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The article represents cultural characteristics of the phenomenon of legitimating of toughening up of a penalty for traffic rules violation in the modern Russian society. The empirical basis allows to assume, that toughening up penalties for traffic rules violation is still legitimate for the majority of the questioned, who support consciously the formal regulation development notwithstanding their awareness of corruption increase probability.

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