

DECONFINEMENT PLAN – COVID-19

I. GENERAL FRAMEWORK

- On 30 April 2020, the Council of Ministers approved the strategy for the easing of lockdown measures implemented to face the Covid-19 pandemic.
- The Government stressed the importance of a progressive and gradual easing of the lockdown measures and its effects should be continuously assessed.
- For the easing of the lockdown measures to be maintained certain general requirements should be fulfilled, namely the existence and availability on the market of masks and disinfectant gel, regular sanitization of spaces, compliance with the reduced maximum capacity and the suggested physical distance of 2 meters between people.
- The use of masks on public transport, schools, shops and other closed spaces will be mandatory, and a maximum capacity of 5 people per 100 (one hundred) square meters is set.

II. ADOPTED MEASURES

General Rules

- Containment will remain mandatory for sick people and those under active surveillance.
- The civic duty to stay at home will also continue in effect, with the prohibition of events or gatherings with more than 10 (ten) people.
- From 4 May 2020, funerals may be attended by family members.
- Regarding religious ceremonies, the rules will be established at the end of May in coordination between the General Health Directorate and the respective religious confessions.



Public Transport

- From 4 May 2020, public transport will be able to circulate with a maximum of 2/3 (two thirds) of its total capacity, being mandatory the use of mask.

Labour

- The labour activity shall continue to be carried out by teleworking wherever possible.
- From 1 June 2020, labour activity may be carried out on a partial teleworking basis, with teams with different hours of service.

Public Services

- From 4 May 2020, Public Services namely Tax and Registry offices may open, only by appointment.
- From 1 June 2020, the public services centres “*Lojas do Cidadão*” will open.

Trade and Restaurants

- From 4 May 2020, shops with open doors to the street (with an area of up to 200 square metres), bookstores and car shops, and establishments providing personal hygiene services, namely hairdressers, barbers, manicures, pedicures and similar (by appointment only) may restart their activity.
- From 18 May 2020, shops with open doors to the street (with an area up to 400 square meters or parts of shops up to 400 square meters - or larger by decision of the City Council), restaurants, cafes and pastries (with 50% of the total capacity) and esplanades may restart their activity.
- Stores with an area of more than 400 square meters and stores inserted in shopping centres will be able to restart their activity from 1 June 2020.

Schools and Social Equipment

- Schools for the 11th and 12th grades, will be open from 10am to 5pm, day nurseries (with the option of family support), and social facilities in the area of disability will reopen from 18 May 2020.
- Nurseries, preschools and after school facilities (“ATLs”) will reopen on 1 June 2020.

Culture

- The libraries and archives will reopen to the public on 4 May 2020. The museums, monuments and palaces, art galleries, exhibition halls and the like will reopen on 18 May 2020.
- The cinemas, theatres, concert halls, auditoriums (although with marked seats, reduced capacity and physical distance)

will reopen from 1 June 2020.

Sports

- From 4 May 2020, it is allowed to practice individual sports in open air (without the use of swimming pools).
- At the end of May 2020 the competitions of the first football league and the Portuguese Cup will resume.

III. POSSIBILITY OF ADAPTATION

- The timeline of the strategy for easing the lockdown measures contains a period of 15-day period between each phase to review the effects of each set of measures and the evolution of the pandemic.

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