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ANGOLA

Coronavirus: Extension and changes to the state of emergency

The extension of the State of Emergency in Angola was decreed by Presidential Decree 95/20, of 11 April 2020 and will remain in force until 25 April 2020.

In general, the measures previously established, which we have already addressed in a separate [newsletter](#), were renewed. However, the renewal of the State of Emergency has led to some changes in relation to the previous rules, these are the most important of them:

- i) Credentials have been made mandatory and employers must issue a statement identifying the employee's work framework, which must be presented with the work pass;
- ii) The interprovincial cordon sanitaire is raised for the purpose of returning home;
- iii) Ministries and provincial authorities are open from 8:00 to 13:00;
- iv) The BNA, tax offices and insurance offices remain open, but they are subject to the opening hours provided for in the previous point;
- v) Pregnant women or women caring for children under 12 are no longer considered particularly vulnerable citizens;
- vi) Establishments that are allowed to operate will remain open between 8:00 and 16:00;
- vii) Markets and itinerant sales, operating exclusively for the sale of essential goods, will now operate only on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, between 6:00 and 13:00;
- viii) Maritime travel for leisure is suspended. ■

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