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on the Thesis prepared by 2nd year student of St. Petersburg University Graduate School of Management Student: Egor Lipin

Topic: The Prospects of Electric Vehicles on the Russian Market 38.04.02 "Management" Master program

Student manifestation of autonomy and initiative when	The student has shown initiative in the formulation of the managerial problem, goal and objectives of the
working on the Thesis:	Thesis
	In total, the Thesis was performed by the student
	independently, with active consultation with the
	supervisor
	The student did not provide the initiative while working
	 on the Thesis
The intensity of interaction with	Continuous interaction
the supervisor:	Irregular interaction
	Interaction was close to absent
	Other:
Respecting the schedule of the	Fully compliant
Thesis workflow:	Partially compliant
	Does not match
Timeliness of the final	On the eve of the Thesis defense
submission of the Thesis to the	On the day of the deadline for the Thesis submission
supervisor:	One day before the deadline for the Thesis submission
	Two days before the deadline for the Thesis submission
	Three days or more before the deadline for the Thesis
	submission
The degree of achievement of	Fully achieved
the Thesis goal:	Partially achieved
	Not achieved
Compliance of the Thesis	Fully compliant
content with the requirements:	Partially compliant
	Does not match
Compliance of the Thesis layout	Fully compliant
with the requirements:	Partially compliant
	Does not match

Special Comments:

- The thesis is devoted to a topic that requires an interdisciplinary approach between marketing, consumer behavior and innovation. Egor has managed to execute this combination and investigate diffusion of electric cars on example of Russian market.
- **General Conclusion**: The work by student Egor Lipin <u>meets</u> the requirements for Master diploma thesis in the area of studies 38.04.02 "Management" Master program.

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