

Penalties for the infringements of the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 561/2006 and Regulation (EU) No 165/2014

Please find information about relevant penalties for each type of infringement described and their level of seriousness.

Level of seriousness for infringements			
MSI = most serious infringements	VSI = very serious infringement	SI = serious infringement	MI = minor infringement

1. Groups of infringements against Regulation (EC) no 561/2006 for SLOVAKIA

Please insert link(-s) to the relevant national legislation for penalties related to infringements against Regulation (EC) 561/2006:

<https://www.slov-lex.sk/pravne-predpisy/SK/ZZ/2007/462/20200101>

EU LEGAL BASIS	TYPE OF INFRINGEMENT	LEVEL OF SERIOUSNESS				Type of penalty		
		Type of penalty				Administrative	Financial	Criminal
		MSI	VSI	SI	MI			
Crew								
Art 5.1	Not respecting minimum ages for conductors			X			From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	

Driving periods

Art. 6.1	Exceed daily driving time of 9h if possibilities to extend to 10h not allowed	9h < ... < 10h				X	From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
		10h ≤ ... < 11h			X		
		11h ≤ ...		X			
	Exceed daily driving time of 9h by 50 % or more	13h30 ≤ ...	X				
	Exceed extended daily driving time of 10h if extension allowed	10h < ... < 11h				X	
		11h ≤ ... < 12h			X		
		12h ≤ ...		X			
	Exceed daily driving time of 10h by 50 % or more	15h ≤ ...	X				
Art. 6.2	Exceed weekly driving time	56h < ... < 60h				X	From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
		60h ≤ ... < 65h			X		
		65h ≤ ... < 70h		X			
	Exceed weekly driving time by	70h ≤ ...	X				

	25 % or more								
Art 6.3	Exceed maximum total driving time during 2 consecutive weeks	90h < ... < 100h				X		From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
		100h ≤ ... < 105h			X				
		105h ≤ ... < 112h30		X					
	Exceed maximum total driving time during 2 consecutive weeks by 25 % or more	112h30 ≤ ...	X						
Art. 6.5	Lacking records for “other work” and “periods of availability”			X			From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies		
Art. 12	Lacking indication of reasons for exceeding driving times in exceptional circumstances	X					From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies		

	of less than 11h if reduced daily rest period not allowed	... < 8h30		X				Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
	Insufficient reduced daily rest period of less than 9h if reduce allowed	8h ≤ ... < 9h				X		From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)	
		7h ≤ ... < 8h			X				
		... < 7h		X				Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
	Insufficient split daily rest period of less than 3h + 9h	3h + [8h ≤ ... < 9h]				X		From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)	
		3h + [7h ≤ ... < 8h]			X				Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
		3h + [... < 7h]		X					
Art 8.5	Insufficient daily rest period of less than 9h for multi-manning	8h ≤ ... < 9h				X		From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)	
		7h ≤ ... < 8h			X				Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
		... < 7h		X					
Art 8.6	Insufficient reduced weekly resting period of less than 24 h	22h ≤ ... < 24h				X		From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)	
		20h ≤ ... < 22h			X				Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
		... < 20h		X					

	Insufficient weekly resting period of less than 45 h if reduced weekly resting period not allowed	42h ≤ ... < 45h				X		From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
		36h ≤ ... < 42h			X				
		... < 36h		X					
Article 8.6	Exceeding 6 consecutive 24-hour periods following the previous weekly rest period	... < 3h				X		From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
		3h ≤ ... < 12h			X				
		12h ≤ ...		X					
Art 8.6	Compensation for two consecutive reduced weekly rest periods not taken <i>en bloc</i> with the following weekly rest period							From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
	Less than two regular weekly rest periods in any four consecutive weeks			X					
Art. 9	Daily rest period interrupted more than twice by other activities or for a period of time exceeding one hour in total			X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	

Art. 9	Weekly rest period interrupted more than twice by other activities or for a period of time exceeding one hour in total			X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
Art. 9	Recording 'rest' for the time spent on ferry or train without having an access to a sleeper cabin, bunk or couchette			X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
12-day rule derogation								
Art. 8.6a.	Exceeding 12 consecutive 24-hour periods following a previous regular weekly rest	... < 3h				X		From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
		3h ≤ ... < 12h			X			
		12h ≤ ...		X				
Art. 8.6a. (b)(ii)	Weekly rest period taken following 12 consecutive 24-hour periods	65h < ... ≤ 67h			X			From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies
		... ≤ 65h		X				
Art. 8.6a. (d)	Driving period, between 22.00 and 6.00, of	3h < ... < 4,5 h			X			From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines
		4,5 h ≤ ...		X				

	more than 3 hours before the break, if the vehicle is not multi-manned								for all types of deficiencies	
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Work organisation

Art. 10.1	Link between wage and distance travelled or amount of goods carried		X						From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
Art. 10.2	No or improper organisation of driver's work, no or improper instructions given to driver enabling him to comply with the law		X						From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
Art. 8.8	Transport undertaking unable to prove the work organisation enabling a driver to return 'home' at least every 4 weeks	X							From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all	

							types of deficiencies		
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2. Groups of infringements against Regulation (EU) No 165/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council (Tachograph) for SLOVAKIA

Please insert link(-s) to the relevant national legislation for penalties related to infringements against Regulation (EU) 165/2014:
<https://www.slov-lex.sk/pravne-predpisy/SK/ZZ/2007/462/20200101>

EU LEGAL BASIS	TYPE OF INFRINGEMENTS	LEVEL OF SERIOUSNESS				Type of penalty		
		MSI	VSI	SI	MI	Administrative	Financial	Criminal

Installation of tachograph

Art. 3.1 and Art. 22.2	Not having type-approved tachograph installed and used (<i>e.g.: not having a tachograph installed by fitters, workshops or vehicle manufacturers approved by the competent authorities of the Member States, using a tachograph without the necessary seals placed or replaced by an approved fitter, workshop or vehicle manufacturer or using</i>	X					<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	
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	<i>a tachograph without the installation plaque)</i>							
Art. 3.4 and 3.4a	Not having a smart tachograph version 2 installed and used by the specified deadlines	X						<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>
Use of tachograph, driver card or record sheet								
Art. 22.5	Removed or broken seal of tachograph not replaced by an approved fitter or workshop within 7 days or by a control officer at the control		X					<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>
Art. 23.1	Using a tachograph not inspected by an approved workshop		X					<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for</p>

							<p>all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	
Art. 27	Driver holding and/or using more than one own driver card		X				<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	
	Driving with a driver card that has been falsified (<i>considered as driving without driver card</i>)	X					<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	
	Driving with a driver card of which the driver is not the holder (<i>considered as driving without driver card</i>)	X					<p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	

	Driving with a driver card which has been obtained on the basis of false declarations and/or forged documents (<i>considered as driving without driver card</i>)	X						
Art. 32.1	Tachograph not correctly functioning (<i>e.g.: tachograph not properly inspected, calibrated and sealed</i>)		X					<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>
Art. 32.1 and Art. 33.1	Tachograph improperly used (<i>e.g.: deliberate, voluntary or imposed misuse, lack of instructions on correct use, etc.</i>)		X					<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>

Art. 32.3	Using a fraudulent device able to modify the records of the tachograph	X					<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	
	Falsifying, concealing, supressing or destroying data recorded on the record sheets or stored and downloaded from the tachograph and/or the driver card	X					<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	
Art. 33.2	Undertaking not keeping record sheets, printouts and downloaded data		X				<p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	

	Recorded and stored data not available for at least a year		X				From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
Art 34.1 and 34.6	Incorrect use of record sheets/driver card		X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
	Unauthorised withdrawal of record sheets or driver card which has an impact on the record of relevant data		X					
	Record sheet or driver card used to cover a period longer than that for which it is intended and data is lost		X					
Art. 34.2	Use dirty or damaged record sheets or drivers card and data not legible		X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
Art. 34.3	Not using manual input when required to do so		X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for	

							all types of deficiencies	
Art. 34.4	Not using correct record sheet or driver card not in the correct slot (multi-manning)			X			From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
Art. 34.5	Incorrect use of switch mechanism		X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
Art. 34.6	Lacking records of symbols of countries where a driver started and finished the daily working period			X			From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
Art. 34.7	Lacking records of symbols of countries whose borders a driver crossed during the daily working period			X			From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
Producing information								
Art. 36	Refusing to be checked		X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)	
Art. 36	Unable to produce		X					

	records of current day and the previous 56 days						Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
	Unable to produce records of the driver card if the driver holds one		X					
Art. 36	Unable to produce manual records and printouts made during the current day and the previous 56 days		X					
Art. 36	Unable to produce a driver card, if the driver holds one		X					
Malfunctioning								
Art. 37.1 and Art. 22.1	Tachograph not repaired by an approved fitter or workshop		X				<p>From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p> <p>From 1 659 EUR to 16 596 EUR (Checks at the premises of undertakings)</p> <p>Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies</p>	

Art. 37.2	Driver not marking all required information for the periods of time, which are no longer recorded while tachograph is unserviceable or malfunctioning		X				From 0 EUR to 330 EUR (Roadside checks) Slovakia has unified amount of fines for all types of deficiencies	
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