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## TRANSCO BOHEMIA S.R.O.



- > Serving the European market since 1970 (Germany, Switzerland)
- > 1994: Transco Bohemia opens in Decin (later in Prague and Olomouc)
- > Offices open in Kiev in 2005 and in Jekaterinburg in 2010 (operations now suspended at both)



## > 2010: First contact with Kazakh partners

- Open discussion about cooperation opportunities
- > Follow-up visits to Astana and Almaty for meetings with partners, new contacts established
- Good equipment
- Good potential
- > Questions remained



## > 2021: Second visit to Kazakhstan

- > Big changes, more transparency, more open and free trade opportunities
- > We open an office in Astana and start doing business
- > Since then, we have organized a number of transports from the EU to Kazakstan, mainly:
  - industrial units
  - building materials
  - pharma
  - agricultural machines



- > Overall experience doing business in Kazakhstan has been quite good.
- > Everyday challenges are much the same as at the start of any endeavor
  - Staff training / experience
  - Bureaucracy
- > We are in the ports of Aktau and Kuryk (transport via Baku or Georgia)
- > Exploring additional alternative routes for transport