



OIL & GAS

Technical Regulation of the Oil and Gas Operators' Annual Work Program and Budget approved

To standardize the preparation of Work Programs and Budgets by the companies associated with the National Oil, Gas and Biofuels Agency (*Agência Nacional de Petróleo, Gás e Biocombustíveis* ("ANPG")), the Regulation has been approved. The regulation establishes guiding principles and minimum information requirements that oil operators must comply with when preparing and submitting their annual Work Program and Budget to ANPG, as well as the criteria for analysis, execution, and review of such programs. Executive Decree No. 723/25, of 21 October 2025, entered into

force on the date of its publication, granting operators a maximum period of 120 days to adjust their processes and procedures in accordance with its provisions.

MARITIME

[Accession to the LOAD LINES 1966 and SOLAS 1974 Conventions](#)

Angola acceded, through Letter of Accession No. 8/25, of 12 September 2025, to the International Convention on Load Lines (LOAD LINES 1966), adopted by the International Maritime Organization (IMO). This convention establishes uniform rules for determining ship loading limits to prevent overloading and ensure the safety of human life at sea, the protection of cargo, and the integrity of vessels.

Similarly, through Letter of Accession No. 9/25, of 12 September 2025, Angola acceded to the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS 1974) and its 1978 Protocol. These instruments set minimum requirements for the construction, equipment, and operation of ships, ensuring that flag States guarantee compliance with these standards.

AIRPORT

[Airport Tariffs Regulation repealed](#)

Given that the National Civil Aviation Authority ("ANAC") is currently the competent entity for regulating and organizing the operation of airport infrastructure, as well as supervising economic operators in the aviation sector, Joint Executive Decree No. 15/25, of 11 September 2025, was

approved. This instrument repeals Joint Executive Decree No. 494/15, of 24 July 2025, which had established the Regulation on Airport Tariffs charged by the former National Airport and Air Navigation Operating Company – Public Company (“ENANA-EP”).

PUBLIC INVESTMENT

[Rules and Procedures for the Public Investment Program approved](#)

Presidential Decree No. 194/25, of 21 October 2025, establishes the rules and procedures for the preparation, approval, execution, monitoring, and evaluation of the Public Investment Program ("PIP"). The decree introduces an integrated, results-oriented approach that addresses the country's development priorities, aligned with the strategic priorities of the National Development Plan, promoting efficiency, transparency, and sustainability in the use of public resources. This statute came into force on publication and repealed Presidential Decree No. 31/10, of 12 April 2010, Presidential Decree No. 213/13, of 13 December 2013, and Executive Decree No. 471/15, of 20 July 2015.

TOURISM

[New Legislative Framework for the Tourism Sector approved](#)

As part of the development of the national tourism sector, a new legislative package has been published, comprising the following measures:

- Presidential Decree No. 179/25, of 10 October 2025, approved the Measures for Tourism Communication ("Comunica Turismo 2025–

2027") as a guiding instrument for Angola's tourism communication strategy, aimed at promoting the country efficiently, innovatively, and sustainably. This decree repeals Presidential Decree No. 203/14, of 14 August 2025;

- Presidential Decree No. 187/25, of 13 October 2025, approved the Measures for Training and Capacity Building in the Tourism Sector ("Capacita Turismo 2025–2027"), designed to enhance professional qualifications in hospitality, accommodation, catering, and tourism services—key elements to consolidate Angola as a leading tourist destination;
- Presidential Decree No. 188/25, of 13 October 2025, approved the Measures for the Reclassification of Tourist Developments ("Reclassifica Turismo 2025–2027"), aimed at ensuring a high-quality tourism offering that meets competitive market demands through improved services and higher standards of customer care in tourism establishments; and
- Presidential Decree No. 190/25, of 16 October 2025, approved the Tourism Planning Measures ("Planifica Turismo 2025–2027"), setting guidelines for the identification and development of areas with tourism potential, through specific land-use planning instruments designed to attract investment and enable projects in Areas of Interest and Tourism Potential.

ENVIRONMENT

Regulation on Single-Use Plastic Products and Materials approved

To create conditions for implementing measures that discourage the use of single-use plastics and reduce their negative environmental impact, Presidential Decree No. 170/25, of 22 September 2025, has been approved. This decree establishes the Regulation on the Production, Import, Marketing, and Use of Single-Use Plastic Products and Materials, applicable to all disposable plastic products and materials produced, imported, marketed, and consumed within the national territory. The new regime excludes certain products and materials resulting from activities in specific sectors, namely oil and gas, construction, agriculture, and health. Presidential Decree No. 170/25 entered into force on the date of its publication.

INSURANCE

Legal Framework for Microinsurance Activity approved

Through Regulatory Standard No. 9/25, of 18 September 2025, the Angolan Insurance Regulation and Supervision Agency (*Agência Angolana de Regulação e Supervisão de Seguros* ("ARSEG")) established the legal framework applicable to microinsurance activities. The regulation applies to both microinsurance companies and insurance companies authorized to operate microinsurance as a business segment, setting out the conditions for access and operation of this activity, along with the applicable

accounting rules. This Regulatory Standard came into force on the date of its publication and stipulates that all insurers offering microinsurance products without ARSEG authorization must formalize their operations within six (6) months.

BANKING

New Rules for Resolution Fund Contributions

To establish the methodology and calculation criteria for determining initial, periodic, and extraordinary contributions by banking institutions to the Resolution Fund, the National Bank of Angola (“BNA”) approved Notice No. 5/25, of 10 September 2025. This instrument entered into force on the date of its publication.

Interest Rates updated

Directive No. 09/2025, of 30 September 2025, issued by the National Bank of Angola (BNA), set the following interest rates: (i) Basic Interest Rate of the BNA (BNA Rate): 19% *per annum*; (ii) Interest Rate for the Permanent Liquidity Provision Facility (FCL): 20% *per annum*; and (iii) Interest Rate for the Liquidity Absorption Facility (FAL): 17% *per annum*. This BNA instrument came into effect on the date of its publication.

LABOR

Implementation Regulation of the "Youth and Good Jobs Opportunities" Program approved

To implement support measures for youth aimed at improving employment, productivity, income, and professional experience, in compliance with the commitments undertaken by the Government under the National Employment Agenda, the Implementation Regulation of the Youth and Good Jobs Opportunities Program (*Programa Jovens e Oportunidades de Bons Empregos* ("JOBE-Angola")) has been enacted. Executive Decree No. 711/25, of 3 October 2025, took effect on the date of its publication.

BUDGET

General Public Funds Regime approved

Law No. 11/25, of 2 October 2025, has been published, approving the General Public Funds Regime and establishing a new legal and regulatory framework within the scope of State Reform. Its purpose is to ensure the financial self-sustainability of Public Funds through an investment and market-based approach, reinforcing the State's role in promoting sectors that drive economic growth. The statute provides for the creation of transversal funds in four areas: (i) economic and productive development; (ii) investment, savings, and macro-fiscal stabilization; (iii) social or welfare; and (iv) infrastructure. Law No. 11/25 entered into force on the date of its publication, revoking and amending several statutes.

Rules for Allocation of Port, Railway, Airport, and Road Concession Fees amended

To provide financial resources to the newly created Social Fund for Employees and Workers in the Transport Sector ("FSTT"), Presidential Order No. 268/25, of 14 October 2025, was recently published. This order amends Presidential Order No. 134/22, of 1 June 2022, regarding the allocation of fees from port, railway, airport, and road concessions, aiming to ensure social support and improve working conditions and assistance for workers in the transport and logistics sector.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Coding System for Territorial Units approved

To standardize, harmonize, and update the coding of territorial units in line with the new administrative organization established by the Political-Administrative Division Law, Law No. 8/25, of 16 September 2025, has been published. This law defines the codification of the country, provinces, municipalities, and communes, as well as the criteria for their standardization, harmonization and updating. Its purpose is to facilitate communication and data exchange between national and international systems and organizations, ensuring integrated territorial management. This statute entered into force on the date of its publication and repeals Law No. 8/16, of 15 June 2016.

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