CUSTOMS OFFICES BETWEEN THE REPUBLIKA SRPSKA KRAJINA AND THE AUTONOMOUS PROVINCE OF WESTERN BOSNIA ON THE OCCUPIED CROATIAN BORDER DURING THE HOMELAND WAR

Between Maljevac and Velika Kladuša, on the border between the Republic of Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina where RSK and APZB were established, trade was carried out without Croatian customs supervision. The transit of persons, vehicles and goods violated the territorial, legal and fiscal sovereignty and the customs system of the Republic of Croatia.

After VRO Oluja, which freed the Croatian borders, the Customs Administration opened a customs office at the Maljevac border crossing, which established the territorial sovereignty of the Republic of Croatia on Kordun.

The resolutions of the United Nations Security Council and the Croatian customs legislation clearly defined the traffic of goods in the UNPA, but from archival material and other sources it can be concluded that the traffic between RSK and APZB across the occupied borders of the Republic of Croatia was in violation of the law.

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