

Minutes of the 20th meeting of WG5 Road Traffic Safety

Department/Section: EUAM Kharkiv Field Office

Date/hour and place of the meeting: 30^{th} of January 2020 from 10:00 - 12:25

Meeting Room Kharkiv FO

Participants & Contacts:

Interlocutors: NPU MD Kharkiv, Evhenii Voloshyn

Patrol Police Kharkiv, Evhenii Petrov Patrol Police Kharkiv, Maryna Kulbachna

Prosecutors General Office Kharkiv, not present

Department of Infrastructure, Kharkiv City Council, not present

MoIA University Kharkiv, Mykola Koteluh, Stanislav

UKRAVTODOR, Oleksandr Riazantsev and

Kharkiv National Automobile and Highway University KHADI, Oleksandr

Riabushenko

EUAM: Tuomo Korhonen, Senior Adviser on General Policing

Liviu Velicea, Adviser on Community Policing Vira Kovalenko, Regional Operations Officer

Purpose of the meeting

20th meeting of a working group 5, road traffic safety, as a part of the CSS II project in Kharkiv Region. The purpose was to discuss about the new strategies of CSS II project and find new activities that are more in line with them.

Content (key points)

20th meeting of Working Group 5, road traffic safety, under the CSS II project in Kharkiv region. This time the purpose of the meeting was to talk about future strategies of CSS II project in Kharkiv region and to find activities that are more in line with new possible strategies. There was 9 participants from different LEA's and three from EUAM.

First Tuomo Korhonen told to participants about possible future strategies of CSS II porject in Kharkiv region. There is a possibility that there will be only four working groups instead of six, which is the case at this point. However, working group for road traffic safety will still remain as it is now.

First topic discussed was KHADI course "Certified training in RTS", that took place in November. The feedback was already collected and it was more than positive. Participants told e.g. that officers who participated this course, founded a Viper group which they are using on a daily basis for the questions. This time it was asked, should we have another same kind of course? Yevgen Voloshin from NPU told that Head of NPU visited Kharkiv, and he said that Kharkiv NPU should point out people from the rural areas, who will work on RTS topics. Voloshin said that they already desided that there will be 24 people pointed, but they are not planning to give any training for them. It was discussed that KHADI course would be good for them too. In next meeting, we will discuss about the content of the course and see if there is something that needs to be changed. EUAM participants will talk to HQ about the possibility to have second course.

Second topic was a driving course for police officers. Participants said that the problem is that police officers are having a lot of accidents when driving police cars. MoIA University said that they are preparing a course for officers in "extreme driving". It might be a course for trainers who can then deliver driving skills to other officers. EUAM advisers will provide examples from their home countries about content of driving courses that they have to the next wg meeting.

Third topic was Traffic Accident Scene Management Course. Information about that course came from HQ, and EUAM Kharkiv FO advisers will find out if the same kind of a course can be implemented in Kharkiv too. WG will discuss more about that in the next meeting if there is more information available.

Fourth topic was possible cooperation with EIB. This question was raced up this week from EUAM HQ. More information about this possibility will be given in next meeting.

Next WG5 monthly meeting will take place 19.2. In EUAM premises.

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