

## LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

Official Gazette no. 15 (4053) of 17.01.2012

### 1. LAWS, DECISIONS OF THE PARLIAMENT, DECREES OF THE PRESIDENT

#### 1.1. LAW NO. 264 OF 19.12.2011 ON AMENDMENT AND COMPLETION OF THE LAW NO. 54 OF 31.03.2011 ON THE STATE SOCIAL SECURITY BUDGET FOR THE YEAR 2011

The law adjusted the provisions of the law no. 54 dated 31.03.2011 to the end-of-the-year results of the execution of the social security budget for the year 2011.

#### 1.2. LAW NO. 270 OF 23.12.2011 ON THE STATE SOCIAL SECURITY BUDGET FOR THE YEAR 2012

The law approved the state social security budget for the year 2012 (in the amount of almost 10 billion MDL), as well as the scales of the social security contributions for the different types of taxpayers. The social security contributions for employers have been set at the level of 23% from the salary fund. For the advocates and notaries the amount has been set forth as a lump-sum annual contribution amounting MDL 4704 payable monthly in amount of 1/12 (MDL 392) of annual amount.

#### 1.3. LAW NO. 271 OF 23.12.2011 ON THE COMPULSORY MEDICAL INSURANCE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR 2012

The law approved the budget of the compulsory medical insurance fund for the year 2012 (incomes and expenses in the amount of almost 4 billion MDL), as well as the scales of the compulsory medical insurance payments for the different types of payers. The standard compulsory medical insurance payment for employers have been set at the level of 7% (3,5% retained by employer, 3,5% paid by employee). For the advocates and notaries the amount has been set forth as a lump-sum annual payment amounting MDL 2982.

### 2. DECISIONS OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COURT

#### 2.1. DECISION NO. 7 OF 30.12.2011 ON THE TERMINATION OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF CONSTITUTIONAL CONTROL OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS CONCERNING DISCONNECTION FROM CENTRALIZED HEATING SYSTEMS

Through its decision the Constitutional Court (CC) refused to accept for constitutional control the claim no. 33a/2011 invoking unconstitutionality of a number of provisions of the Decision of the Government of the Republic of Moldova no. 191 of 19.02.2002 as amended through the Decision no. 707 of 20.09.2011. The CC justified its decision by the argument that the authors of the claim did not challenged to CC the provisions of the laws used by the Government of Moldova to enact the challenged decisions.

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### 3. DECISIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT

3.1. DECISION NO. 19 OF 11.01.2012 ON AMENDMENT AND COMPLETION OF THE REGULATION ON PROVISION OF EXEMPTIONS FROM VAT PAYMENTS

The Decision amended and completed the foregoing Regulation, to allow the possibility of sending the request for bids directly, without publishing them in the Official Gazette.

3.2. DECISION NO. 28 OF 13.01.2012 ON AMENDMENT AND COMPLETION OF THE REGULATION ON ACQUISITION OF GOODS AND SERVICES THROUGH REQUEST OF BIDS, AS ENACTED THROUGH THE DECISION NO. 245 OF 04.03.2008

The Decision amended and completed the foregoing Regulation, to detail the requirements to be met by beneficiaries to get VAT exemption.

3.3. DECISION NO. 29 OF 13.01.2012 ON AMENDMENT AND COMPLETION OF THE DECISION NO. 197 OF 12.03.2001

The Decision amended and completed the foregoing Regulation, to detail the requirements and procedures for obtaining or losing the citizenship of the Republic of Moldova.

### 4. DECISIONS OF THE MINISTRIES AND OTHER CENTRAL PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AUTHORITIES

4.1. DECISION OF THE NATIONAL AGENCY FOR REGULATION IN ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS NO. 01 OF 10.01.2012 ON APPROVAL OF ACTION PLAN TO IMPLEMENT THE "CLOSED" FORMAT OF PHONE NUMBERS OF "2" NUMBER LINE

The ordinance approved the timeframe to implement, until 01.08.2012, the "closed" format of the phone numbers of "2" number line.

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