

## LEGAL UPDATE - NOVEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup> - 22<sup>ND</sup>, 2015

**INS Order no. 501/2015 on Intrastat thresholds for collecting statistical information on intra-Community trade with goods in 2016**, entered into force on November 18<sup>th</sup> 2015. We mention below some of the issues covered:

- Shall be approved the following Intrastat thresholds for 2016: 900.000 RON for dispatches of intra-Community goods and respectively, 500.000 RON for insertion of intra-Community goods;
- Economic operators who during 2015 were exchanging goods with Member States of the European Union, whose annual value, separately for the two flows, shipments, and respectively, insertion of goods, exceeds the Intrastat thresholds established, must complete and submit to the National Institute of Statistics the Intrastat statements starting with January, 2016;
- During 2016 may become Intrastat data providers and other operators carrying out intra-Community trade of goods which the aggregate value at the beginning of the year exceeds the thresholds Intrastat for 2016.

**ASF Rule no. 20/2015 amending and supplementing the Financial Supervisory Authority Norm no. 7/2013 regarding the form and the terms contained in the contract of compulsory home insurance contract against earthquakes, landslides and floods**, entered into force on November 19<sup>th</sup> 2015. We mention below some of the issues covered:

- The meaning of insured has been amended in the direction in which, the policyholder is a natural or legal person holding the ownership of the housing which is the subject of PAD;
- Art. 3 (1) shall be amended in the direction in which, it is considered dwellings including the annexes of buildings for permanent or temporary habitation;
- At Art. 7 shall be entered 3 new paragraphs, which regulates the form to check the conclusion of PAD by the insurer, as well as the situation in which the policyholder may not submit PAD at the conclusion of an optional home insurance contract;
- It is inserted Art. 17<sup>1</sup>, which regulates the situations in which PAID may carry out a risk inspection in order to establish the technical condition of the dwelling to be ensured.

**MMFPSPV Order no. 2190/2015 amending the Ministry of Labour, Family, Social Protection and Elderly Order No. 713/2013 approving the List of Romanian standards which adopt the European harmonized standards of equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres**, entered into force on November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015. The Order approves the List of Romanian standards which adopt the European harmonized standards of equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres, on the list published in the Official Journal of the European Union, C Series, no. 335 of October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2015, provided for in the Annex which forms an integral part of the Order.