

Financial Sanctions Notice

09/12/2022

Global Anti-Corruption

Introduction

- The Global Anti-Corruption Sanctions Regulations 2021 (S.I. 2021/488) (the Regulations) were made under the Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Act 2018 (the Sanctions Act) and provide for the freezing of funds and economic resources of certain persons, entities or bodies responsible for or involved in serious corruption.
- 2. On 9 December 2022 the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office updated the UK Sanctions List on GOV.UK. This list provides details of those designated under regulations made under the Sanctions Act. A link to the UK Sanctions List can be found below.
- 3. Following the publication of the UK Sanctions List, information on the Consolidated List has been updated.

Notice summary

- 4. The following entries have been added to the consolidated list and are now subject to an asset freeze.
 - Vladimir PLAHOTNIUC (Group ID: 15658)
 - Milan Rajko RADOJCIC (Group ID: 15687)
 - Ilan SHOR (Group ID: 15661)
 - Slobodan TESIC (Group ID: 15660)
 - Zvonko VESELINOVIC (Group ID:15677)

What you must do

5. You must:

- i. check whether you maintain any accounts or hold any funds or economic resources for the persons set out in the Annex to this Notice;
- ii. freeze such accounts, and other funds or economic resources and any funds which are owned or controlled by persons set out in the Annex to the Notice
- iii. refrain from dealing with the funds or assets or making them available (directly or indirectly) to such persons unless licensed by the Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation (OFSI);
- iv. report any findings to OFSI, together with any additional information that would facilitate compliance with the Regulations;
- v. provide any information concerning the frozen assets of designated persons that OFSI may request. Information reported to OFSI may be passed on to other regulatory authorities or law enforcement.
- 6. Failure to comply with financial sanctions legislation or to seek to circumvent its provisions is a criminal offence.

Further Information

- 7. Copies of recent notices, UK legislation and relevant guidance can be obtained from the Global Anti-Corruption financial sanctions page on the Gov.UK website:

 https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/financial-sanctions-regime-specific-consolidated-lists-and-releases
- 8. The Consolidated List can be found here:

 https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/financial-sanctions-consolidated-list-of-targets
- The UK Sanctions List can be found here:
 https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/the-uk-sanctions-list

10. For more information please see our guide to financial sanctions:

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/uk-financial-sanctions-guidance

Enquiries

11. Non-media enquiries about the implementation of financial sanctions in the UK should be addressed to:

Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation HM Treasury 1 Horse Guards Road London SW1A 2HQ ofsi@hmtreasury.gov.uk

- 12. Non-media enquiries about the sanctions measures themselves should be addressed to: sanctions@fcdo.gov.uk
- 13. Media enquiries about how financial sanctions are implemented in the UK should be addressed to the Treasury Press Office on 020 7270 5238.
- 14. Media enquiries about the sanctions measures themselves should be addressed to the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office Press Office on 020 7008 3100.

ANNEX TO NOTICE

FINANCIAL SANCTIONS: GLOBAL ANTI-CORRUPTION

THE GLOBAL ANTI-CORRUPTION SANCTIONS REGULATIONS 2021 (S.I. 2021/488)

ADDITIONS

Individuals

1. PLAHOTNIUC, Vladimir

DOB: 01/01/1966. POB: Calarasi, Moldova a.k.a: (1) NOVAK, Vladislav, Vladimirovich (2) ULINICI, Vlad Nationality: (1) Moldova (2) Romania (3) Russia Other Information: (UK Sanctions List Ref):GAC0030 (UK Statement of Reasons):Vladimir PLAHOTNIUC is an involved person under the Global Anti-Corruption Sanctions Regulations 2021 because he has been involved in serious corruption, namely engaging in serious corruption with respect to bribery of a foreign public official. (Gender):Male Listed on: 09/12/2022 UK Sanctions List Date Designated: 09/12/2022 Last Updated: 09/12/2022 Group ID: 15658.

2. RADOJCIC, Milan Rajko

Name (non-Latin script): Милан Радоичић

DOB: 21/02/1978. POB: Djakova (Djakovica), Kosovo a.k.a: (1) RADOICIC, Milan, Rajko (non-Latin script: Milan Rajko Radoičić) (2) RADOJICIC, Milan Nationality: Serbia National Identification Number: 1174669941 Address: Lola Ribar St 58/7, Mitrovica, Kosovo .Other Information: (UK Sanctions List Ref):GAC0031 (UK Statement of Reasons):Milan Rajko RADOJCIC is an involved person under the Global Anti-Corruption Sanctions Regulations 2021 because, in his role as Vice-President of the Srpska Lista/Serb List party or otherwise, he has been involved in serious corruption because he (1) has been responsible for or engaged in serious corruption, namely the misappropriation of property (i.e. public infrastructure contracts) and (2) has profited financially or obtained any other benefit from the same. (Gender):Male Listed on: 09/12/2022 UK Sanctions List Date Designated: 09/12/2022 Last Updated: 09/12/2022 Group ID: 15687.

3. SHOR, Ilan

Name (non-Latin script): Ilan Şor

DOB: 03/06/1987. **POB**: Tel Aviv, Israel **Nationality**: (1) Repubic of Moldova (2) Israel **Other Information**: (UK Sanctions List Ref):GAC0029 (UK Statement of Reasons):llan SHOR is an involved person underthe Global Anti-Corruption Sanctions Regulation 2021 because: he is and has been involved in serious corruption, namely being responsible for or engaging in serious corruption with respect to bribery of foreign public officials. (Gender):Male **Listed on**: 09/12/2022 **UK Sanctions List Date Designated**: 09/12/2022 **Last Updated**: 09/12/2022 **Group ID**: 15661.

4. TESIC, Slobodan

Name (non-Latin script): Slobodan Tešić

DOB: 21/12/1958. POB: Bosnia-Herzegovina a.k.a: (1) TESIC (non-Latin script: Тешић) (2) TEZIC, Slobodan Nationality: (1) Serbia (2) Bosnia-Herzegovina Passport Number: 004362756 Address: Koste Racina 5, Belgrade, Serbia, 11000.Position: Director of NOTA DOO KNJAŽEVAC Other Information: (UK Sanctions List Ref):GAC0028 (UK

Statement of Reasons):Slobodan TESIC is an involved person under the Global Anti-Corruption Sanctions Regulations 2021 because TESIC intended to reward a foreign public official for improperly performing a public function. Specifically, TESIC did so by bribing Chief State Prosecutor, Barasin, and Minister of Defence, Cikotic. Therefore, TESIC is an involved person in serious corruption through the bribery of foreign public officials. (Gender):Male Listed on: 09/12/2022 UK Sanctions List Date Designated: 09/12/2022 Last Updated: 09/12/2022 Group ID: 15660.

5. VESELINOVIC, Zvonko

Name (non-Latin script): звонко веселинович

DOB: 30/12/1980. **POB**: Dolane Village, Zvecan, Kosovo **a.k.a**: THE "NEW ARKAN" **Nationality**: Kosovo **Address**: Kralj Peter St, Mitrovica, Kosovo.**Other Information**: (UK Sanctions List Ref):GAC0032 (UK Statement of Reasons):Zvonko VESELINOVIC is an involved person under the Global Anti-Corruption Sanctions Regulations 2021 because he has engaged in and has profited financially from serious corruption, namely through benefiting from the misappropriation of property as his firms were improperly allocated contracts by public officials. (Gender):Male **Listed on**: 09/12/2022 **UK Sanctions List Date Designated**: 09/12/2022 **Last Updated**: 09/12/2022 **Group ID**:15677.

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