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ПРОБЛЕМЫ И ПЕРСПЕКТИВЫ РАЗВИТИЯ ТОРГОВЛИ И ТУРИСТИЧЕСКОЙ ИНДУСТРИИ НА МИРОВОМ РЫНКЕ

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CUSTOMS SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH THE USE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES

In modern conditions, the customs service not only performs the traditional functions of state administration in the field of foreign trade, but also acts as a social economic institution. As practice shows, in the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) Member States, special attention is paid to the organization of customs control of goods transported by individuals for personal use, therefore, one of the types of customs services is the provision of services to individuals, such as filling in the passenger customs declaration, the declaration of recycling, Tax Free.

The *object* of this study is the organization of the provision of customs services for individuals. The *subject* is the current state, problems and prospects for the development of customs services for individuals of the Republic of Belarus. The main *aim* of our research is to study of customs services for individuals in the Republic of Belarus in the conditions of the EAEU.

The introduction of **electronic preliminary information** (EPI) is one of the main tools in the implementation of the most important tasks of the customs authorities, such as ensuring security and speeding up the carrying out of customs formalities. However, for goods for personal use, a mandatory EPI is not currently provided in Belarus. A portal has been created on the State Customs Committee (SCC) website (located in the section «Preliminary Electronic Submission of Information»), which provides the opportunity to fill in the passenger customs declaration online before arriving at the checkpoint [1].

In connection with the holding of the II European Games in 2019 and the World Hockey Championship in 2021 in Minsk, the crossing of borders by individuals and the movement of goods by them will increase significantly. Therefore, the expansion of services such as filling out the passenger customs declaration online before arriving at the checkpoint becomes necessary.

It is advisable to provide for the submission of EPI in a more accessible form for citizens. In particular, we propose to develop an ap-

plication on a mobile phone that will contain step-by-step filling out of the passenger declaration, thereby ensuring the submission of EPI. The application will be available in different languages, initially, in Russian, Belarusian and English. This application will have access from any country using an internet connection [2].

The application will have several sections. The main section is **Information about an individual**. An individual will create it by registering in this application and entering his information to the extent necessary for the passenger customs declaration. **Information about a vehicle** is another section of the application. Information about a foreign vehicle can be entered in it in which a foreign individual or a person of an EAEU Member State will cross the customs border and enter the territory of Belarus. Information from these sections will be stored in the personal account and may be subject to change by an individual. The third section of the application is **Information about the goods**, in which the information about the goods being moved will be entered on the basis of the necessary information for the declaration.

The entered information will be sent to the customs database, where the customs officer will be able to process and verify it. The verified data will be entered into the passenger customs declaration automatically. Then, a physical person receives a QR code in his personal account, which is presented to the customs officer at the border.

We offer to provide **benefits** to those who will submit information in advance when moving goods for personal use. They are a separate corridor at the checkpoint for such persons or mandatory prior information at passenger checkpoints. For example, Losha has capacity of 450 cars per day.

Thus, the development of an Application for individuals moving goods for personal use is a modern promising tool for customs services to combat queues and increase the comfort of intersection by passengers. Persons who submitted EPI will receive benefits in the form of such customs services as a separate corridor at the checkpoint or a separate passenger checkpoint.

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