary to analyze the concept of customs control.

In December 2018, the World Customs Organization (WCO) released an international dictionary of customs terms, which includes more than a hundred significant definitions and concepts. According to the WCO Dictionary of Customs Terms, customs control is "a set of measures implemented by customs authorities to ensure compliance with customs legislation."

Let's analyze the activities of the State Customs Committee of the Republic of Belarus in the field of law enforcement. In accordance with the Decree of the President of the Republic of Belarus dated April 21, 2008 No. 228 "On certain issues of customs authorities", the State Customs Committee is a law enforcement agency. This is fixed in the Regulation on the State Customs Committee of the Republic of Belarus. One of the main tasks of the State Customs Committee is to ensure the economic security of the Republic of Belarus and protect its economic interests within its competence. This is reflected in subparagraph 6.2 of paragraph 6 of the Regulations on the State Customs Committee of the Republic of Belarus [1].

The fight against customs crimes is a priority task of law enforcement agencies. It requires an integrated approach, including improving legislation, strengthening control over the activities of participants in foreign economic activity, as well as improving the level of professional training of customs officials.

Offenses related to violation of customs rules are actions that pose a threat to society, contradict the laws and entail liability. These crimes are committed in the economic sphere and involve the movement of goods and vehicles across the customs border, bypassing the established rules.

The subject of such crimes is public relations related to the inviolability of the customs territory and its protection from illegal movement of goods. In addition, the scope of these crimes includes ensuring the normal operation of customs authorities, compliance with the customs clearance procedure and other aspects related to customs activities.

In the customs sphere, there are offenses that pose a serious threat to society and qualify as crimes. These include: smuggling, illegal export of export control objects, non-return of historical and cultural values to the territory of the Republic of Belarus, evasion of customs payments [2]

In the field of customs control there are violations that can be classified as administrative and aimed at weakening the effectiveness of the work of customs authorities. If such violations do not fall under criminal liability, then administrative liability is provided for them in accordance with the Code of Administrative Offenses of the Republic of Belarus. In the context of integration, a market economy and participation of Belarus in the Customs Union and the Common Economic Space, the country's customs policy fulfills both foreign economic and domestic economic tasks of the state.

The activities of customs authorities represent a critically important element in the system of state regulation of the economy, since customs legislation is one of the main instruments of state influence on the economic sphere.

The establishment of clear rules and procedures for the movement of goods and vehicles contributes not only to the streamlining of foreign economic activity, but also to ensuring the protection of national interests.

Measures aimed at suppressing illegal trade including the use of modern technologies and control methods make it possible to effectively counteract smuggling and other illegal operations. Customs officers are actively working to reduce the volume of contraband shipments and eliminate criminal gangs, which underlines the importance of customs control as the main tool in this fight.

Thus, effective customs regulation not only contributes to ensuring economic security, but also guarantees the stability and development of the national economy, confirming its importance in the context of modern global trade.

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