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FUIB and Metinvest chief executives recognised among Ukraine's top business leaders in NV study

Serhiy Chernenko, CEO of our bank FUIB, has been named among the top five business leaders in Ukraine, and Yuriy Ryzhenkov, CEO of our steel company Metinvest, has been named the best leader in the industrial sector. The rankings *come from a six-month study by leading Ukrainian independent media outlet NV of the executives maintaining the national economy during russia's war against Ukraine. The results highlight the continued stability, effective planning and essential economic contribution of SCM companies.*

How did our bank FUIB perform in the national rankings?

Serhiy Chernenko, chief executive officer of our bank FUIB, was selected as one of the top five chief executives in Ukraine across all industry categories. The financial sector requires high stability and trust, especially during a war. This high rank demonstrates the reliability of our bank FUIB and its focus on supporting customers and staff during difficult times. The bank remains a central pillar of the financial system in Ukraine, implementing effective risk management and customer support strategies.

Why was our steel company Metinvest recognised in the industrial sector?

Yuriy Ryzhenkov, chief executive officer of our steel company Metinvest, was named the winner of the industry category. The industrial sector faces severe disruption and logistical challenges due to russia's war against Ukraine. Despite these difficult conditions, under his leadership our steel company Metinvest has adapted its supply chains, protected its workforce and maintained critical production levels. This strategic approach helps sustain the national economy and provides essential materials for future recovery.

What was the purpose of the NV management study?

The leading Ukrainian independent media outlet NV, alongside partners Odgers Berndtson Ukraine and Wellbeing Company, conducted a six-month study to find the best business leaders in Ukraine. The research evaluated financial performance, employee satisfaction and management strategies across ten main business sectors. The central aim of the project was to highlight the managers who keep the country going during the war, focusing on those who maintain business continuity and support their workforce.

What do these results mean for SCM companies?

The recognition of leaders from companies that are part of SCM shows that our management approaches are working effectively under pressure. SCM companies are fully committed to Ukraine and its economic future. By maintaining operations, paying national taxes and ensuring employee safety, SCM companies play a vital role in national resilience. We will continue to focus on stability, effective corporate management and the long-term recovery of the Ukrainian economy.