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INTRODUCTION

We are honoured to present the new investor roadmap (investment profile) - a document containing collected and systematized information necessary for establishing and carrying out of investment activity in Ivano-Frankivsk region of Ukraine. The publication addressed mostly to Ukrainian and foreign businessmen, owners and managers of business entities who are investing or intending to invest into the region’s economy.

The compilers of investor roadmap analyse current legislation of Ukraine, local regulations concerning key aspects of economic management and investment activity as well as current information available in the Internet and official publications. It contains a systematized information on administrative services for businesses as well as algorithms and cost of such services. The roadmap also includes contacts of authorities and permit issuing authorities, which provide administrative services and support to the investors in various business issues.

The Investor roadmap is logically divided into 7 sections relating to different aspects of business and investment activity. In particular, section 1 is devoted to registration of economic entities, opening the representative offices of foreign legal entities in Ukraine and legalization of foreign documents. Section 2 contains the licensing issues of certain types of economic activity. Section 3 contains general information about obtaining the permit documents necessary for carrying out of business activity. Section 4 illustrates the peculiarities of using the work of hired employees and labour relations. Section 5 contains information on existing taxes and duties in Ukraine, taxation system and tax incentives for investors as well as taxation of customs regulations. Section 6 contains information on state registration of foreign investments and their protection. Section 7 described the current legislation concerning foreign investments, guarantees and incentives for investors.

Each investor is very desirable and valuable for Ivano-Frankivsk region. We hope that the information collected in the document will be effective and helpful for the current and potential investors in making management decisions and doing business in Ivano-Frankivsk region of Ukraine. We also think that the information will provide answers to many questions of businessmen who see the region as a platform for their future investment projects.
Main legal forms of economic activity in Ukraine

Economic entities in Ukraine are:
- **economic organizations** – legal entities, state, public and other enterprises as well as other legal entities engaged in economic activity, which are registered in accordance with the law;
- **citizens of Ukraine, foreigners and persons without citizenship**, engaged in economic activity, which are registered as entrepreneurs in accordance with the law.

Therefore, those who want to carry out the economic activity in Ukraine have the right to create a legal entity in one of legal forms provided by the legislation of Ukraine or to carry out the activity as a private entrepreneurs - natural persons.

**Economic entities** – legal entities, which are usually the enterprises.

**Enterprise** is an independent economic entity established by the competent public or local self-government body, or other entities for satisfaction of social or personal needs by systematic carrying out of production, research and development, trade, or other economic activities.

Unless otherwise is provisioned by the law, an enterprise shall operate on the basis of a Charter.

Enterprise is a legal entity with its own property, balance, bank accounts, seal with its name and identification code. Enterprise shall not include any other legal entities.

**Main legal forms of enterprises are:**

- **Private enterprise (company)** operates on the basis of private property of one or several citizens, foreigners or persons without citizenship and their labour or hired labour. Private enterprise can also operate on the basis of private property of economic enterprise - legal entity.

- **Foreign enterprise** an unitary or corporate enterprise, created in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine, acting exceptionally on the basis of property of foreign persons or foreign legal entities, or enterprise, purchased fully in property of these persons. Foreign enterprise can not be created in industries, appointed by law, which have a strategic value for safety of the state.

- **Consumers’ cooperative society** an unitary or corporate enterprise established by the consumer society (societies) or union (association) of consumer societies to fulfil the statutory goals of these societies, unions (associations).

- **Subsidiary (daughter) company** a company founded by other companies.

- **Business associations** enterprises established by legal entities and (or) citizens through joining of their property and entrepreneurial activity with the aim of making profit. Business associations include: joint-stock companies, limited liability companies, additional liability companies, full liability partnerships and limited (general) partnerships.

- **Joint-stock company** a company the statutory fund of which is divided into a specified number of shares of equal nominal value. Joint stock companies are divided into public and private joint-stock companies.

- **Public joint-stock company** can make public and private distribution of shares.

- **Private joint-stock** can make only private distribution of shares. If general meeting of private joint-stock company shall decide to make public distribution of shares, the corresponding changes are introduced to the partnership articles, including the change of partnership type - from private to public.
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<td><strong>Limited liability company</strong></td>
<td>a company with the statutory capital divided into shares, size of which is determined by the foundation documents. Founders of the limited liability company are liable for its obligations within limits of their shares. Founders of the company who did not fully contribute are jointly liable for the company’s obligations within the value of unpaid contributions of each founder.</td>
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<td><strong>Additional liability company</strong></td>
<td>a company, the statutory capital of which is divided into shares determined by the foundation documents. Founders of such company are liable for the company debts with their contributions to the share capital, with insufficiency of these amounts - additional property belonging to them in the same amounts as for all founders. The limiting size of founders’ responsibility is provided in the foundation documents.</td>
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<td><strong>Full liability partnership</strong></td>
<td>a company, all members of which are engaged in joint entrepreneurial activity and are jointly liable by the partnership’s obligations by all property belonging to them.</td>
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<td><strong>Limited (general) partnership</strong></td>
<td>a company, where, along with one or more members engaged in entrepreneurial activity on behalf of the company liable for the company’s obligations by all property belonging to them, there is one or more members, whose liability is limited by the contributions in company’s assets.</td>
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The other legal forms of enterprises are:

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<td><strong>Cooperative</strong></td>
<td>a legal entity, formed by the natural and/or legal persons that have voluntarily joined together on the basis of membership for carrying out joint economic and other activities in order to meet their economic, social and other needs, organized and operated on co-operative principles.</td>
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<td>Certain types of cooperatives are:</td>
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<td>▪️ producers’ cooperative – a cooperative, formed by the association of natural persons for joint manufacturing or other economic activities on condition of their personal participation for profit;</td>
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<td>▪️ servicing cooperative – a cooperative, formed by the association of natural and/or legal persons in order to provide services mainly to the members of cooperative as well as to other persons for the fulfilment of their economic activity. Servicing cooperatives provide services to other persons in amounts, which do not exceed 20 percent of the cooperative total turnover;</td>
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<td>▪️ consumer cooperative (consumer company) – a cooperative, formed by the association of natural and/or legal persons with the purpose to organize retailing services, storage of agricultural products, raw materials, manufacture of products and other services in order to meet consumer needs of its members;</td>
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<td>▪️ agricultural production cooperative – a legal entity that is founded by means of association of individuals who produce agricultural products for joint manufacturing of agricultural, fishing and forest products on the base of compulsory labour input in the manufacturing process;</td>
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<td>▪️ agricultural service cooperative – a cooperative that is founded for providing services predominantly to members of cooperative and other persons with the aim of their agricultural activity.</td>
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<td><strong>Consumers’ society (union)</strong></td>
<td>a self-governing organization of citizens who associate on the basis of voluntary membership, cooperative property and mutual assistance for joint business activity with the aim of the collective organized provision of their economic and social interests. Each member of consuming society has his own share in its property.</td>
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<td><strong>Farming enterprise</strong></td>
<td>form of entrepreneurial activity of citizens by establishing of a legal entity with the aim of agricultural production, processing and sale for profit on the lands provided to them for farming.</td>
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Main legal forms of economic activity in Ukraine

Enterprises can form the enterprise associations. Enterprise associations can include companies formed under the laws of other states and companies of Ukraine, which may join enterprise associations formed on the territory of other states.

Certain types of enterprise associations are:

**Business association** a contractual union set up with the purpose of permanent coordination of economic activity of enterprises that united by means of centralization of one or more production and managerial functions, development of specialization and cooperation of production, organization of common production on the basis of combining by parties of financial and material resources to satisfy predominantly economic needs of association members. Business association shall not interfere with the business activity of member companies.

**Corporation** a contractual union set up on the basis of the combination of production, academic and commercial interests of enterprises associated with delegating by those of certain powers of the centralized regulation of activity of each member to bodies of corporation management.

**Consortium** a temporary charter union of enterprises to achieve by members certain economic goal (implementation of special-purpose programs, academic and research, construction projects, etc.).

**Concern** a charter union of enterprises and other organizations on the basis of their financial dependence on one or a group of participants of the union with centralized functions of academic and technical, and production development, investment, financial, foreign economic and other activities.

**Holding company** a business entity that holds a controlling block of shares of the subsidiary (subsidiaries).

Other forms of uniting enterprise interests are unions, entrepreneur associations and others.

**Business enterprises** - legal entities are entitled to set up their affiliates (divisions), representative offices, other separated divisions of economic organizations (structural units) without establishing a legal entity. **Affiliate Company** is a separate division of the legal entity located outside the legal entity’s location, performing all or part of the legal entity’s functions. Affiliate companies are trusted with a part of property of legal entities establishing them and act on the basis of the regulations, approved by such legal entities.

**Representative office** is a separate division of the legal entity located outside the legal entity’s location, providing representation and protection of interests of the legal entity. Representative offices may be trusted with a part of property of legal entities establishing them, and act on the basis of regulations approved by such legal entities.

**Representative office of foreign entity** an institution or person that represents foreign entity in Ukraine and has appropriate authorities to perform on behalf of foreign entity. Representative offices can be of two types – commercial (for-profit, engaged in economic activity) and non commercial (not-for-profit, not engaged in economic activity).

**Natural person - entrepreneur** a citizen of Ukraine, foreign citizen or person without citizenship who carries out entrepreneurial activity with its state registration as an entrepreneur without a legal entity status. Natural person - entrepreneur is responsible for its obligations with all property, which according to the Law can be subject to penalties.
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<td>Founders (owners)</td>
<td>Citizen of Ukraine, foreign citizen, person without citizenship</td>
<td>Citizen of Ukraine, foreign citizen, person without citizenship, legal entity</td>
<td>State, local community, natural and/or legal entities</td>
<td>Citizen of Ukraine, foreign citizen, person without citizenship, legal entity</td>
<td>Citizen of Ukraine, foreign citizen, person without citizenship as well as legal entities of Ukraine and foreign countries</td>
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<td>Number of founders</td>
<td>One person</td>
<td>One or several natural persons or one legal entity</td>
<td>Public Joint Stock Companies - not limited, Private Joint Stock Companies - from 1 to 100 persons</td>
<td>From 1 to 100 persons</td>
<td>Not less than 3 persons</td>
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<td>Minimum share capital</td>
<td>Not defined</td>
<td>1,250 minimum wages</td>
<td>Funds from the distribution of shares, income from economic activity, other assets acquired on the grounds not prohibited by Law</td>
<td>Contributions to share capital, income from economic activity, other assets acquired on the grounds that are not prohibited by Law</td>
<td>Initiation, membership and target contributions of its members, shares and additional shares; assets, voluntarily contributed to the cooperative by its members; revenues from economic activity; funds and other sources not prohibited by Law</td>
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<td>Sources of capital</td>
<td>Own capital</td>
<td>Financial and in-kind contributions, revenues from sales of products, services and other economic activities; incomes from securities; other sources not prohibited by the legislation of Ukraine</td>
<td>Funds from the distribution of shares, income from economic activity, other assets acquired on the grounds not prohibited by Law</td>
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<td>Profit distribution</td>
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<td>According to the value of shares owned in form of dividends - part of the net profit of joint stock company that is paid to shareholder per one share of certain type and/or class that belongs to him</td>
<td>According to the size of share in the statutory capital in form of dividends - part of net profit of the partnership that is paid to the participant in proportion to its share</td>
<td>According to the size of shares</td>
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<td>Governing bodies</td>
<td>Solely</td>
<td>Solely/collectively in accordance with the constituent documents</td>
<td>General meetings, collective (government, board of directors) or sole (director, general director) executive body</td>
<td>General meetings of members, collegiate (board of directors led by the general director or sole director)</td>
<td>General meetings, government, the head, executive director</td>
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<td>Responsibility of founder</td>
<td>Full (all assets)</td>
<td>Within the assets of the enterprise</td>
<td>Within the shares they hold</td>
<td>Within the contributions to share capital</td>
<td>Within the introduced shares</td>
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Permanent representative offices of foreign legal entities

The Law of Ukraine «On Foreign Economic Activity»
Tax Code of Ukraine

Permanent representative offices of non-resident legal entities are foreign companies, firms, international organizations representing the interests of such legal entities in Ukraine, which wholly or partly carry out the entrepreneurial activity of non-resident entity on the territory of Ukraine.

The representative office of foreign economic entity is not a legal entity and does not carry out economic activity by itself. In all cases it acts in the name and on behalf of foreign economic entity, specified in the registration certificate and performs its functions in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine. Representative office of foreign economic entity in Ukraine can carry out functions related to the performance of representation services only in the interests of foreign economic entity, which is specified in the registration certificate.

Tax Code of Ukraine defines the permanent representative office as the permanent location of operation, where a non-resident runs his business operation fully or in part, including: a location of management, branch, office, factory, workshop, structure for exploration of natural resources, mine, oil/gas well, quarry or any other production of natural resources, storehouse or premises used for delivery of goods.

For tax purposes, the term “permanent representative office” includes a construction site, a construction, assembling or installation object or related supervisory activities, if the duration of such site, object or activities exceeds six months; provision of services (except for provision of personnel), including counselling, by a non-resident through employees or other personnel engaged for such purpose, but if such activities are carried out (in a single project or a related project) in Ukraine for a period or periods whose total duration exceeds six months in any twelve month period; residents who are authorized to act exclusively on behalf of such a non-resident, which entails civil rights and obligations of the non-resident (making agreements (contracts) on behalf of such non-resident, keep (store) goods belonging to the non-resident, when goods are supplied on behalf of the non-resident, except for residents with the status of the temporary storage or customs licensed warehouse).

A permanent representation does not include use of facilities solely for the purpose of storage, display or delivery of goods or merchandise belonging to the non-resident, storing goods or merchandise belonging to the non-resident solely for the purpose of storage or display, storing goods or merchandise belonging to the non-resident solely for the purpose of processing by another enterprise, maintenance of the permanent location of business solely for the purpose of purchasing goods or merchandise or for collection of information for the non-resident, and assignment of individuals under agreements on provision of personnel services.
Other forms of economic activity

Joint activity agreement
Legislation: Civil Code of Ukraine

With the joint activity agreement parties undertake to act jointly without establishment of legal entity to achieve a specific purpose without prejudice to the Law.

A variation of joint activity agreement is simple partnership agreement under which the parties (participants) shall be obliged to unite their contributions and to act jointly aimed at receiving profit or reaching another goal.

Everything contributed into joint venture by a participant (joint property) including monetary funds, other property, professional and other knowledge, skills and proficiency as well as business reputation and business relations shall be deemed the participant’s contribution. The participants’ contribution shall be deemed equal in its value, unless otherwise results from a simple partnership agreement or actual circumstances. Monetary valuation of the participant’s contribution shall be performed by the agreement between the participants.

A joint activity agreement shall be concluded in writing. Provisions of a joint venture agreement include:

- coordination of joint actions of the participants or carrying out their mutual business;
- legal status of the property allocated for joint venture;
- coverage of the participants’ expenses and losses, their participation in the results of joint venture.

While entering into agreement the parties shall identify the person responsible for economic and tax accounting. If the joint activity agreement is signed between the payer (payers) of the corporate income tax and the entity (entities) who are not income tax payer (payers) so the authorized payer in terms of accounting shall be only the taxpayer entity.

The regulation of procedures for signing, performance and termination of joint activity agreement without contributions, are often based on the terms relating to the joint activity agreement involving contributions.

Agreement with participation of foreign investor must be registered at the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine. A joint activity agreement shall be registered in the State Tax Service.

Foreign investor has the right to conclude agreements (contracts) on joint investment activity (joint production, etc.) that is not associated with the creation of legal entity according to the legislation of Ukraine.

Parties, according to the agreement shall keep separate business accounting and make reports on transactions associated with compliance of the terms of the agreement and open separate accounts in Ukrainian banks for payments under the agreement.

Custom taxation of assets (except the goods for sale or goods that are used for purposes, which are not directly related to entrepreneurial activity), imported in Ukraine by foreign investors for at least three years term for investment purpose on the basis of registered agreements (contracts) shall be made following the procedures set out in the Customs Code of Ukraine.

Profit, earned from the joint investment activity by the agreements shall be taxed according to the legislation of Ukraine.

For tax purposes, two or more persons engaged in joint activity without forming a legal entity shall be considered as a separate entity within such activity.
Registration of economic entities

The Law of Ukraine «On State Registration of Legal Entities and Natural Persons-Entrepreneurs»

The procedure of business registration in Ukraine involves the following steps:

1. State registration of legal entity (natural person-entrepreneur)
2. Inclusion in the Unified State Register of Enterprises and Organizations (registration in statistical offices)
3. Registration in the Pension Fund of Ukraine
4. Registration in the State Tax Service

State registration of legal entity (natural person - entrepreneur)

State registration is performed by the state registrars at the state registration authority at the local (city, district) departments of justice by a legal entity location or residency of a natural person-entrepreneur.

The duration of the state registration of legal entity shall not exceed three working days from the submission date, for natural persons - two days.

The state registrar shall submit the information from the registration card of the state registration of legal entity to the appropriate statistical offices, State Tax Service, Pension Fund of Ukraine and social insurance funds in the day of state registration of legal entity.

Documents to be submitted for the state registration:

1. Completed registration card for state registration of a legal entity (form 1);
2. Duplicate of the original (copy, notarized copy) of the decision of founders or authorized body to create a legal entity in cases, envisaged by Law;
3. Two duplicates of the foundation documents (in case of submitting electronic documents – one duplicate). In case of a legal entity creation on the basis of the model statute, an appropriate mark with a reference to a standard statutory document shall be put in the registration card for state registration of a legal entity;
4. Document, certifying the registration fee payment for state registration of a legal entity (170 UAH);
5. Information with the documents, certifying the property structure of the founders – legal entities, that enables defining persons – owners of the reasonable part of these legal entities (extract from the Unified State Register of Legal Entities and Natural Persons - Entrepreneurs);
6. In case of state registration of a joint stock company - report on the subscription for shares, certified by the State Commission on Securities and Stock Market of Ukraine;
7. In case of state registration of a farm enterprise - a copy of the act of state for the right of the regular use of the land by the founder or a notarized copy of the agreement on the right of the use of the land by the founder, particularly on a rental basis;
8. In case of state registration of a legal entity with a founder (founders) that is a foreign legal entity - a document, confirming the registration of a foreign person in the country of location, particularly an extract from the commercial, banking or judicial register legalized in the prescribed manner.

If the documents for state registration of a legal entity are submitted by the founder of a legal entity, his/her passport shall be additionally shown to the state registrar. If the documents for state registration of a legal entity are submitted by a person, authorized by the founder (founders) of the legal entity, a passport shall be additionally shown to the state registrar, as well as a document, certifying the authorities of the person, or in case of submitting electronic documents, a document, certifying the authorities of this person, shall be added in electronic form to the documents, specified.
State registration of legal entity (natural person - entrepreneur)

State registration of amendments to the foundation documents of a legal entity

1. Completed registration card for state registration of amendments to the foundation documents of a legal entity (form 3). Signature of person authorized to act on behalf of the legal entity shall be authorised by the appropriate official body on registration card and sealed or notarized by a legal entity;

2. Duplicate of the original (copy, notarized copy) of the decision to introduce amendments to the foundation documents;

3. Document, confirming the competence to make a decision on amendments to the founding documents;

4. Originals of the foundation documents of a legal entity with a mark on their state registration with all the amendments, effective on the date of submission, or a copy of the published in a specialized print mass media report on the loss of all or part of the mentioned original foundation documents;

5. Two duplicates of amendments to the foundation documents of a legal entity as separate annexes or two duplicates of the foundation documents in a new wording;

6. Document, certifying the payment of a registration fee for state registration of amendments to the foundation documents (51 UAH);

7. In case of introducing amendments to the statute, connected with reduction of the authorized capital (statutory or composite funds) of the legal entity, except for the documents prescribed, a document, certifying payment for publication of the corresponding report in the special print mass media, shall be submitted additionally;

8. In case of introducing amendments to the foundation documents, connected with the shift in the penal of the founders (participants) of the legal entity on the basis of the fact of death of a person – founder (participant) and refusal of other founders (participants) to accept the heritor (heritors) of the deceased to the penal of the founders, except for the documents envisaged, a copy (notarized copy, or copy, certified by the state registration body of the civil status acts) of the death certificate of the person or a document that is the basis for its issuance according to the Law of Ukraine “On State Registration of Civil Status Acts” shall be submitted additionally.

In case if the documents for state registration of amendments to the foundation documents of a legal entity are submitted by a person, who according to the data, introduced to the Unified State Register, is entitled to perform legal actions on behalf of the legal entity without power of attorney, the passport shall be additionally shown to the state registrar. If the documents are submitted by another representative of the legal entity, the passport and document or notarized copy of the document, certifying the authorities of the representative, shall be additionally shown to the state registrar.

State registration of amendments to the data on a legal entity from the Unified State Register:

1. Completed registration card on introduction of amendments to the data on a legal entity, contained in the Unified State Register (form 4). Signature of the person authorized to act on behalf of legal entity (executive body) on the registration card and on the application of documents loss (replacement) must be authorised by the appropriate official body and sealed or notarized by the legal entity.

2. Document, confirming the payment for the publishing of notification in specialized print-ed mass media (in case of change of legal entity location).
State registration of legal entity (natural person - entrepreneur)

State registration of legal entity termination in result of its liquidation:

1. Original or a notarized copy of the decision of the founders (participants) or an authorized body on the legal entity termination.
2. In cases prescribed by Law, in addition with such documents, a document, certifying the consent of the appropriate public authorities as for the legal entity termination.
3. Passport and document confirming the powers of authorized person.

2. Completed registration card for state registration of the legal entity termination in connection with the liquidation (form № 7).
2. Certificate of the appropriate State Tax Administration body on the absence of debts on payment of taxes, fees.
3. Certificate of the appropriate body of the Pension Fund of Ukraine on the absence of debts.
4. Certificate of an archival institution on the acceptance of documents, which according to law shall be subject to long-term storage.
5. In cases, envisaged by Law, an auditor’s opinion as for the adequacy and completeness of the liquidation balance.
6. In case of state registration of termination of joint-stock companies - a copy of the order on abolition of registration of the equities issue, certified by the National Commission on Securities and Stock Market of Ukraine.

In case of the state registration of termination of legal entity - equities issuer, the note of appropriate body of the National Commission on Securities and Stock Market of Ukraine certifying the absence of not abolished securities’ issues of the legal entity shall be submitted.

If the documents for state registration of the legal entity termination in the result of its liquidation are submitted by the presiding commissioner on liquidation or an authorized person, the state registrar shall be additionally shown a passport and a document, certifying his (her) authorities.

State registration of natural person - entrepreneur:

1. Completed registration card for state registration of an individual entrepreneur (form 10);
2. Copy of a document, certifying the registration in the State Register of individuals - taxpayers;
3. Document, certifying payment of the registration fee for state registration of an individual entrepreneur (34 UAH);
4. Notarized written consent of parents (adopters) or custodian, or agency of guardianship and care, if the applicant is an individual of age from 16 to 18 years.

If the documents for state registration are submitted personally by the applicant, the state registrar shall be additionally shown the passport. An authorized person shall show his/her passport and a document, certifying his/her authorities.
State registration of legal entity (natural person - entrepreneur)

State registration of amendments to the data of natural person - entrepreneur, contained in the Unified State Register:

1. Completed registration card for state registration of amendments to the data on an individual entrepreneur (form 11);

2. If natural person wants to change the name, place of residence, registration number of taxpayer registration card or number and series of natural person’s passport who due to his religious or other beliefs refused to accept it - a document, confirming payment of the registration fee for the state registration of amendments to the data of natural person - entrepreneur (10.20 UAH);

3. If the taxpayer wants to change the registration number of registration card - copy of the note on change of the registration number of taxpayer registration card.

An applicant, who submits the documents in person, shows his/her passport to the state registrar. If the documents are submitted through the representative, an authorized person shall show his/her passport and a document, certifying his/her authorities.

State registration of the termination of natural person - entrepreneur’s business activity

1. Filled registration card for state registration on termination of entrepreneurial activity of an individual entrepreneur by his/her decision (form 12).

2. Certificate of the appropriate State Tax Administration body on the absence of debts on payment of taxes, fees.

3. Certificate of the appropriate body of the Pension Fund Of Ukraine on the absence of debts on the payment of a single payment for an obligatory to all state social insurance, insurance contributions to the Pension Fund of Ukraine and social insurance funds.

4. Passport and document, confirming the powers of authorized person.

In case if the documents for state registration of termination of entrepreneurial activity by an individual entrepreneur are submitted by the applicant or an authorized person, the state registrar shall be additionally shown a passport and a document, certifying his (her) authorities (power of attorney).

Adding of information on separate subdivision of legal entity to the Unified State Register:

1. Completed registration card on creation of a separate subdivision (form 5);

2. Decision of the governing body of a legal entity on creation of a separate subdivision or a notification of the standard form on closure of a separate subdivision.

Provision of data from the Unified State Register of legal entities and natural persons - entrepreneurs (excerpts, extracts and certificates):

1. Completed written enquiry;

2. Document, confirming payment for issue of an excerpt, extract or certificate from the Unified State Register.
State registration of legal entity (natural person - entrepreneur)

Table 2. Provision of information from the Unified State Register of Legal Entities and Natural Persons - Entrepreneurs

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<td>Certificate</td>
<td>18.7 UAH (1.87 EUR) + 3.4 UAH (0.34 EUR) for each additional form + 1.7 UAH (0.17 EUR)</td>
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<td>State registration of natural person - entrepreneur/ legal entity</td>
<td>170 UAH (17 EUR)</td>
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<td>Extract from the Unified State Register (one copy of the statute for legal entity)</td>
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<td>State registration of amendments to the information about natural person - entrepreneur/ legal entity</td>
<td>51 UAH (5.1 EUR)</td>
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<td>State registration of the termination of natural person - entrepreneur/ legal entity business activity due to its liquidation</td>
<td>free of charge</td>
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<td>Notification on the state registration of business activity termination by the natural person entrepreneur/ legal entity</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>State registration of amendments to the foundation documents of legal entity</td>
<td>30 % from ten personal exemptions of citizens – 51 UAH (5.1 EUR)</td>
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<td>Extract from the Unified State Register and one copy of statute original</td>
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<td>No later than the next business day after receipt of information from the registration form provided by the state registrar or the application of taxpayer</td>
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<td>Note on taxpayer registration (f. № 4-TPR)</td>
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<td>Registration in the Pension Fund of Ukraine</td>
<td>Pension Fund of Ukraine</td>
<td>No later than the next business day after receipt of the information provided by the state registrar or the application of taxpayer</td>
<td>free of charge</td>
<td>Notification on registration</td>
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* Taxpayer is considered to be on general taxation system, since registering if he has not selected the other type of taxation according to the legislation.

Contacts of the appropriate institutions are given in the annexes.
Registration of representative office of foreign economic entity

The Law of Ukraine «On Foreign Economic Activity»
Order of the Ministry of Foreign Economic Relations
and Trade of Ukraine dated from 18.01.1996, № 30
“On approval of the Instruction on registration order
of representative offices of foreign economic entities
in Ukraine”

Registration of representative offices of foreign economic entities in Ukraine is carried out
by the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine.

Foreign economic entity willing to open a representative office with no intention of
carrying out the economic activity in Ukraine submits the following documents to the
Ministry:

1. Application with a request for registration of representative office, written in arbitrary
manner;
2. Extract from the trade (company) register of the country, where the main
management body of foreign economic entity is officially located;
3. Certificate of the bank where the account of foreign economic entity is opened;
4. Authorization to perform representative functions in Ukraine, issued according to the
laws of country, where the foreign economic entity is officially registered.

All documents, notarized in the place of their issuance, properly legalized in consular
institutions, representing the interests of Ukraine, if the international agreements of
Ukraine provide otherwise, shall be accompanied by translation into Ukrainian certified
by the translator. Documents shall be submitted no later than 6 months from the date of
their issuance in the country where the foreign economic entity is located.

The representative office registration certificate shall be issued after submission of
documents to the Ministry in accordance to the “Instruction on registration procedure of
representative offices of foreign economic entities in Ukraine” not later than 60 business
days from the date of registration fee payment. The bank requisites for registration fee
payment (2500 USD) shall be provided to the applicant with the submission of the reg
istration documents.

In case the representative office shall carry out the economic activity in Ukraine, such
representative office should be registered in the tax authorities by their location in the
manner prescribed by the central tax authority of Ukraine and acquire the status of
permanent representative office.

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Opening of bank accounts

Regulation of the Board of National Bank of Ukraine from 12.11.2003 № 492 “Instruction on Opening, Operating, and Closing Accounts in the National and Foreign Currencies”

Economic entities, non-resident investors, foreign representative offices and individuals have the right to open accounts in order to provide their business activity and their own needs in any bank of Ukraine on their own choice, unless the bank is unable to provide banking services or unless such refusal is permitted by law or bank rules.

All kinds of cash transactions according to the terms of agreement and the requirements of Ukraine’s legislation are made through current accounts that are opened by banks for economic entities in national currency.

Current bank account in foreign currency shall be opened for the economic entity for keeping cash payable and performing payment operations within the legislation of Ukraine in non-cash and cash foreign currency under the current transactions, specified by the legislation of Ukraine, outbound investments, transactions under the purchase and sale of Ukrainian state bonds, under loans’ (credits, financial assistance) crediting, handling and redemption in foreign currency, foreign direct investment earnings pursuant to the legislation of Ukraine as well as for transactions provided by the license issued by the National Bank of Ukraine for currency exchange transactions.

List of documents required for opening the current account of legal entity:

- application for account opening according to the approved form (signed by the account owner);
- properly completed and duly executed copy of registered foundation document (statute/foundation agreement/constituent act/regulation), certified or notarized by the registration body;
- copy of the certificate on legal entity registration from the Unified State Register of Enterprises and Organizations of Ukraine, certified by the issuing body, or notarized, or certified by the signature of authorized bank employee;
- copy of the document, confirming the registration of legal entity in the State Tax Service, certified by the issuing body, or notarized, or certified by the signature of authorized bank employee;
- signature card with samples of signature and seal, notarized or certified by the organization to which the client is administratively subordinated, in the prescribed manner.

Legal entity, which use hired labour and pursuant to the legislation of Ukraine is a single tax payer of obligatory state social insurance, in addition to the documents listed, shall submit a copy of the document confirming the legal entity registration in the Pension Fund of Ukraine.

List of documents required for opening the current bank account for the representative office of non-resident legal entity:

- application of representative office for account opening;
- notarized copy of legalized extract from the trade, bank or court register or notarized registration certificate of local authority from the non-resident legal entity registration country;
- copy of registration certificate of the representative office, notarized or certified by the issuing body;
- notarized copy of legalized power of attorney to perform representative functions in Ukraine;
- notarized signature card (2 samples).
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List of documents required for opening the current account for the formation of share capital:

- application for account opening;
- decision of the founders to determine a person who shall be given the right for executive signature under cash transactions with the account, completed in the form of notarized power of attorney (if at least one of the founders is an individual);
- notarized copy of foundation agreement (if at least one of the founders is an individual);
- signature card with specimen signature of a person who was been given the right for executive signature by the founders, certified by the authorized bank employee;

List of documents required for opening the current account of separate subdivision of legal entity:

- application for opening the current account, signed by the head of separate subdivision or any other authorized person;
- account opening petition of legal person or relevant privatization body (concerning structural subdivisions, which are separated in the process of privatization) to the bank, in which the current account of separate subdivision shall be opening;
- copy of separate subdivision regulation, notarized or certified by legal entity who established a separate subdivision;
- copy of the certificate on registration of separate subdivision in the Unified State Register of Enterprises and Organizations of Ukraine, certified by the issuing body, or by the authorized bank employee, or notarized;
- copy of the document, confirming the registration of legal entity, which has created a separate subdivision in the State Tax Service, certified by the issuing body or by the authorized bank employee, or notarized;
- copy of the document, confirming the registration of separate subdivision in the State Tax Service by the subdivision location, certified by the issuing body or by the authorized bank employee, or notarized;
- signature card, notarized or certified by the head of legal entity establishing a separate subdivision. The card shall include signature specimens of authorized persons of subdivision who has been given the right to operate an account and sign the accounting documents according to the legislation of Ukraine and relevant documents of legal entity.

List of documents required for opening the current account of natural person - entrepreneur:

- application for opening the current account, signed by the natural person - entrepreneur;
- copy of the document confirming the registration of natural person - entrepreneur in the State Tax Service, certified by the issuing body, or by the authorized bank employee, or notarized;
- copy of the document confirming the registration of natural person - entrepreneur in the Pension Fund of Ukraine;
- signature card. Signature specimens shall be certified by the signature of authorized bank employee.
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#### List of documents required for opening of investment account:

- Application for opening the current account. The account holder shall state in the application “Additional Information” that the account is opening for the purpose of investment to Ukraine;
- Notarized copy of legalized or certified by Apostille extract from the trade, bank or court register or certificate from the foreign state local authority on registration of legal entity. The document is not required from the individual foreign investor;
- Notarized copy of legalized or certified by Apostille power of attorney for the person who has the right to open and operate an account. If this power of attorney is issued to foreign investor on the territory of Ukraine, notarized copy of this power of attorney shall be also submitted. If the account is opened personally by the individual foreign investor, the document is not required;
- Notarized signature card with signature specimens of non-resident investor;
- If non-resident investor is a member of a production sharing agreement under the Law of Ukraine “On Production Sharing Agreement”, a copy of document, confirming the registration of non-resident investor with the State Tax Service, certified by the issuing body or by the authorized bank employee, or notarized, shall be provided.

#### List of documents required for the current account opening to provide industrial cooperation, joint production and other kinds of joint activity:

- Application for the current account opening certified by signature of a person who with the power of attorney was authorized by the executive signature for the account operations;
- Notarized copy of the agreement (contract) on carrying out the joint activity;
- Copy of the document on registration of the agreement (contract) on carrying out the joint activity, certified by the issuing body or notarized;
- Notarized copy of legalized or certified by Apostille extract from the trade, bank or court register or certificate from the foreign state local authority on registration of legal entity (for non-resident investor). The document is not required from the individual non-resident investor;
- Copy of the document, confirming the registration of joint activity agreement (without establishing a legal entity) with the State Tax Service, certified by the issuing body or by the authorized bank employee, or notarized;
- Decision of agreement participants identifying the persons who shall be authorized by the executive signature for the account transactions, completed in the form of power of attorney;
- Notarized signature card. The card shall include signature specimens of persons authorized for account transactions as well as sample of a seal of the agreement participant, authorized by all participants of joint activity agreement with the power of attorney for the executive signature under the account operations.
Legalization of foreign official documents

The most of the procedures require from the investors to provide various documents issued in the country of investor’s origin and completed therefore in foreign language (for example passport or statute of the company if the investor is a legal entity).


Official documents, which shall be used on the territory of Convention member-states shall be certified by the special stamp “Apostille” placed by the competent authority of the state were this document was issued.

Official documents with Apostille do not require any further certification (legalization).

Such documents can be:

1. Documents, issued by the authority or official body, acting in the field of court jurisdiction of the state, including the documents, issued by the prosecution bodies, court secretary or justice officer;
2. Administrative documents;
3. Notarial acts;
4. Official certificates, made on documents signed by persons in the private way - such as official certificates on registration of a document or a fact that existed on a certain date, as well as official and notarial certification of signatures.

However, this Convention does not apply to:

1. Documents, drawn up by diplomatic or consular agents
2. Administrative documents dealing directly with commercial or customs operations.

Information concerning states, which are Convention members, can be found on the official website of Hague Conference on Private International Law www.hcch.net.

Under the agreement each state exempts from legalization the documents, to which this Convention applies and which have to be submitted on its territory. For the purposes of the Convention, legalization means only the formal procedure that is used by diplomatic or consular agents of the country on the territory of which this document shall be submitted for certification of signature authenticity, way in which the person who has signed the document acted and was appropriate, the authenticity of a seal or stamp, by which the document is affixed.

Such documents must be legalized in the Consulate Office of Ukraine in the state of documents’ origin. Information about Consulates General of Ukraine can be found at official website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine www.mfa.gov.ua. The information concerning embassies can be found on the website www.mfa.gov.ua.

If there is no Consulate of Ukraine in the state of documents’ origin, foreign documents can be legalized by the Department of Consular Service of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine if they are certified in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the state of documents’ origin and in the Consulate office of this country, representing its interests in Ukraine.

Apostille and claiming division of Consular Service Department
Open all business days, documents submission from 9.00 to12.00, issuance of legalized documents from 16.00 to17.00 (on Friday from 16.00 to 16.30) at the following address:

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Legalization of foreign official documents

There are countries with which the Government of Ukraine signed bilateral and multilateral agreements on cancellation of the requirement for legalization of official documents (list of such countries is given in the table). Documents issued in these countries should be translated into Ukrainian, their compliance must be notarially certified. Documents certified only by notary public are not legalized in consular offices. Their copies shall be also submitted along with the original documents.

**List of countries with which Ukraine has signed an agreement on cancellation of official documents legalization**

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Documents, which are subject to certification by “Apostille” stamp and which in consular legalization order can be also submitted to the Missions of Ukrainian Ministry of Foreign Affairs in the cities of Lviv and Odessa.

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LICENSING

General principles of licensing

The Law of Ukraine “On Licensing of Certain Types of Economic Activity”
The Law of Ukraine “On State Regulation of Production and Turnover of Ethyl Alcohol, Cognac, Fruit Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco Products”
Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine from 14.11.2000 №1698 “On Approval of the List of Licensing Authorities”
Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine from 25.11.2000 №1755 “On the Term of License for Carrying Out a Certain Types of Economic Activity, Size and Order of Fee Enrolment for its issuance”

Licensing and patenting of certain types of economic activity as well as quotation are the state regulation measures in economic sector, aimed at providing the unified state policy in this area and protection of economic and social interests of the state, society and individual consumers.

License - document of a state standard, certifying the licensee’s (legal entity’s) right to conduct economic activity, specified in the license, within the established term under condition of fulfilment of terms of licensing.

Types of economic activity that are subject to licensing in Ukraine and licensing authorities

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Issuance of license

An economic entity, which intends to conduct a certain economic activity subject to licensing personally or through a body or person, authorized by him/her, shall apply for a relevant licensing body with an application of a fixed standard on issuing of the license.

For individual types of economic activity, subject to licensing, a number of documents, the exhaustive list of which shall be established by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (regulation from 04. 07. 2001 № 756) on representation of a specially authorized licensing body, shall be attached to the application.

A licensing authority shall take a decision to issue or deny issuance of the license not later than after ten workdays from the date of receipt of an application on issuing of the license and the supplemented documents, unless other term of issuing of the license is determined by a special law, regulating relationships in certain spheres of economic activity.

A notification on making a decision to issue or deny issuance of the license shall be forwarded (delivered) to the applicant in writing within three workdays from the date of taking the relevant decision. The grounds for the specified denial shall be stipulated in the decision to deny issuance of the license.

The grounds for taking a decision to deny issuance of the license shall be as follows:

- inauthenticity of the data indicated in documents, filed by the applicant to obtain the license;
- inconformity of the applicant according to the submitted documents with the terms of licensing, established for economic activity, specified in the application on issuing of the license.

In case of denial to issue the license on the basis of identification of inauthentic data indicated in the documents, submitted by the applicant for issuing of the license, the subject of economic activity may submit a new application on issuing of the license to a licensing body not earlier than after three months from the date of making a decision to deny issuance of the license.

In case of denial to issue the license on the grounds of inconformity of the applicant with the terms of licensing, established for the activity, specified in the application on issuing of the license, a subject of economic activity may submit a new application on issuing of the license to a licensing body after removal of reasons, on the grounds of which the issuing of the license has been rejected.

A licensing body shall issue the license not later than after three days from the date of reception of a document, certifying the payment of the license fee.

On the grounds of the license, issued by a licensing body, which is a central body of executive power, the economic activity shall be performed within the whole territory of Ukraine.

On the grounds of the license, issued by a licensing body, which is a local body of executive power or a specially authorized executive body of councils, the economic activity shall be exercised within the territory of the corresponding administrative-territorial unit.

In case of termination of carrying out the economic activity, type of which is stated in the license as well as place of carrying out of such activity to which the copy of license was issued, the license holder should inform the licensing authority about it in written form within ten working days from the termination date. Licensing authority shall introduce necessary amendments to the license register not later than during the next work day from the date of such notification receipt.

License holder cannot transfer the license or its copy to another legal entity or natural person for carrying out the economic activity. In cases determined by law, the successor of license holder has the right to carry out the activity under the license issued to the license holder within the period of its validity till the issuance of a license to such successor of license holder.

Licenses for services on passengers and dangerous cargo transportation by road transport shall be supplemented with license cards for each motor carrier. A license card is a form of obligatory accounting, which shall include registration data of the license and that of a motor carrier.
Issuance of license

The license for carrying out a certain types of economic activity is valid for five years. Such types of economic activity are:

1. Manufacture of industrial explosive materials (according to the list approved by the specially authorized central body of executive power on labour protection supervision and state mining supervision);
2. Manufacture of highly dangerous chemicals; operations in the area of treatment of dangerous waste products;
3. Implementation, import and export of holographic protective elements;
4. Manufacturing of forms of securities;
5. Transportation of petroleum, petroleum products trunk pipeline transportation of natural, oil gas and gas (methane), coal deposits and their distribution pipelines;
6. Supply of natural gas, gas (methane) of coal deposits by regulated and unregulated tariffs;
7. Storage of natural gas, natural gas (methane) from coal deposits in excess of the level set by license conditions;
8. Centralized water supply and water disposal;
9. Harvesting, processing, metallurgical processing of scrap ferrous and non ferrous metals;
10. Production of heat energy, its transportation by main and local (distributional) heating networks and heat energy supply.

Where the licensee intends to perform the economic activity, specified in the license, after expiry of its validity term, he/she should obtain a new license according to the procedure, established by this Law. The licensing authority shall issue a new license not earlier than on the last workday of validity of the previously issued license.

Validity of licenses on carrying out of other types of economic activity is unlimited.

Fee for obtaining the license for carrying out the economic activity is a minimum wage, taking the amount set as of the date of decision-making of the licensing authority on license issuance, except the fee, amount of which is set by Law. Fee for issuance of license copy is 17 UAH.

The Law of Ukraine “On state regulation of production and turnover of ethyl alcohol, cognac and fruit, alcoholic beverages and tobacco products” establishes a special procedure for the licensing of the certain types of activities. Specifically, the licenses for carrying out these activities shall be issued for the period of five years. The annual fee for the licenses on production of ethyl alcohol, cognac, fruit, rectified grape ethyl alcohol, rectified fruit ethyl alcohol, alcoholic beverages, tobacco products, raw grape alcohol, raw fruit alcohol and for the economic entities in primary wine making amounts to 780 UAH. Fee for the license is charged annually till the beginning of products manufacturing. Fee for the entire term of the license validity is not permitted, though payment of the regular fee is charged for each following annual term of license validity.

Special procedure for licensing of economic activity related to creation of architectural objects is determined by the Resolution of Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine from 05.12.2007 № 1396. Term of the license validity is five years and for the economic entities performing construction activities and obtaining it for the first time - three years.
Cancellation of license

The license may be cancelled on the grounds of:
- a licensee’s application on cancellation of the license;
- an act on the repeated violation of the terms of licensing by a licensee;
- an act on the information on legal entity being in process of termination by liquidation (natural person - entrepreneur being in process of business activity termination) or on state registration of its termination (state registration of natural person - entrepreneur business activity termination) in the Unified State Register;
- a notarized copy of the certificate on the death of a natural person - entrepreneur;
- an act on identification of inauthentic information in documents, submitted by a subject of economic activity to obtain the license;
- an act on establishing of a fact of delivery of the license or its copy to other legal entity or physical person for the purpose of performing of economic activity;
- an act on non-fulfilment of a directive to remove violations of the terms of licensing;
- an act on a licensee’s incapacity to ensure fulfilment of the terms of licensing, established for a certain type of economic activity;
- an act on the licensee’s refusal to allow the licensing body or a specially authorized licensing body to conduct an inspection.

A licensing body shall take a decision to cancel the license within a period of ten workdays from the date of identification of grounds for cancellation of the license, which shall be presented (forwarded) to the licensee with indication of grounds for cancellation of the license not later than after three workdays since the date of making this decision.

A decision to cancel the license shall come into force after thirty days from the day of its taking, except for decisions on license cancellation, made in accordance with the application of licensee on license cancellation and in case of licensee’s death (natural person - entrepreneur). This decision shall come into force from the date of its making.

If within this term a licensee submits a complaint to the expert and appellate board, the force of the specified decision of a licensing body shall be suspended till adoption of a corresponding decision by a specially authorized licensing body.
Permits

The Law of Ukraine “On Permit System in Economic Activity”
The Law of Ukraine “On List of Permits in Economic Activity”

Necessity to obtain permits and their types - permitting authorities, authorized to issue permits, fee-paying or free issuance (re-issuance, issuance of duplicate, cancellation) of permits, term of permits or unlimited validity of such documents as well as the list of permits in economic activity are set by the laws of Ukraine.

Law of Ukraine as of 19.05.2011 № 3392-VI approved the limited list of permitting documents in economic activity. State authorities and local governments are prohibited to require from the economic entities any permits not included in the list of permitting documents.

In order to obtain permitting documents (re-issuance, issuance of duplicates, cancellation) to be issued by the local permitting authorities the economic entities shall apply to state administrator in the permit centre of relevant city council (District State Administration). Issuance of permits by regional permitting authorities within the region can be made at the permit centre of the regional centre’s city council.

The economic entity may apply for consultations to the local permitting authorities within the permit centre.

The term for issuance of permitting documents shall be 10 workdays, unless otherwise is provided by Law. Local council shall consider and make decision on issuance, re-issuance, issuance of duplicates, cancellation or refusal to issue permits for economic activity at its plenary meetings within a month after receiving relevant application from economic entity.

Size of tariffs and tariffs’ limits, for carrying out the examinations and expertises by the permitting authorities or other scientific and technical assessments, which constitute the grounds for permits’ issuance are approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine, unless otherwise is provided by Law.

The grounds for taking a decision to deny issuance of the permitting document shall be as follows:

- submission of incomplete package of documents by economic entity, required for obtaining the permitting document according to specified exhaustive list;
- inaccurate information in documents submitted by economic entity;
- negative conclusion by the results of examinations and expertises or other scientific and technical assessments carried out and required for issuance of a permitting document.

The Law may specify the other grounds for refusal in permitting documents issuance. Refusal in permitting documents issuance on the grounds that are not specified by Law is prohibited.

In case the economic entity shall eliminate the reasons, which were the grounds for refusal for permitting document issuance, the reconsideration of documents shall be made by permitting authority within a period not exceeding of five workdays after receiving of the relevant application, the documents required for issuance of permitting document and documents certifying elimination of the reasons that were the grounds for refusal for permitting document issuance from the economic entity, unless otherwise is provided by law.

In case the permitting document or decision on issuance refusal was not issued or sent to economic entity in timely manner within the term provided by Law, the economic entity has the right to perform the certain economic activities after ten workdays from the deadline set for document issuance or its refusal.
Permits

The grounds for cancellation of the permitting document:
- application of economic entity on permitting document cancellation;
- termination of a legal entity (amalgamation, joining, division, transformation or liquidation), unless otherwise is specified by Law;
- termination of business activity of natural person - entrepreneur;
- incorrect information in application and documents attached thereto.

Law may provide other grounds for cancellation of permitting documents.

The grounds for re-issuance of permitting document:
- change of the name of a business legal entity or surname, name and patronymic name of a natural person - entrepreneur;
- change of economic entity’s location.

Law may provide other grounds for re-issuance of permitting documents.

If there are any grounds for permitting document re-issuance, the economic entity shall provide the permitting authority or state administrator with the application for re-issuance of the permitting document together with the permitting document that is subject to re-issuance and extract from the Unified State Register of Legal Entities and Natural Persons - Entrepreneurs within five business days from the date when such grounds become valid.

Permitting authority shall re-issue permitting document on a new form within two business days after receiving the application for permitting document re-issuance and documents required thereto.

The fee for permitting document re-issuance shall be required in cases provided by Law, and the fee size is approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine.

A permitting document, which is not reissued in determined term, is invalid.

The grounds for issuance of duplicate of permitting document:
- loss of permitting document;
- damage to permitting document.

Shall the economic entity lose the permitting document it should submit application to permitting authority or state administrator for issuance of permit’s duplicate within five workdays from the date of loss.

The Law may provide other grounds for issuance of permits’ duplicates.

The term of validity of permit’s duplicate shall not exceed the validity stated in the lost or damaged permitting document. The economic entity who has submitted the application and relevant documents for issuance of permit’s duplicate instead of lost or damaged document, carries out its activity on the basis of application copy on issuance of permit’s duplicate registered by permitting authority or state administrator.

Permitting authority shall submit permit’s duplicate instead of lost or damaged document to the applicant within two business days after receiving the application for issuance of permit’s duplicate unless otherwise is provided by Law. Local permitting authority shall submit this duplicate to the state administrator.

The main requirements for issuance, re-issuance, issuance of duplicates, cancellation of permitting documents apply to all permitting documents, including the permitting (conciliation) procedures, unless otherwise is provided by Law.
While establishing a business activity, the enterprises in many cases should obtain certain permitting documents pursuant to the legislation of Ukraine. The Law of Ukraine “On Permit System in the Field of Economic Activity” defines the permitting document as: permit, conclusion, decision, approval, certificate, other document, which permitting authority shall issue to the economic entity in case of granting the right to carry out an activity or to perform an action or operation with the aim of carrying out economic activity, and/or without which the right to carry out said economic activity, economic operations, actions, is restricted by Law.

The permitting documents shall be issued to the economic entities for natural resources, land plot, soil cover of land plots, building, structure, premise, equipment and mechanisms, which are put into operation or under design, specific transaction, specific economic activity, works and services as well as documents used by economic entity while passing the permitting procedure (design and planning documentation for construction, land surveying documentation, urban planning documentation, mining allotment).

The necessity to obtain permitting documents is specified in special laws, specifically in the field of fire safety, construction, labour protection, sanitary and environmental safety of population and others.

According to the article 4 of the Law of Ukraine “On Permit System in the Field of Economic Activity” the issuance of permits by local permitting authorities (within the relevant administrative-territorial unit - city, district, region) shall be made in the permit centre, whose activity shall be coordinated by the state administrator.

Basic requirements to the permits issuing procedures are specified in Articles 41, 7 of the Law of Ukraine “On Permit System in the Field of Economic Activity”.

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** The expertise of construction projects of facilities of IV and V complexity category, which are constructed by public funds, funds of state and communal enterprises, institutions and organizations, as well as under the loans under state guarantees is carried out by state-owned expert organization.

*** 90 calendar days - for facilities of high nuclear and radiation danger and those, which are the subject to assessment of their impact on environment; 15 calendar days - for facilities of I-III complexity category, which are constructed on territories with complicated engineering-geological and technology-related conditions as well as estimate part of facility construction project of I-III degree of complexity category.

**** ДСТУ Б Д.1.1-7:2013 «Rules for identification of fees for design and planning works and expertise of the design and planning documentation in construction sector» by implying of the average percentage-based cost for design works to the calculation base.
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** State sanitary-epidemiological expertise of new food products is carried out within 90 business days after receiving complete application for expertise of new food products. Term of expertise does not include the time during which facility is on additional researches and time required for the applicant to eliminate the remarks.
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* This term does not include the time during which the research of facility is carried out as well as time during which the applicant takes into account the remarks to the documents.

** Tariffs (price lists), approved by the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine dated 27.08.2003, № 1351.

*** Operators of capacities (facilities) must obtain operating permit for each of capacities (facilities) after commissioning of built (reconstructed) facilities on manufacture, processing or sales of food products if the type of business activity and state of capital premises is changed and if the operating permit was cancelled in case of food products export.

**** Main Department of State Sanitary and Epidemiological Service issues operating permits to the operators of capacities (facilities) engaged in manufacture activity and/or turnover of food products across Ukraine, which is controlled by sanitary service. Main Department of Veterinary Medicine issues operating permits to the operators of capacities (facilities) engaged in manufacture of food products, which is controlled by veterinary service and operators of agrarian food markets.
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** Fee for carrying out the expertise on labour protection and industrial manufacture security is determined by expert organizations under the Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine dated 04.11 2009 № 1251.
Land matters

Land Code of Ukraine
The Law of Ukraine “On Land Lease”
The Law of Ukraine “On Land Evaluation”

Subjects of land ownership right in Ukraine are:
- citizens and legal entities - for the lands of private ownership;
- territorial communities, which implement this right directly or through the local governments - for communal lands;
- state, which implements this right through the appropriate state authorities - for the lands of state ownership.

Private land ownership

Land ownership right

Citizens of Ukraine
- any land plots
- purchase by sale and purchase contracts, rent, gift, exchange or other civil law agreements;
- free transfer from the lands of state and communal ownership;
- privatization of land plots that had previously been granted for use;
- acceptance of inheritance;
- assignment of land share on the site.

Foreign citizens and persons without citizenship
- non-agricultural land plots within settlements;
- purchase by sales and purchase contracts, rent, gift, exchange or other civil law agreements;
- purchase of land plots, which have real estate property that belong to them by private ownership right;
- acceptance of inheritance.

Legal entities, established by citizens or legal entities of Ukraine
- non-agricultural land plots outside the settlements, which have real estate property that belong to them by private ownership right;
- purchase by sales and purchase contracts, rent, gift, exchange or other civil law agreements;
- introduction of land plots to the share capital of legal entity by their founders;
- acceptance of inheritance;
- occurrence of other grounds prescribed by Law.

Foreign legal entities and enterprises founded with participation of foreign legal entities and natural persons
- land plots aimed for business activity;
- purchase by sales and purchase contracts, rent, gift, exchange or other civil law agreements;
- occurrence of other grounds prescribed by Law.

Sale of state or communal ownership land plots or rights

Sale of state or communal ownership land plots or rights (rent, superficies, emphyteusis) to citizens and legal entities is made by authorized executive bodies or local governments.

Generally, the sale of state ownership lands is made by district state administrations and sale of communal ownership lands - by village and city councils.
Procedure of land plot sale

1. Citizens and legal entities interested in purchasing the land plots into ownership, shall submit:
   - application (petition) to executive body (local government);
   - document, certifying the right to use the land plot (if any);
   - documents, certifying the right to own the real estate property (buildings and structures) located on this land plot (if the buildings and structures are available on the land plot);
   - copies of foundation documents of legal entity, for the citizen - copy of identity document.

   Executive body (local government) shall consider the application (petition) within a month and decide to grant the permit to develop the land management project for land plot allocation (if such project is missing) as well as to hold the expert monetary assessment of land plot or to refuse to sale it, specifying the grounds of refusal.

2. When the decision on granting the permit to develop land management project for land plot allocation is made, the interested person shall develop the land management project and approve it with territorial body of State Land Committee. Land management project for land plot allocation within the settlement or outside the settlement on which the construction facility is located or is planning to be located shall be also agreed with town planning and architecture authority of district state administration (city council). In cases provided by Law, the land management project shall be also agreed with other authorities and shall be a subject to state land management expertise.

3. In case of availability of the land management project for land plot allocation, the executive body (local government) shall take decision to sell the land plot and make its expert monetary assessment (if the decision to make expert monetary assessment was not taken previously).

Decision to sell the land plot shall constitute the ground for land sales contract conclusion between the executive authority (local government) and the buyer. The land sales contract shall be notarized.

Price of the land plot shall be determined by expert monetary assessment, carried out by organizations that have appropriate license. Price of the land plot of over 50 hectares for accommodation of outdoor sports and recreational facilities is determined by the normative monetary assessment specified in technical documentation.

Payments for purchase of land plot can be carried out by instalments upon the Parties’ agreement, but not more than for five years.

The document on price payment of land plot or payment of the initial instalment (in case of land plot sale under the instalments payment scheme) shall constitute the grounds for issuance of Certificate of Title under the Land Transfer Act and state registration of land plot ownership right.

In cases provided in article 21 of the Land Code of Ukraine, the sales of state or communal ownership land plots shall be made under the competitive bidding. Land sales shall be performed in the form of auction, under the results of which the land sale contract shall be concluded with land auction winner, who offered the highest price for the land plot.

Sales price of the land plot must be paid by the auction winner not later than three banking days after the signing of appropriate contract.
Land matters

Peculiarities of state or communal ownership land plots sale to foreign legal entities

Sales of land plots owned by the state, except the land plots with facilities, which are subject to privatization by foreign legal entities is made by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine in coordination with the Parliament of Ukraine.

Sales of land plots owned by the state, with facilities, which are subject to privatization to foreign legal entities is made by state privatization authorities in coordination with the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine.

Sale of land plots owned by territorial communities is made by the relevant councils in coordination with the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine.

Shall the foreign legal entity be recognized a winner of the land competitive bidding the land sales contract for non-agricultural land plot shall be concluded after the approval of Parliament of Ukraine or the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine for the land plots sales to such persons in cases and in manner prescribed by Law. If Parliament of Ukraine or the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine refuse to provide such an approval than the land sales by the relevant lot shall be deemed to be failed.

Sales of land plots owned by the state and territorial communities to foreign legal entities is allowed in case of registration of permanent establishment by foreign legal entity with a right to carry out economic activity in Ukraine.

Land sales

State or communal land plots or rights on them (rent, superficies, emphyteusis), as well as land plots with real estate property of state or communal ownership must be sold by individual lots on a competitive basis (land sales), except cases prescribed by the Land Code of Ukraine.

In particular, state or communal land plots or rights on them can not be sold on a competitive basis (competitive bidding) in case of:

- location of real property assets (buildings, structures) on the land plots, owned by the relevant natural persons or legal entities;
- allocation of land plots for the needs of private partner within the state-private partnership according to the law;
- construction, servicing and repair of engineering, transport, energy infrastructure facilities as well as communication and road infrastructure facilities (except road service facilities);
- development of green areas with the public use purpose;
- construction of facilities for settlements’ living support (waste recycling facilities, waste treatment facilities, boiler houses, cemeteries, erosion preventive, landslide preventive and mud-flow protection facilities);
- location of infrastructure of agricultural products’ wholesale markets;
- allocation of land plot, which is bought out for public needs or expropriated with the view of social necessity for such needs;
- allocation of land plot in exchange of bought out land for public needs or expropriated land with the view of social necessity and returning it to the former owner or his heir (successor) in case if such need was alleviated;
- resuming of land lease agreement;
- use of land plots for concession activity;
- lease, concession of property complexes or real estate assets located on state or communal land plots;
- lease of industrial parks’ land plots to management companies of this industrial parks.

Sales contract or rent agreement shall be concluded according to the results of land competitive bidding with the participant (winner) who offered the highest price for land plot that is going to be sold or the highest fee for its use, fixed during the land sales (auction).
Land plots may be leased by citizens and legal entities of Ukraine, foreigners and persons without citizenship, foreign legal entities, international associations and organizations as well as foreign countries.

Lease of land plot can be short-term – not more than 5 years and long-term – not more than 50 years. If industrial park is going to be created on state or communal ownership lands, the land plot can be leased for the term not less than 30 years.

Leased land plot or its part can be transferred by lessee to another person in possession and use (sublease) with consent of leasing holder.

Allocation of state or communal land plots for lease is made by authorized executive authorities or local governments. Generally, allocation of state lands for lease shall be made by district state administrations and communal lands - by village and city councils.

Main stages of the procedure:

1. Shall the land plot be allocated involving the change of its purpose or creation of new land plots, the interested person applies to the executive authority (local government) for permit to develop the land management documentation for land plot allocation.

   The executive authority (local government) shall review the application within 1 month and grant permit to develop land management documentation for land plot allocation or provide the reasoned refusal to grant it.

2. An interested person shall develop a land management documentation for land plot allocation and approve it with the territorial agency of State Land Committee. The land management documentation for land plot allocation within the settlement limits or outside, where the construction object is located or is planned to be constructed, shall be also approved with the town planning and architecture authority of district state administration (city council). Documentation shall be also approved with other authorities and can be subject to state land management expertise in cases provided by Law.

   Land management documentation for land plot allocation shall be submitted to the executive authority (local government), that within two weeks after receiving the land management documentation (positive conclusion of state land management expertise) shall decide to allocate the land plot for lease.

   If the development of land management documentation is not required by Law, the decision to allocate the land plot for lease shall be made on the basis of land management technical documentation to be used for a preparation of a document certifying the right to use the land plot.

3. Land lease agreement shall be concluded between executive authority (local government), who made such a decision, and a lessee on the basis of decision to allocate the land plot for lease.

Lessee shall register the right to lease the land in state registration service.

Payment for the land lease is determined on the basis of normative monetary land assessment. In cases, specified in article 21 of the Land Code of Ukraine, appointment of the state or communal ownership land plots’ lessees shall be made on the competitive bases.

The right to lease a land plot may be alienated, as well as sold at land sales, transferred into mortgage or heritage, contributed as share capital by land plot owner for the term of 50 years, except cases determined by Law.
Age of employee

Legislation of Ukraine allows to employ citizens, who are not less than 16 years old. 15 years old persons can be employed as an exception by consent of one of the parents or person who substitutes them.

In order to prepare young people for effective work, it is allowed to employ pupils of secondary schools, vocational and secondary specialized educational institutions for easy work, which is not harmful to health and does not affect the learning process. This work shall be performed in free time from studying after they reach the age of fourteen with consent of one of the parents or person who substitutes them.

When employee reaches retirement age, it shall not be the reason for termination of labour agreement.

Working hours

As a rule, there is five-day working week with two days off (Saturday and Sunday). For those companies, institutions and organizations where the nature of manufacture and working conditions are inexpedient for implementation of five-day working week, there is a six-day working week with one day off. Duration of daily work during six-day working week can not exceed 7 hours with a weekly norm of 40 hours, 6 hours - with a weekly norm of 36 hours and 4 hours - with a weekly norm of 24 hours.

On the eve of holidays and non-working days, the duration of work for employees, except employees who have shorter working week, is reduced by one hour for five-day and six-day working week. The duration of work during six-day working week on the eve of weekend shall not exceed 5 hours.

Set duration of work (shift) during the night (from 22 till 6) is reduced by one hour. This rule does not apply to employees who already have shortened working time. Duration of night work is equal to day work in such cases where it is necessary by production conditions, particularly in continuous production as well as on shift works during six-day working week with one day off.
Annual leave

Annual leave must be provided at 24 calendar days minimum per working year, which is counted from the date of labour agreement conclusion. The right for annual paid leave usually entails after six months of work in the company.

Additional leave may be granted for the following categories of employees:

- industrial personnel of coal, shale, metallurgy, electric industry as well as personnel engaged in opencast mining, works on the surface of mines, pits, quarries and diggings, in construction and installation works during mine construction, in transportation and mineral processing – 24 calendar days with increase by 2 calendar days with every second working year, but not more than 28 calendar days;
- workers engaged in underground mining works as well as works in pits, quarries and diggings with depth of 150 meters and below – 28 calendar days regardless employment period. Workers in pits, quarries and diggings with a depth less than 150 meters have 24 calendar days with increase by 4 calendar days after working for a company for 2 years or more;
- employees engaged in forest industry and forestry, state reserves, national parks with forest areas, forestry hunting ranges, permanent logging and forestry divisions of other enterprises as well as forestry – 28 calendar days in respect of List of works, professions and positions approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine;
- militarized personnel of mine rescue units – 30 calendar days. Non-militarized personnel of mine rescue units - 24 calendar days with increase by 2 calendar days every second working year, but not more than 28 calendar days;
- disabled persons of I and II group – 30 calendar days and 26 calendar days for disabled persons of III group;
- persons under the age of 18 – 31 calendar days.
Overtime work

Labour Code of Ukraine

Overtime work shall be considered to be the work over the established daily working hours. The owner or authorized by him/her body may use overtime work only in the following exceptional cases:

1. Performance of works required for country defence, as well as for rehabilitation of public or natural disaster, industrial accident and immediate remedy of their consequences;

2. Performance of publicly important works on water and gas supply, heating, illumination, sewerage, transport, communications – to remedy incidental or unexpected circumstances preventing their proper functioning;

3. In case of necessity to complete the work started which as the result of unforeseen circumstances or accidental delay according to production conditions could not be completed within normal working hours, when termination thereof may result in damage or loss of state or public property, as well as in case of need in immediate repair of mechanisms, machines or other equipment when their failure causes stoppage of works for significant number of workers;

4. In case of necessity to perform handling operations for prevention or removal of downtime of rolling equipment or accumulation of cargo in departure and destination points;

5. To continue work in case of non-appearance of employee who shall take shift when work may not be interrupted; in these cases the owner or authorized by him/her body shall be obliged to take immediate measures as to replacement of shift-man with other employee.

Overtime works can be carried out only with consent of elected body of primary trade union organization (trade union representative) of enterprise, institution or organization. Overtime works shall not exceed four hours over two days in a row and 120 hours per year for each employee.

Days off, holiday and non working days

Labour Code of Ukraine

At five-day working week employees shall be provided with two days-off per week, and at six-day working week – with one day-off. The common day off is Sunday. Common day-off shall be considered to be Sunday. The second day-off at five-day working week, unless determined by legislation, shall be determined in the work schedule of enterprise, institution or organization as agreed upon with the elective body of primary trade union organization (trade union representative) of enterprise, institution or organization, and shall be usually provided successively with common day-off (usually it is Saturday).

Engagement of particular employees in work on days-off shall be allowed in the following exceptional cases:

1. For prevention or liquidation of consequences of natural disaster, epidemics, epizootics, industrial accidents and immediate remedy of their consequences;

2. For prevention of accidents which endanger or may endanger life or normal living conditions of people, loss or damage of property;

3. For performance of urgent unforeseen works on which further normal operation of enterprise, institution or organization as the whole or separate subdivisions thereof depends;

4. For performance of urgent handling operations in order to avoid or prevent downtime of rolling equipment or accumulation of cargo in departure and destination points.

Engagement of employees in work on days-off shall be effected on the ground of written order (instruction) of the owner or authorized by him/her body.

Work on day-off may be compensated for as agreed by the parties by providing another rest day or in monetary form in double amount.

If official holiday or non-working day falls on the day-off, the day-off shall be deferred to the day following the official holiday or non-working day.
Remuneration of labour

Labour Code of Ukraine
The Law of Ukraine “On Remuneration of Labour”
The Law of Ukraine “On Status of Mountain Settlements in Ukraine”

Legislation of Ukraine (usually the Law on State Budget of Ukraine for the relevant year) sets the minimum wage – size of wage for simple, unskilled labour, below which the payment to the employee who had performed monthly (hourly) labour norm can not be made. The minimum wage does not include bonuses, additional payments, incentive and compensation payments.

As of 2014 the size of minimum wage set by Ukrainian legislation is as follows:
- **wage per month**: from December, 1 - 1218 UAH
- **wage per hour**: from December, 1 - 7.3 UAH

According to article 6 of the Law of Ukraine “On Status of Mountain Settlements in Ukraine”, the size of state pensions, educational grants, all types of state financial aid provided by current legislation to citizens who have the status of person who works, resides or studies in mountain settlement, shall be increased by 20 percent. In addition, according to the Regulation of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine dated 11.08.1995, № 647 “On Conditions of Labour Remuneration of Persons Working in Mountainous Areas, at Enterprises, Institutions and Organizations Located in Mountain Settlements”, the tariff rates and official salaries of employees, which according to general, sectoral and regional agreements are considered as minimum guarantees in labour remuneration as well as those rates that are established by the decision of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine or on its behalf, shall be increased by 25 percent. This rule also applies to employees who are constantly working in branches, representative offices, departments and other separated subdivisions of enterprises, institutions and organizations, if such separated subdivisions are located in mountain settlements.

Payment for the labour of an employee is carried out by hourly, piece-rate (efficiency) or other systems of labour remuneration. Payment can be made according to the results of individual and collective works.

Forms and systems of remuneration of labour, labour norms, tariff rates, tariff scales, schemes of official salary, conditions of introduction and amounts of additional payments, premiums, rewards and other incentive, compensation and guarantee payments shall be set by enterprises, institutions and organizations independently in collective agreement with compliance of norms and guarantees provided by legislation as well as general and sectoral (regional) agreements. In case if collective agreement on the enterprise was not concluded, the owner shall agree these questions with the trade union organization (trade union representative) and in case of his/her absence - with other authorized to representation body.

Salary shall be paid to the employees regularly during business days within terms specified in collective agreement or regulation act of employer but not rarer than two times per month not exceeding the time interval in 16 calendar days and not later then seven days after the end of term for which the salary shall be paid. If day of payment coincides with week-end, holiday or day-off, salary shall be paid the day before.
**Single payment for compulsory state social insurance**


**Payers of single payment**

- Enterprises, institutions and organizations, other legal entities that use labor of natural persons under the labor agreement (contract) or on other conditions provided by legislation or civil law agreements.
- Branches, representative offices, departments and other separate subdivisions of stated enterprises, institutions, organizations and other legal entities that have separate balance.
- Natural persons - entrepreneurs (except those who have chosen simplified taxation system).

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<td>The amount of accrued wage by type of payments, which include base and additional wage, other incentive and compensation payments as well as payments in physical form, determined according to the Law of Ukraine “On Labour Remuneration” and amount of remuneration to natural persons for carrying out of works (services) under civil law contracts.</td>
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<td>Branches, representative offices, departments and other separate subdivisions of stated enterprises, institutions, organizations and other legal entities that have separate balance.</td>
<td>Amount of income (profit) earned from their activity, which is subject to taxation on natural persons’ income and on amount of income that is distributed between family members who participate in carrying out of business activity. In such case, amount of single payment can not be less than minimum insurance payment for each person per month during which the income (profit) was earned.</td>
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<td>Natural persons - entrepreneurs (except those who have chosen simplified taxation system).</td>
<td>Determine charge base independently for themselves and family members who carry out the business activity, but not more than maximum size of charge base of single payment prescribed by the Law. In such case, the amount of single payment can not be less than minimum insurance payment for each person.</td>
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*Family members of natural persons - entrepreneurs who carry out the business activity can be wife (husband), parents, children and other dependent whose age is not less than 15 years old and who have no labor or civil law relations with such natural person - entrepreneur but carry out joint business activity with him and receive part of income from it.*

**Dismissal of employee**

Labour Code of Ukraine

Owner or his authorized body shall make the following actions in the day of dismissal:

- Conduct all payments due.
- Provide the properly executed employment record book to the employee.
- Provide a copy of the order on employment dismissal to the employee.

The owner or his authorized body shall inform the employee about his dismissal in written form not later than two months before it. Along with the notice on dismissal due to changes of structure in organization, the owner or his authorized body offers the employee another job place in the same enterprise, institution or organization. If there is no job place according to the occupation or specialty and if the employee doesn’t want to change work place in the same enterprise, institution or organization, he/she can ask for assistance at state employment service or find the work by himself.

At the same time the owner or his authorized body shall inform the State Employment Service on the further dismissal of the employee with specification of his profession, specialty, skills and wage size.

If the employee did not work on the day of dismissal than all payments due shall be paid to him not later than the next day after submission of dismissal request by dismissed employee. If the owner or his authorized body fail to pay the remuneration amounts due to the dismissed employee in specified terms and if there is no disputes about their size, the company, institution or organization shall reimburse to the employee his average salary for all time of the delay till the day of actual payment.

If employee is dismissed by the initiative of the owner or his authorized body, the owner or his authorized body shall also provide the employee with a copy of relevant order in the day of dismissal. In other cases of dismissal, copy of the order is issued by the request of employee.
Collective agreement

Labour Code of Ukraine
The Law of Ukraine “On Collective Contracts and Agreements”

Collective agreement shall be entered into on the basis of current legislation and parties’ liabilities in order to govern industrial, labour and social-economical relations, as well as to agree interests of workers, owners and authorized by them bodies.

Collective agreement shall be entered into at enterprises, in institutions and organizations irrespective of ownership and business form which employ hired labour and have the rights of legal entity. Collective agreement may be entered into at structural subdivisions of enterprise, institution and organization within the competence of these subdivisions.

Collective agreements shall be entered into between the owner or authorized by him/her body (person), on the one part, and primary trade union organization, acting on the ground of their charters, and in case they are unavailable - by representatives freely elected at general meetings of hired employees or authorized by them bodies, on the other part.

If there are several primary trade union organizations at enterprise, in institution and organization, they shall on the grounds of pro-rata representation (according to the number of members of each primary trade union organization) create the unified representative body for entering into collective agreement. If this is the case, each primary trade union organization shall decide on its liabilities under collective agreement and responsibilities for failure to fulfil them. Primary trade union organization which refused to participate in the unified representative body shall be deprived of the right to represent interests of employees when signing collective agreement.

## Content of collective agreement

Content of collective agreement shall be determined by parties. Collective agreement shall define mutual liabilities of parties as to governing industrial, labour and social-economical relations, in particular:

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Collective agreement may provide for additional guarantees and social benefits in pursue to the current legislation.

Collective agreements are subject to notifying registration by district state administrations (executive committees of city councils of regional importance).

Regulations of collective agreement applies to all employees of enterprise, institution and organization irrespective of whether they are members of trade union and are obligatory for the owner or his authorized body and for the employees of enterprise, institution or organization.

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Engagement of citizens under the independent civil agreements

Civil Code of Ukraine directly provides the following types of agreements, which specify the duty of citizens that may be performed by employment contract:

- Contractor’s agreements
- Agency agreement
- Transportation agreement
- Author’s agreement
- Service agreement

Independent civil agreement establishes property relations and personal non-property relations related with them regulated by the Civil Code of Ukraine. Property relations, which are regulated by civil law have also such characteristic features as legal equality and property independence.

Pursuant to the Civil Code of Ukraine, the parties shall be free to conclude an agreement, to select a counter agent and to determine the provisions of the agreement taking into consideration the requirements of the Code, other acts of civil legislation, customs of business turnover, requirements of rationality and justice.

Provisions (items) established at the discretion of the parties and agreed upon between them, other provisions compulsory per acts of civil legislation shall constitute the content of an civil agreement. If the consensus between the parties can not be reached, the civil agreement shall be considered lost.

Table 5. Comparative characteristics of employment and independent civil agreements

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<td>Subject is the process of labour, namely: carrying out of work on certain specialty, qualification, position, in other words performance of specific labour function by the employee. At the same time, labour function of an employee as usual does not provide any eventual result, except for fixed-term employment contracts</td>
<td>Subject of the contract is eventual result, in other words performance of determined work by the contractor aimed at achievement of eventual result</td>
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<td>Employment contract may be: for an unlimited period, fixed-term, concluded for a specified period established by an agreement of the parties and for the time of performance of particular job</td>
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<td>Employment contract should contain basic and additional labour conditions: 1. Basic conditions: place of work; labour functions; remuneration of labour 2. Additional conditions: (may be set by the request of one of the parties of employment contract): testing; establishing of individual working hours</td>
<td>Content of independent civil agreements consists of conditions, set by agreement of the parties as well as conditions that are obligatory according to the civil legislation acts: particular type of works, services, size of remuneration, period (term) of performance (rights and obligations of the parties (depending on contract type))</td>
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<td>Employer is obliged to carry out work entrusted to him personally</td>
<td>Contractor has the right to engage other persons to work, unless otherwise provided by the agreement. In this case the contractor is responsible to the customer for the work result</td>
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<td>Employee is obliged to carry out employment position instruction, employment policies and procedures, statutory enactments on health protection and safety precautions</td>
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<td>Remuneration of labour is made on the basis of current legislation and internal acts of employer on labour remuneration</td>
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<td>Employer must create safe and harmless working conditions</td>
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<td>Employer pays single fee for obligatory state social insurance in percentage to the charge base of single fee according to the classes of professional risk</td>
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<td>Employment contract is concluded in written or oral form. Conclusion of employment contract is made by the order of employer on hiring of the worker. Corresponding entry is introduced in employment record book. Hiring procedure is set at particular enterprise by the rules of internal labour regulations</td>
<td>Independent civil contracts are usually concluded in written form. Hiring order is not required. Record in the employment record book is not required</td>
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<td>Employment contract may be terminated on the grounds and in the manner prescribed by the Labour Code of Ukraine. If the employee is dismissed there must be order of the employer and record in the employment record book</td>
<td>Grounds, procedure and consequences of independent civil agreements termination are determined by civil legislation and mentioned agreement</td>
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Employment of foreign nationals. Temporary residence certificate

Employers have the right to use work of foreigners and persons without citizenship under the employment contract only if employer obtains the permit to use the work of foreigners and persons without citizenship with the State Employment Agency, unless otherwise is provided by the international agreements of Ukraine, ratified by the Parliament of Ukraine.

Work permits for foreigners and persons without citizenship (hereinafter - the foreigners) providing rights for the employer to use the work of foreigner temporarily on particular workplace or certain position shall be issued to the employer in case of there is an absence of Ukrainian citizens capable of performing the required work or there are substantiated grounds for the necessity to hire a foreigner, unless otherwise is provided by international agreements of Ukraine, ratified by the Parliament of Ukraine.

Work permit for foreigner shall be issued to the employer by State Employment Centre or on its behalf by the Employment Centre of Autonomous Republic of Crimea, regional, Kyiv and Sevastopol city employment centres.

Work permit for foreigner shall be issued to the employer registered with the Employment Centre as a payer of insurance fee to the Fund of Obligatory State Social Insurance of Ukraine for Unemployment Cases and has no debt against the Fund. The decision to issue or refusal to issue the work permit for foreigners or extension of its validity period shall be taken by the director or deputy director of the Employment Centre.

List of documents, which employer shall submit to the Employment Centre in order to obtain work permit for foreigner:

- an application;
- two colour photographs sized 3.5 x 4.5 cm;
- statement of reasons to use work of foreigner and possibility to create appropriate living and work conditions;
- document (order, extract from the minutes, commission contract etc.) executed in prescribed manner, which certifies the right of person to represent the interests of employer in the Employment Centre;
- note of State Tax Authority on payment of taxes and duties (mandatory payments) by the employer;
- note, confirming that employer has no debts against the Fund of Obligatory State Social Insurance of Ukraine for Unemployment Cases;
- receipt evidencing payment of the application consideration fee;
- copy of draft employment contract (agreement), certified by the employer;
- a statement confirming that the workplace or position for which the work permit will be issued does not require Ukrainian citizenship and does not require the granting of access to state secrets. Statement must be affixed by the employer’s official seal and signature (if the enterprise has regime-secret body - also signed by the head of such body);
- a certificate from the internal affairs body evidencing the absence or existence of convictions of the foreigner, who is present on the territory of Ukraine on the date the work permit is executed (“Ukrainian police clearance certificate”); or a certificate from the authorized body of the country of origin (stay) evidencing that the foreigner, who is located outside of Ukraine on the date the work permit is executed, is not serving a sentence for committing a crime and is not under investigation;
- a copy of the charter of the employer, certified in the prescribed manner;
- a copy of the documents evidencing the foreigner’s education and qualifications;
- a copy of the identification page of the foreigner’s passport;
- an excerpt or an extract from the Unified State Register of legal entities and natural persons - entrepreneurs.
List of documents, which employer shall submit in order to use the work of foreigner, who has been assigned to Ukraine by foreign economic entity in order to perform specific volume of works or services on the basis of agreement (contract), concluded between Ukrainian and foreign economic entities:

- an application;
- two colour photographs sized 3.5 x 4.5 cm;
- document (order, extract from the minutes, commission contract etc.) executed in prescribed manner, which certifies the right of person to represent the interests of employer in the Employment Centre;
- note of State Tax Authority on payment of taxes and duties (mandatory payments) by the employer;
- note, confirming that employer has no debts against the Fund of Obligatory State Social Insurance of Ukraine for Unemployment Cases;
- receipt evidencing payment of the application consideration fee;
- a statement confirming that the workplace or position for which the work permit will be issued does not require Ukrainian citizenship and does not require the granting of access to state secrets. Statement must be affixed by the employer’s official seal and signature (if the enterprise has regime-secret body - also signed by the head of such body);
- a certificate from the internal affairs body evidencing the absence or existence of convictions of the foreigner, who is present on the territory of Ukraine on the date the work permit is executed (“Ukrainian police clearance certificate”); or a certificate from the authorized body of the country of origin (stay) evidencing that the foreigner, who is located outside of Ukraine on the date the work permit is executed, is not serving a sentence for committing a crime and is not under investigation;
- a copy of the charter of the employer, certified in the prescribed manner;
- a copy of the documents evidencing the foreigner’s education and qualifications;
- a copy of the identification page of the foreigner’s passport;
- an excerpt or an extract from the Unified State Register of legal entities and natural persons - entrepreneurs;
- copy of agreement (contract), concluded between Ukrainian and foreign economic entities.

All documents issued by foreign country and executed in foreign language submitted by the employer, shall be translated into Ukrainian, certified according to the legislation of issuing country and legalized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, unless otherwise provided by the international agreements of Ukraine, ratified by the Parliament of Ukraine.

Decision on issuance or refusal to issue the permit to use work of foreigner and extension of its validity period is taken within a period that can not exceed 30 calendar days from the date of documents submission. Employment Centre shall notify the employer about the decision taken in written form.

For consideration of application on granting the work permit for foreigner and extension of its validity period, a fee (equal to four minimum wages) is levied from the employer to the Fund of Obligatory State Social Insurance of Ukraine for Unemployment Cases.

Extension of validity period of work permit for foreigner constitutes the grounds for employer’s and foreigner’s application to the territorial authority or subdivision of State Migration Service for extension of the term of stay in Ukraine and issuance of the temporary residency certificate.

Work permit for foreigner shall be issued for a period of one year. In order to extend the validity period of the work permit the employer shall submit the required documents to the Employment Centre not later than one month before the expiry of the permit’s validity period. Work permit for foreigner constitutes the ground for foreigner to get the visa of specific type as well as registration of temporary residency in Ukraine.

Foreigners and persons without citizenship must also obtain temporarily residence certificate. This certificate shall be issued by the bodies of State Migration Service.
List of documents for obtaining the temporarily residence certificate shall be submitted to the Regional State Migration Service Department or its local subdivision:

- an application;
- four photographs of foreigner or person without citizenship sized 3.5 x 4.5 cm (on matte paper);
- a passport of the foreigner or document identifying the person without citizenship (returned after submission) with a visa type D, unless otherwise provided by legislation and international agreements of Ukraine as well as copies of pages of this document with personal data and visa;
- a page of foreigner’s passport or document identifying the person without citizenship translated into Ukrainian, with personal data, certified according to the legislation;
- receipt evidencing payment of the state duty or document, confirming privileges in connection to the state duty payment;
- a statement from the hosting entity for temporary residence certificate for foreigner or a person without citizenship;
- valid health insurance;
- work permit for a foreigner or a person without citizenship;
- obligation of employer to inform State Migration Service and State Employment Service about early cancellation or termination of the employment contract (agreement) with such foreigner or person without citizenship;
- copy of certificate issued by the tax authority on assigning of identification number (in case of availability).

Service fee – 52.49 UAH, state duty fee – 34 UAH
TAXES AND CUSTOMS RELATIONS

Taxes. Tax system

Tax system of Ukraine includes 18 general and 5 local taxes and duties:

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<td>value added tax (VAT)</td>
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<td>the tax in the form of a special-purpose supplement to the applicable electrical and thermal energy tariff generated by qualified co-generation plants</td>
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Base rates of general taxes in Ukraine:

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<td>1 corporate profit tax</td>
<td>legal entities (residents and non-residents)</td>
<td>income of resident entities generated in Ukraine and abroad, income (profit) of non-resident entities</td>
<td>from 01.01.2014 - 19%</td>
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<td>from 01.01.2015 - 18%</td>
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<td>2 value added tax (VAT)</td>
<td>entities registered as VAT payers, entities that imports commodities into the customs territory of Ukraine in the volumes subject to taxation, entities keeping keeps records of the business performance under the joint business agreement without foundation of a legal entity</td>
<td>the supply of goods with the place of supply located on the customs territory of Ukraine; importation of goods (related services) to the customs territory of Ukraine; exportation of goods (related services)</td>
<td>till 31.12.2014 - 20%</td>
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<td>3 personal income tax</td>
<td>natural persons (residents and non-residents)</td>
<td>total taxable income originating from sources in Ukraine and abroad, total taxable income of non-resident from the sources in Ukraine</td>
<td>15%</td>
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1. to paragraph 1.: residents income shall be calculated by reducing the amount of income received over the reporting period, by the production cost of the goods, work, services sold and by the amount of other expenses incurred over the reporting period.

2. to paragraph 2.: In case the total amount from transactions of the supply of commodities (services) taxable accrued (paid) to such a person in the course of the last twelve calendar months exceeds UAH 300,000 (disregarding the value added tax), the person in must obtain registration as a VAT taxable person with the agency of the state tax service in its location or the place of residence.
Taxes. Tax system

Ukraine has also simplified system of taxation, accounting and reporting that includes unified tax payment.

Unified tax payment conditions:

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<td>1 group</td>
<td>do not employ individuals; • annual income must not exceed 150 000 UAH</td>
<td>Engaged solely in retail sales on the market place and/or in providing household services to individuals</td>
<td>1% - 10% of minimum wage per calendar month in 2014: (12.18 USD - 121.80 USD)</td>
<td>article 293.4 of the Tax Code of Ukraine, 15% is applied to: 1. the amount exceeding the limit of income providing the right to use simplified taxation system; 2. the income generated from carrying out of activity, which is not specified in the certificate of single tax payer of I or II group – not applicable in 2012; 3. the income generated by using another method of payments except form monetary; 4. the income generated from carrying out of activities that do not provide the right to use simplified taxation system.</td>
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<td>3 group</td>
<td>number of employed individuals - not more than 20 at a time; • annual income must not exceed 3 000 000 UAH</td>
<td>Carry out any activities except of those that are prohibited for an unified tax payers</td>
<td>3% from the income for the VAT payers; 5% from the income for the non-payers of VAT 5% from the income for the non-payers of VAT</td>
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<td>5 group</td>
<td>number of employed individuals - no limitations; • annual income must not exceed 20 000 000 UAH</td>
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<td>7% from the income for the non-payers of VAT</td>
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<td>4 group</td>
<td>average number of employees - not more than 50 persons at a time; • income must not exceed 5 000 000 UAH</td>
<td>Carry out any activities except of those that are prohibited for an unified tax payers</td>
<td>3% from the income for the VAT payers;</td>
<td>article 293.5 of the Tax Code of Ukraine Double rates (6%, 10%, 10% 14% respectively) is applied to: 1. the amount exceeding the limit of income providing the right to use simplified taxation system; 2. the income generated by using another method of payments except form monetary; 3. the income generated from carrying out of activities that do not provide the right to use simplified taxation system.</td>
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<td>6 group</td>
<td>average number of employees - without limits; • income must not exceed 20 000 000 UAH</td>
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Unified tax payers are free from the obligation of charge, payment or submission of tax reports on such taxes and duties:

1. Corporate profit tax;

2. Personal income tax in the part of income (taxable activity), which is obtained from the business activity of natural person and taxable in prescribed manner;

3. Value added tax on transactions on supply of goods, work and services with the place of supply located on the customs territory of Ukraine, except for unified tax payers of 3-4 groups, who selected unified tax rate of 3% or unified tax payers of 5-6 groups, who selected unified tax rate of 5%;

4. Land tax, except the land tax on land plots that are not used by them for business activity;

5. Fee for carrying out of certain types of business activity;

6. The viticulture, horticulture and hop-growing development duty.

Another special taxation scheme is the fixed agricultural tax. Taxable persons may be the agricultural commodity producers, whose quantity in agricultural commodity production for the previous tax (reporting) year equals or exceeds 75 percent, including:

- formed by merging or joining may act as a taxable person if the quantity of the agricultural commodity production received for the previous tax (reporting) year by all commodity producers taking part in their formation equals or exceeds 75 percent;

- formed through the transformation of a taxable person may act as a taxable person in the year of transformation, if the quantity of the agricultural commodity production received for the previous tax (reporting) year equals or exceeds 75 percent;

- formed by division or separation may act as a taxable person starting from the next year, if the quantity of the agricultural commodity production received for the previous tax (reporting) year equals or exceeds 75 percent;

- the newly established agricultural commodity producers may act as a taxable person starting from the next year, if the quantity of the agricultural commodity production received for the previous tax (reporting) year equals or exceeds 75 percent.

The object of taxation for the agricultural commodity producers shall be an area of the agricultural grounds (arable land, hayfields, pastures and perennial nurseries) and/or the water-fund lands (closed waters, lakes, ponds, reservoirs) which are owned by agricultural commodity producer or provided for use, for instance, on lease conditions.

Rates of the tax for one hectare of the agricultural grounds and/or the water-fund lands for the agricultural commodity producers depends on the category (type) of land, location, and shall constitute (as percentage of the taxable amount):

- for the arable land, hayfields, pastures located in the mountainous areas - 0.09%;
- for the perennial nurseries located in the mountainous areas – 0.03%;
- for the water-fund lands – 0.45%;
- for the arable land, hayfields, pastures owned by the agricultural commodity producers specializing in the manufacturing (growing) and processing of crop production on the closed grounds, or provided to them for use, for instance, on lease conditions - 1.0%.

Fixed agricultural tax payers shall not pay:

- corporate profit tax;
- land tax (other than the land tax for land plots not used for the agricultural commodity production);
- duty for the special water use;
- the duty for conducting certain types of business activities (in the section on the trading activity).
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The profit generated by the economic entities implementing investment projects shall be taxed by corporate profit tax at the following rates:

from 01.01.2013 till 31.12.2017 — 0%;
from 01.01.2018 till 31.12.2022 — 8%;
from 01.01.2023 — 16%.

- Provisionally, for a period of 10 years, starting from 1 January 2011, the following profits shall be exempt from taxation: profit of business entity which is derived from the hotel services in hotels of categories “five stars”, “four stars” and “three stars”, including newly built or reconstructed or where an overhaul or restoration of existing buildings and structures has been made; profit derived from core business of light industry undertakings except for undertakings, production of which is based on principal-provided raw materials; profit of electricity sector undertakings derived from sales of electricity produced from renewable energy sources; profit derived from the core business of shipbuilding and aircraft industry undertakings.

- Provisionally, until January 1 2019, the following operations shall be exempted from value added tax taxation: the supply of machinery, equipment and facilities used for reconstruction of existing enterprises and construction of new enterprises for the production of biofuels and for making and reconstruction of engineering and vehicles to consumption of biofuels, unless such goods are not produced and have no analogues in Ukraine, and also the import of engineering and vehicles, including self-propelled agricultural machines working on biofuels, unless such goods are not produced in Ukraine.

- Classification of Groups of Fixed Assets and other Capital Asset in tax accounting have been extended. 16 groups of fixed assets instead of 4 groups have been provided.

- The rate of the tax shall be 5 per cent of the taxable amount concerning the income accrued as the interest on a current or deposit bank account, the interest or discount income on a registered savings certificate (certificate of deposit), the interest on the contribution (deposit) of a credit union member in a credit union, the income in the form of dividends and some other incomes related to the investment activity.

- The automatic receipt of the budget refund of the value added tax to conscientious taxpayers, Unified Register of Tax Bills and government responsibility for late refund of value added tax to such payers has been introduced.

- Income arising from currency fluctuations while introducing the investment denominated in foreign currency are free of taxes.

- The possibilities have been provided for the concessionaires to discharge the tax debt as well as return the payments and uncompensated taxes (duties) overpaid to enterprises of state or municipal ownership, provided for concession. The norm on inclusion of the concession payments to the cost structure was clarified. Exemption from VAT of lease (concession) payment under the lease (concession) agreements of state or municipal property has been provided.

Preferential tax treatments were introduced for the enterprises in specific economic sectors, namely:

- enterprises producing baby food;
- enterprises engaged in implementation of energy efficient technologies;
- enterprises engaged in extraction and use of gas (methane) of coal deposits;
- enterprises providing hotel services;
- enterprises active in fuel and energy sector;
- enterprises of housing and utilities sector;
- light industry enterprises;
- shipbuilding industry enterprises;
- aircraft building industry enterprises;
Tax incentives for investors in Ukraine

- enterprises of machine building for agriculture;
- construction industry enterprises (during construction of affordable housing and housing built by state funds);
- space activity enterprises;
- agriculture, forestry and fishery enterprises;
- biofuel manufacturers, enterprises with simultaneous production of electric and heat energy as well as production of heat energy with using biological types of fuel, manufacturers of machinery, equipment and facilities determined by the article 7 of the Law of Ukraine “On Alternative Types of Fuel”;
- publishing houses, publishing organizations, printing industry enterprises;
- cinematography and animated cartoon facilities;
- processing enterprises producing milk, raw milk and dairy products, meat and meat products.

In addition the Tax Code of Ukraine established special taxation of results under the product distribution (sharing) agreements with the purpose to stimulate investment into the costly works on extraction of certain mineral resources.

State Tax Service of Ukraine introduced new service on the analysis of economic operation models of enterprises with foreign investments - legal assessment of investment projects concerning the tax risks. In such way it shall assist the businesses to avoid risk situations in relation to the misinterpretation of national legislation by foreign entrepreneurs.

By using such service, foreign investors will get information support regarding:
- correspondence of investment project (economic operation) to the legislation of Ukraine and its taxation mechanism, tax risks;
- inconsistencies in legal status of counterparts (invalidation of founding documents, registration of enterprise on lost (stolen) documents etc.);
- counterparts being in bankruptcy procedures, process of termination (liquidation);
- involvement in minimization schemes of tax liabilities etc.

Approaches to the analysis of economic operation models of enterprises with foreign investments can be found on the website of State Tax Service of Ukraine.
According to the Customs Code of Ukraine such customs payments must be paid during customs clearance of goods:
- customs duties;
- excise tax on excisable goods (products) imported into the customs territory of Ukraine;
- value added tax on goods (products) imported into the customs territory of Ukraine.

**Customs clearance of goods**, imported to Ukraine as a contribution of foreign investor to the share capital of enterprise with foreign investments is made as a matter of priority.

Goods, imported into the customs territory of Ukraine or exported abroad, which are free from imposition of a duty:
- goods, including products, equipment, machines, transport vehicles and other items of assets, designed for adherence to production sharing agreement as well as products extracted in exclusive (maritime) economic zone of Ukraine imported into the customs territory of Ukraine under adherence to product sharing agreement. This list also includes products (except assets and material values, value of which was refunded to the investor by compensation products and which became the property of the state) and extracted products exported by investor outside Ukraine according to the Law of Ukraine “On Production Sharing Agreements” and production sharing agreement;
- materials, equipment and components used for manufacture of equipment that runs on renewable energy sources, materials, raw material, equipment and components, which will be used in production of alternative kinds of fuel or production of energy from renewable energy sources, energy-efficient equipment and materials, devices, exploitation of which provides saving and rational use of fuel and energy resources, materials, raw material and equipment, which will be used in nanotechnology industries or in work with nano-technologies;
- technical and transport vehicles, including self-moving agricultural machines running on biofuel, which are classified by codes determined in article 7 of the Law of Ukraine “On Alternative Types of Fuel”, if such goods are not produced in Ukraine.

Goods, imported into the customs territory of Ukraine, which are also free from imposition of a duty:
- machines, equipment, materials and their components, which are not produced in Ukraine and which are not excisable goods. These goods are imported by creating initiators - economic entities, management companies of industrial parks for the improvement of such parks;
- machines, equipment and their components, which are not produced in Ukraine and are not excisable goods. These goods are imported by members of industrial parks for carrying out of economic activity within such parks.

Lists of such machines, equipment, materials and their components are approved by central executive body on implementation of state policy in the field of investment activity and national projects in manner prescribed by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine.

Goods, which are imported to Ukraine as a contribution of foreign investor to the share capital of enterprises with foreign investments (except the goods for sale or use for purpose that is not directly related with carrying out of business activity) are exempted from customs duty payment.

Goods (except the goods for sale or use for purpose that is not directly related with carrying out of business activity), which are exempted from payment of import duties - imported by foreign investors into the customs territory of Ukraine for the period not less than three years according to the Law of Ukraine “On Foreign Investment Regime” for investing purpose under the registered agreements (contracts) or as a foreign investor’s contribution to the share capital of enterprise with foreign investments.
Customs relations

In addition, according to the Customs Code of Ukraine there are certain goods that are temporarily exempted from imposition of import duty, imported into the customs territory of Ukraine and placed in customs regime of import, namely:

1. **Before 1 January 2017:** materials, components, assemblies and/or elements imported into the customs territory of Ukraine by domestic entities involved in engineering and agriculture, if such goods are not produced in Ukraine. Goods mentioned in this sub-paragraph shall be exempt from taxation provided that they are used for production of taxable machinery and/or agricultural equipment as defined by paragraph 1 of Article 1 of the Law of Ukraine on promotion of the national agricultural machinery;

2. **Before 1 January 2018:** equipment (facilities) and components imported by business entities solely for investment projects approved by the Law of Ukraine on stimulation of investment activity in priority sectors of economy to create new jobs, provided that the goods:
   - are not excisable;
   - are produced not earlier than three years before the date of state registration of the project and were not in use;
   - are not produced in Ukraine and have no analogues in Ukraine.

Procedure of import, list and volume of stated goods with definition of their codes according to Ukrainian Classification of Foreign Economic Activity Goods is approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine with the approval of each individual investment project.
FOREIGN INVESTMENTS AND ITS STATE REGISTRATION

The Law of Ukraine “On regime of Foreign Investment”
Tax Code of Ukraine
Customs Code of Ukraine
Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine dated 06.03.2013, № 139 “On Approval of State Registration (Re-registration) Order of Foreign Investments and Its Cancellation”

Foreign investments

valuables invested by foreign investors (natural persons and legal entities, foreign states, international governmental and non-governmental organizations) in objects of investment activity pursuant to effective legislation of Ukraine for the purpose of gaining profit or achieving social effect.

Forms (ways) to carry out foreign investments

- share participation in enterprises established jointly with Ukrainian legal entities and natural persons, or acquisition of shares in existing enterprises
- creation of enterprises wholly belonging to foreign investors, subsidiaries and other separated structural subdivisions of foreign legal entities, or acquisition of entire ownership of existing enterprises
- acquisition, except when expressly prohibited by the legislation of Ukraine, of real or personal property, including buildings, apartments, premises, equipment, transport vehicles and other objects of ownership through direct acquisition of property or property complexes, or in the form of stocks, bonds and other securities
- acquisition of the rights to use land or concessions to exploit natural resources on the territory of Ukraine independently or jointly with Ukrainian legal entities and natural persons
- acquisition of other property rights
- economic (business) activity under the production sharing agreements
- other forms of investing which are not explicitly prohibited by the legislation of Ukraine

Types of foreign investments

- movable and immovable assets and property rights related thereto
- currency of Ukraine
- foreign currency recognized as convertible by the National Bank of Ukraine
- stocks, bonds, other securities
- money claims and the rights to claims related to contractual obligations which are guaranteed by the first-class banks and have value in convertible currency confirmed in accordance with the legislation (procedures) of the investor’s country or international trade practices
- corporate rights (property right for participation (share) in the charter fund of a legal entity established pursuant to the legislation of Ukraine or legislation of other countries) expressed in convertible currency
- other valuables according to the legislation of Ukraine
- the rights to carry our business activity including the rights to use or exploit natural resources granted pursuant to laws or under agreements, value of which in convertible currency is confirmed in accordance with the legislation (procedures) of the investor’s country or international trade practices
- any intellectual property rights, value of which in convertible currency is confirmed according to the legislation (procedures) of the investor’s country or international trade practices as well as confirmed by expert evaluation in Ukraine
State registration of foreign investments

The Law of Ukraine “On Regime of Foreign Investment”

State registration (re-registration) of foreign investments and its cancellation is made by Regional State Administration (state registration authority). For state registration of foreign investments, foreign investor or his authorized person (applicant) in prescribed manner shall submit the following documents to the state registration authority:

- notification on a foreign investment in three copies with a mark proving the actual investment made by a state tax service at the place of investment;
- documents confirming the form of a foreign investment (constituent documents, agreements (contracts) for cooperation, joint manufacturing and other types of joint investment activities, concession agreements, etc.);
- documents confirming the value of a foreign investment identify according to the article 2 of the Law of Ukraine “On Regime of Foreign Investment”.

Regional State Administration considers the submitted documents within seven days and decides on registration of foreign investments or its refusal.

The state registration authority shall perform the state registration of foreign investments by assigning the registration number to the notification on a foreign investment, which is signed by an official and sealed with a seal of the state registration authority in all three copies followed by the appropriate record in the journal of records for state registration.

In the event of the loss (destruction) of notifications on foreign investments, duplicates shall be issued to applicants at their request. To receive a duplicate of the notification on a foreign investment, the applicant shall submit to the state registration authority the announcement on declaring the lost notification null and void published in the official press. The state registration authority shall issue a duplicate of notification on foreign investment within five business days after the submission of required documents by the applicant.

State registration of foreign investments is valid for the entire period of investment.

Re-registration of foreign investments shall be used if investor sold or otherwise transferred corporate rights of Ukrainian company to another non-resident individual by cancellation of the previous state registration of foreign investment and new state registration of foreign investment.

In order to cancel state registration of foreign investment, the applicant shall submit the following documents to the state registration authority:

- written notification on termination of foreign investor’s activity due to the transfer (sales) of investments to another entities of investment activity;
- notification on previous state registration of foreign investments;
- statement from the territorial authority of the state tax service on taxes paid by foreign investor in Ukraine.

New state registration of foreign investments in connection to the change of owner of the investment is made in the manner prescribed for initial registration of foreign investments.

Cancellation of state registration of foreign investments is made in case of foreign investments’ withdrawal (repatriation). In order to cancel state registration of foreign investments, the applicant shall submit the following documents to the state registration authority:

- written notification on withdrawal (repatriation) of foreign investments;
- notification on performed state registration of foreign investments;
- statement from the territorial authority of the state tax service on taxes paid by foreign investor in Ukraine.
State registration of foreign investments

State registration (re-registration) of foreign investments is free of charge.

Refusal in state registration of foreign investments is possible only if Ukraine’s legislation on procedure of investments in force is violated or foreign investments do not comply with its regulations necessary for registration. Refusal motivated by the investment inexpediency is not allowed.

Refusal of state registration of foreign investments should be documented in written form with indication of reasons for the refusal, and can be appealed against in court.

Issuance of duplicate of notification of a foreign investment is free of charge.

State registration of additional amounts of foreign investments shall be made in the same manner after their actual introduction.

State guarantees of foreign investments protection

- prohibition of nationalization of foreign investments and prohibition of their requisition (except for life saving measures in case of natural disaster, accidents, epidemics, epizootics);
- compensation of losses to foreign investors, including lost profit and moral damage incurred as a result of actions, inaction or improper fulfilment by the state bodies of Ukraine or their officials of the responsibilities in relation to foreign investors or entities with foreign investment stipulated by the legislation, according to the legislation of Ukraine. Compensation paid to the foreign investor shall be prompt, adequate and efficient;
- return of investments to foreign investors in-kind or in the currency of investment in the amount of the actual contribution without payment of duty, along with profits from those investments in monetary form or in goods at actual market value at the moment of termination of investment activity, if not otherwise provided for by the legislation of Ukraine or international agreements to which Ukraine is a party;
- unimpeded and prompt remittance abroad of profits and other sums in foreign currency obtained legally as a result of foreign investments upon payment of taxes, duties, and other mandatory payments;
- retaining of the state guarantees for the protection of foreign investors upon request of the foreign investor in the event that subsequent special legislation of Ukraine concerning foreign investment shall change the terms and conditions of guarantees for the protection of foreign investments stipulated by he Law of Ukraine “On Foreign Investments Regime” at the time of carrying out the investments for a period of ten years from the date when such legislation came into force;
- application of legislative norms of Ukraine to production sharing agreements, during the period of their validity and which are in force at the moment of agreements’ conclusion (specified guarantee shall not apply to changes in legislation relating to issues of protection, national security, peacekeeping, protection of environment).

Unregistered foreign investments do not enjoy the rights and privileges granted by the Law of Ukraine “On Regime of Foreign Investment”.

According to the Tax Code of Ukraine, the monetary amounts or the property value transferred to the taxable person in form of direct investments or re-investments for corporate rights issued by such taxable person, including monetary or in kind contributions, in accordance with agreements on joint business on the territory of Ukraine without setting up a legal entity shall not be imposed by corporate profit tax (paragraph 136.1.3 article 136). The Tax Code also provides special regime of investor’s taxation during the execution of joint business (production sharing) agreements (article 335).
The Law provides equal business conditions for domestic and foreign investors, which means that foreigners have the same rights to invest in Ukraine as Ukrainian legal entities and individuals. Foreign investments in Ukraine shall not be subject to nationalization.

In case of termination of investment activity, a foreign investor is entitled to recovery of its investments in kind or in the invested currency without payment of customs duty, as well as revenues earned on these investments in terms of money or goods. Foreign investors are guaranteed the right to free and prompt remittance abroad of their profits, revenues and other assets, legally obtained in connection with foreign investments.

In order to increase protection of foreign investments the 1965 Washington Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of Other States was ratified by the law of Ukraine dated 16.03.2000 № 1547.

Intergovernmental agreements on promotion and mutual protection of investments were signed and ratified by Ukrainian Parliament with more than 70 countries.

State Agency for Investment and National Projects of Ukraine was established in order to assist foreign investors with issues concerning cooperation with executive authorities and local governments. Regional Centres for Investment and Development are the structural divisions located within the Agency on regional level.

From January 1, 2012, the Law of Ukraine “On Preparation and Implementation of Investment Projects on the ‘One-Stop Shop’ Principle” entered into force. According to this Law, Regional Centres for Investment and Development provide services related to preparation and implementation of investment projects on the “One-Stop Shop” principle to the entities of investment activity. The law requires drawing up of immediate plan of action on preparation and implementation of investment project within five days from the date of investor’s request registration. Package of documents required for the project implementation must be gathered and provided to the applicant entity within two days from the date of drawing up the immediate plan.

The Law of Ukraine “On Public-Private Partnership” determines legal, economic and organizational principles of public-private partnership implementation in Ukraine in order to regulate relations arising during the implementation of projects in certain sectors of economic activity. The features of the public-private partnership according to the Law shall be long-term relationships (from 5 to 50 years), sharing the risks with the private partner, introduction of private investments, immutability of validity period of contract for purpose and ownership of the public-private partnership’s object.

In June 2012, Ukrainian Parliament adopted the Law of Ukraine “On Industrial Parks” declaring the legal and organizational principles of establishment and operation of industrial parks in Ukraine.

The Law of Ukraine “On Industrial Parks” provides:

- state support for the industrial parks’ infrastructure and implementation of projects within these parks;
- exemption from payment of import duties while importing machines, equipment, materials and their components that are not produced in Ukraine and which are not excisable goods and are imported for the industrial parks’ infrastructure and carrying out of business activity within these parks;
- exemption from share participation in development of settlement’s infrastructure in case of construction of facilities within industrial parks.

The Law of Ukraine “On investment activity” foresees the mechanism for development and approval of investment project with the aim of state support obtaining.
State guarantees and support to investors in Ukraine

Financing of investment projects can be carried out at the expense of:

- co-financing of enterprise’s own funds and state budget;
- funds of state and/or local budgets;
- provision the state and local guarantees for implementation of investment projects according to the legislation to ensure the performance of debt obligations by borrowings of economic entity and crediting at the expense of state or local budget funds;
- full or partial compensation of interest on credits of economic entities for implementation of investment projects at the expense of state or local budgets.

Development and approval of investment proposals/projects supported by the state

Development of investment project by economic entity

Development of investment proposal by economic entity

Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine

State expertise of investment project, conclusion

Positive

Negative

Economic entity

State registration of investment project (proposal)

Selection of projects (proposals) on a competitive basis (during 3 years)

State support

- full financing or co-financing of investment project;
- guarantees and crediting of investment project;
- full or partial compensation of interest on credits.

Package of laws aimed at stimulating of investment activity came into force on January 1, 2013 including:

- The Law of Ukraine «On Stimulation of Investment Activity in Priority Sectors of Economy Aimed at New Jobs Creation»;
- The Law of Ukraine «On Amendments to the Customs Code of Ukraine»;
State guarantees and support to investors in Ukraine

The mentioned Laws provide:

- applying of reduced corporate profit tax rate to the income generated from implementation of investment projects by economic entities, which implement investment projects in priority sectors of economy (particulary: 0% rate for the period from 01.01.2013 till 31.12.2017);
- favourable regime of depreciation of land and buildings’ capital improvements during the implementation of investment projects;
- exemption from import duty on equipment and components imported for implementation of investment projects (if they are not subject to excise tax, made within three years before the project implementation, not produced and have no analogues in Ukraine) for the period till January 1, 2018;
- right to issue the tax bill to the customs authority on VAT amount payable with equipment and components imported for implementation of investment projects and exempted from customs duty with the filled out customs declaration (discharge of such bill shall come on the 60th day after its issuance to customs authority).

State support for implementation of investment projects in priority economic sectors

The Law of Ukraine “On Stimulation of Investment Activity in Priority Sectors of Economy aimed at New Jobs Creation”

Investment activity in the priority sectors of economy according to the legislation is stimulated by:

- budget funds;
- applying of tax incentives to business entities that implement investment projects in priority sectors of economy established by the Tax and Customs Codes of Ukraine.

List of priority sectors of economy where the investment activity is being stimulated with the aim of creation of new jobs:

- **Agricultural industrial sector:** manufacture and storage of food products, including baby food and biofuel, with a focus on import substitution;
- **Housing and utility sector:** creation of waste treatment facilities (household, industrial and waste formed as a result of extraction and processing of mineral resources and production of electric and heat power); construction, reconstruction and technical re-equipment in the field of heat supply, central water supply and wastewater disposal;
- **Machine building sector:** manufacture of new and import of substituting types of computers, electronic and optical products, machines and equipment, electrical equipment, motor vehicles and other means of transport;
- **Transport infrastructure:** construction, reconstruction and technical equipment in the field of transport infrastructure;
- **Resort and tourism sector:** construction of resorts and recreation facilities as well as tourist infrastructure facilities.
State support for implementation of investment projects in priority economic sectors

In order to get state support, investment project must meet the following criteria:

- **Total estimated cost of the project** shall exceed the amount equivalent to:
  - 3 million Euro - for large economic entities;
  - 1 million Euro - for medium business entities;
  - 500 thousand Euro - for small business entities.

- **Number of newly created jobs for employees who are directly involved in production processes**, shall exceed:
  - 150 - for large business entities;
  - 50 - for medium business entities;
  - 25 - for small business entities.

- **Average wage of employees** at least in 2.5 times higher than the size of minimum wage, set for the January 1 of reporting (tax) year.

### The selection, approval and registration procedure of investment projects in priority sectors of economy

**Stage 1**

**Business entities**, intending to participate in the selection of investment projects in priority sectors of economy shall submit an application along with relevant documents to the Council of Ministers of the Autonomous Republic of Crimea, regional, Kyiv and Sevastopol city state administrations.

The documents submitted for selection:

- conclusions of independent expert organizations (if available);
- copy of investment project, that is stitched, numbered, certified by the signature of authorized person of economic entity and stamped (for legal entities);
- statement that economic entity has no overdue debts before the state and local budget on payment of taxes and duties (mandatory payments);
- document on the absence of initiated proceedings on bankruptcy regarding the applicant;
- extract from the Unified State Register of Legal Entities and Natural Persons - Entrepreneurs;
- statement that economic entity has no overdue debts before the social funds and Pension Fund.

**Stage 2**

Checking of submitted investment projects by the Council of Ministers of the Autonomous Republic of Crimea, regional, Kyiv and Sevastopol city state administrations as well as their selection for submission to the consideration of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine or rejection and return with explanation of reasons of rejection.

In order to participate in the selection, investment projects of business entities must meet the requirements for investment projects in priority economic sectors.

**Requirements for investment projects in priority sectors of economy:**

- Project shall be implemented:
  - within the priority economic sectors identified by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine;
  - at the new created or operating enterprise, where the reconstruction or modernization shall be provided.

- Implementation of project includes:
  - allocation of separate structural unit, where the investment project shall be implemented;
  - achievement of criteria determined by Law within two years from the date of state registration of investment project in priority economic sector.

**Stage 3**

Submission of selected investment projects by the Council of Ministers of the Autonomous Republic of Crimea, regional, Kyiv and Sevastopol city state administrations to the Ministry of Economic Development, together with the applications of business entities and supportive documents.

Ministry of Economic Development shall consider the selected investment projects in priority economic sectors and submit proposals on their approval (draft decision agreed with the executive authorities concerned) to the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine.

**Stage 4**

Once the investment projects in priority sectors of economy are approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine, Ministry of Economic Development shall make their state registration by inserting the information about these projects to the State register of investment projects in priority economic sectors, which could be found on the official website of Ministry of Economic Development.
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NATIONAL PROJECTS

projects regarding the social, economic and cultural development that are strategically important for specific economic sectors or regional development.

Centre defines the components of national projects in Ivano-Frankivsk region, analyses the information, prepares and submits relevant offers to the State Agency for Investment and National Projects of Ukraine.

INVESTMENT MARKETING

− creation of positive investment image of the region; promotion of its investment opportunities;
− creation and administration of informational resources (web site, newsletters, etc.);
− organization of introductory and business missions for potential investors/partners/sales representatives and participation in specialized events and investment missions abroad.

PROVIDING THE INFORMATION AND RESOURCES FOR INVESTMENT ACTIVITY

− creation and maintenance of a separate database of priority regional investment projects, investment proposals/offers of regional enterprises, local producers and suppliers, local research and development institutions, innovation developments etc.;
− assistance in industrial parks establishment;
− provision of training and consulting support to local authorities and local governments as well as economic entities.

ONE-STOP SHOP

Centre is an authorized body that provides services for investment activity and assists with the preparation and implementation of investment projects on a ‘One-Stop Shop’ principle (according to the Law of Ukraine “On Preparation and Implementation of Investment Projects on a ‘One-Stop Shop’ Principle”).
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Passes through Tatariv (Yaremche City Council)

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railway

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Gorodenka district: Yaseniv-Pilnyi,
Gorodenka (connection with R-24, T 2621), Voroniv, Nezysko
Tlaziv district: (connection with N09): Zhyvachiv, Ozeriany (connection with Т 0904), Teresivka, Tlaziv
Tysmenytsia district: Mylvannia, Roshniv, Strygantsi, Poberezhia, Ezupil, Silets, Tlaziv (connection with N09)

R-24
Tatariv – Kosiv – Kolomyia – Borschchiv – Kamianets-Podilskyi
Passes through Tatariv (Yaremche City Council)
Kolomyia district: Kolomyia
Gorodenka district: Gorodenka
Passes through two mountain passes: Kryvopilia and Bukovets

R-21
Dolyna - Khust
Passes through Dolyna —Mizhgiria — Khust
Dolyna district: Dolyna (connection with N10), Mala Turia, Novoselytsia, Vygoda, Patsykiv, Shevchenkove, Myslivka, Vyshkiv
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national motorways
- N-10
  Stryi – Ivano-Frankivsk – Chernivtsi –
  Mamalyga (to Chisinau)
  Drives to Ivano-Frankivsk – 10.9 km
  Passes through Bolekhiv, Dolyna, Kalush,
  Ivano-Frankivsk, Kolomyia, Zabolotiv, Sniatyn

international motorways
- E50M12
- E50
- R-24
- Tatariv – Kosiv – Kolomyia – Borschiv –
  Kamanets-Podilskyi
  Passes through Tatariv (Yaremche City Council)
  Verkhovyna district: Verkhovyna
  Kosiv district: Kosiv
  Kolomyia district: Kolomyia
  Gorodenka district: Gorodenka
  Passes through two mountain passes: Kryvopilia and Bukovets

regional motorways
- P-24
  Tatariv – Kosiv – Kolomyia – Borschiv –
  Kamanets-Podilskyi
  Passes through Tatariv (Yaremche City Council)
  Verkhovyna district: Verkhovyna
  Kosiv district: Kosiv
  Kolomyia district: Kolomyia
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Kosiv district: Kosiv
Kolomyia district: Kolomyia
Gorodenka district: Gorodenka
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railway

regional motorways

R-24
Tatariv – Kosiv – Kolomyia – Borshtyn – Kamianets-Podilskyi
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Kosiv district: Kosiv
Kolomyia district: Kolomyia
Gorodenka district: Gorodenka
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national motorways

N-09
Mukachevo – Ivano-Frankivsk – Rogatyn – Lviv (through Rackiv)
Drive to the resort area «Bukovel» - 7.7 km
Passes through Yaremche, Nadvirna, Ivano-Frankivsk, Galych, Burshtyn, Rogatyn

international motorways

E50
M12
H09
H10
H24
H18
P20
P24
P21
DRIVE TO THE RESORT AREA «BUKOVEL» - 7.7 KM

Passes through Yaremche, Nadvirna, Ivano-Frankivsk, Galych, Burshtyn, Rogatyn national motorways

MUKACHEVO – IVANO-FRANKIVSK – ROGATYN – LVIV (THROUGH RAKHIV)
Drive to the resort area «Bukovel» - 7.7 km
Passes through Yaremche, Nadvira, Ivano-Frankivsk, Galych, Buratyn, Rogatyn

COINCIDE WITH THE PART OF EUROPEAN ROUTE E50

INTERNATIONAL MOTORWAYS
M-12
Stryi — Ternopil — Kirovograd — Znamianka (through Vinnytsia)
Drives to Vinnytsia - 1.4 km,
to Khmelnytskyi - 8 km
Runs through Lviv, Ivano-Frankivsk
Ternopil, Khmelnytskyi, Vinnytsia, Cherkasy
and Kirovograd region
Passes through Rogatyn
Coincide with the part of European route E50

NATIONAL MOTORWAYS
N-09
Mukachevo – Ivano-Frankivsk – Rogatyn – Lviv (through Rakhiv)
Drive to the resort area «Bukovel» - 7.7 km
Passes through Yaremche, Nadvira, Ivano-Frankivsk, Galych, Buratyn, Rogatyn

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regional motorways

R-20
Sniatyn-Tliaziv
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Gorodenka district: Yaseniv-Pilnyi,
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Tlumach district: (connection with N09r Znyachiv,
Ozeriany (connection with T 0904), Terasivka, Tlumach
Tysmenytsia district: Myluvannia, Roshniv, Strygantsi,
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national motorways

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