

Národný Inšpektorát Práce (NIP) National Labour Inspectorate

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Organisational structure:

The National Labour Inspectorate - managed by the Director General - is a state administration body acting under the Ministry of Labour, Social Affairs and Family, financed by the state.

The current safety and health system in the Slovak Republic is based mainly on the Act 125/2006 Coll. on Labour Inspection and the Act 82/2005 Coll. on illegal work and illegal employment.

The main seat of the National Labour Inspectorate is situated in Košice. And there are 8 District Labour Inspectorates. According to the administrative division of the country, they are situated in the following cities: Banská Bystrica, Bratislava, Košice, Nitra, Prešov, Trencin, Trnava, Žilina. Moreover, the Slovak Labour Inspectorate has its own Training Center in Malá Lučivná where labour inspectors are trained according to internally agreed training rules.

Areas of the activity:

- labour law;
- health and safety at work;
- labour relations: individual and collective;
- employment: counteracting illegal employment;
- legality of employment / posted workers.

The Agreement

Agreement on Cooperation between the National Labour Inspectorate in the Republic of Poland and the National Labour Inspectorate in the Slovak Republic was signed in Malá Lučivná in September 2019 and it replaced the previous agreement of 2013.

The scope of the agreement covers matters related to:

- posting of workers as part of the provision of services;
- work performed in the countries of the parties on the basis of contracts concluded directly with Slovak or Polish employers and in connection with posting of workers to the territory of countries of the parties through employment agencies;

 cooperation related to the improvement of the structures of labour inspection services of the states of the parties based on the experiences of the partner institution and external initiatives, including projects co-financed from external funds.