

**Regarding the alert dated 17.08.2020 entitled «Investigative Program  
Schemes Targeted with Car Burning»**

17.08.2020 Brovary Police Department of the General Directorate of the National Police in Kyiv region initiated criminal proceedings on the grounds of a criminal offense under Part 2 of Article 28 (Committing a criminal offense by a group of persons, a group of persons by prior conspiracy, organized by a group or criminal organization), Part 2 of Article 194 or damage to property), part three of Article 171 (Obstruction of lawful professional activity of journalists) of the Criminal Code of Ukraine, on the fact of intentional damage by arson in Brovary, Kyiv region, a car program "Schemes".

Three people were reported guilty of committing crimes. A precautionary measure was taken against one of them, in accordance with part two of Article 194, part three of Article 171 of the Criminal Code of Ukraine, the other two were declared wanted in connection with hiding from the investigation (according to part two of Article 194 of the Criminal Code of Ukraine).

On October 20, 2020, the materials of the proceedings against the two suspects, who are hiding from the investigation, were allocated to separate proceedings, in which the pre-trial investigation was suspended due to the search for the suspects.

On November 27, 2020, the pre-trial investigation into a suspect in committing crimes under Part 2 of Article 194, Part 3 of Article 171 of the Criminal Code of Ukraine was completed and the parties to the criminal proceedings were provided with the materials of the pre-trial investigation.

After fulfilling the requirements of Article 290 of the CPC of Ukraine, it is planned to send the indictment and its annexes to the prosecutor for further referral to the court for jurisdiction.

Subject to the provisions of Art. 222 (Inadmissibility of disclosure of information of pre-trial investigation) of the CPC of Ukraine, it is impossible to provide more detailed

information on a condition and results of investigation of the specified criminal proceedings.