
Owner of OAO Chelyabinsk Tube-Rolling Mill and his accomplice charged with commercial bribery



The Main Investigations Directorate of the Russia’s Investigative Committee has pressed charges against actual owner and at the same time member of the board of directors of OAO Chelyabinsk Tube-Rolling Mill (hereinafter the Mill) Andrey Komarov and lawyer Alexander Shibarov, who was a member of the committee of the board of directors. They are charged with the crime under paragraphs “a” and “b” of part 2 of article 204 of the RF Penal Code (commercial bribery).

According to investigators, Promresurs, a federal state unitary enterprise, while inspecting the Mill found violation of the law on preparedness activity, which allowed unfounded benefit of 2 billion rubles. Komarov and Shibarov conspired to give a bribe of 300 thousand US dollars to an official of Promresurs to conceal the fact and forge the documents he made concerning the inspection. Shibarov was detained while giving the bribe, Komarov later. At the investigators’ petition a court

has ruled to place Shibarov into custody, Komarov under house arrest.

At present search and investigating operations are underway to find all the circumstances of the crime.

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