

Ferry Vilnius

1.5 million cigarettes found in Kühlaufliieger. In 15 April 2005 customs officers seized one truck with 23 tons of chicken meat near Kühlaufliieger from Riga, in which around 1.5 million untaxed cheap cigarettes were hidden. The cigarettes were professionally hidden in the ground and the ceiling.

Under a special review – it was on 15 April 2005 in the port Lübecker incoming ferry "Vilnius". A total of 24 customs officers of the Customs Kommissariates Travemünde and control of the Mobile Lübeck were involved in the action. The main focus was the cheap cigarette smuggling in the travel and commercial freight.

Due to customs investigators of the investigation team of the customs port Lübeck Office of Hamburg was given a truck from Estonia selected, the officials appeared suspicious. In the Kühlaufliieger should be 23 tons of chicken meat from Brazil. To determine the precise content to see the trailer for the Customs Containerprüfanlage Hamburg Waltershof spent and illuminates.

The X-ray revealed significant irregularities in the floor and the ceiling of the trailer. Despite the cold and frozen meat was the trailer by customs officials completely discharged. In the ceiling and the floor they were around 1.5 million untaxed cheap cigarettes brand Superkings and Regal noted.

The 43-year-old driver has a stake in the smuggling of cigarettes has not been demonstrated. He is at large.

The injury prevented tax is around EUR 250,000.

- Zöllner control of the Mobile Chemnitz find 200,000 untaxed cigarettes --

Contraband cigarettes and various garden gnomes garden decorations served two Polish citizens (25 and 36 years old) for the camouflage of 200,000 untaxed cigarettes.