

General Licence – Publication Notice

General licence - INT/2025/5886860

OFSI has the power to issue General Licences for country sanctions regimes under the Sanctions and Anti-Money Laundering Act 2018.

On 14 March 2025, OFSI issued General Licence INT/2025/5886860 under regulation 64 of the Russia (Sanctions) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 ("the Russia Regulations") which allows a UK national to purchase petrol from the DP at any petrol station in Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan that is either owned by the DP or sells the DP's petrol, provided that the petrol is for that UK national's personal vehicle.

Any persons intending to use General Licence INT/2025/5886860 should consult the copy of the Licence for full details of the permissions and usage requirements.

For the purposes of General Licence INT/2025/5886860:

The DP means Gazprom Neft or a Subsidiary.

A Personal Vehicle means any vehicle owned or rented by a UK national for the purpose of their personal travel and/or commuting.

A Relevant Institution is:

- A person that has permission under Part 4A of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (permission to carry on regulated activity).
- A person that is authorised or registered under Part 2 of the Payment Services Regulations (SI 2017/752).
- A person that is authorised or registered under Part 2 of the Electronic Money Regulations (SI 2011/99).
- A person that is a "recognised clearing house", "third country central counterparty", "recognised CSD" or "third country CSD" for the purposes of s.285 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000.
- A person that is an operator of a recognised payment system (or that is a service provider in relation to recognised payment systems) for the purposes of Part 5 of the Banking Act 2009.

A Subsidiary means any entity incorporated anywhere in the world owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by Gazprom Neft within the meaning of regulation 7 of the Russia Regulations.

A UK National means a United Kingdom national as defined in S.21(3) of the Sanctions & Anti Money Laundering Act 2018, namely, an individual who is –

an individual who is-

(a) a British citizen, a British overseas territories citizen, a British National (Overseas) or a British

Overseas citizen,

(b) a person who under the British Nationality Act 1981 is a British subject, or

(c) a British protected person within the meaning of that Act.

Under General Licence INT/2025/5886860 and subject to its conditions:

A UK National may purchase petrol from the DP at any petrol station in Kyrgyzstan or Tajikistan that is either owned by the DP or sells the DP's petrol, provided that the petrol is for that UK National's Personal Vehicle.

A UK National, Relevant UK Institution or the DP may undertake any activity reasonably necessary to effect the purchase of petrol in accordance with paragraph 4.1 of General Licence INT/2025/5886860.

On 15 October, the definitions of a DP and a Subsidiary in General Licence INT/2025/5886860 were amended to include PJSC Lukoil Oil Company and PJSC Rosneft Oil Company following their designation by the UK.

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The permissions in General Licence INT/2025/5886860 do not authorise any act which will result in a breach of any part of the Russia Regulations, save as permitted under this licence or other licences granted under the Russia Regulations.

General Licence INT/2025/5886860 takes effect from 14 March 2025 and expires at 23:59 on 15 March 2027.

Office of Financial Sanctions Implementation

HM Treasury