

ANNOUNCEMENT

Teresa Patrício & Associados – Sociedade de Advogados SP RL (**TPA**) hereby informs all its clients, suppliers and partners that we have decided, in accordance with our contingency plan, to have all our fee earners and employees working remotely, in social isolation. This is a preventive measure, with a view to assuring the continuity of our activity, and the only measure that will permit the total dedication to our clients, at this extremely challenging time.

In this respect, any visit to our offices should be confirmed beforehand to ensure our availability, and any face-to-face meetings should be limited to those that are strictly necessary. Notwithstanding the above, we are available, as always, to provide our clients with all the legal advice required during this contingency period:

- We are available by telephone during our working hours, from 9h to 19h, Monday to Friday;
- Our usual communications by e-mail are assured;
- Our post is being received and dealt with;
- All pending matters will continue to be accompanied and all activities that are not disrupted by the limitations in terms of personal contact or any limitations deriving from the state of alert of the public and governmental services, will be assured.

Our team is also striving to contribute to keeping our clients informed of all the measures being enacted. We would advise you, if you have not already done so, to register for our newsletters in order to receive updates (<https://www.tpalaw.pt/?newsletter>). You may consult the articles that have already been published on our website (<https://www.tpalaw.pt/destaques/>).

Finally, we would like to appeal to everyone who is reading this to protect themselves, to take all the necessary measures and to abide by the recommendations of the Portuguese Government in relation to this issue. We should all be aware of the need to react, as a country and as a community, to this threat to our health, economy and our way of life.

TPA is, as always, available to assist.