

**DELIBERATION No. 59 OF THE STATISTICAL COUNCIL**  
**UPDATE ON THE COMPOSITION OF THE STANDING AND AD-HOC SECTIONS OF THE**  
**STATISTICAL COUNCIL - 2020**

Whereas the operating structure of the Statistical Council (hereinafter referred to as the Council) currently in place was approved through Deliberation no. 27 in July 2012;

Whereas, in June 2017, the Ad-hoc Section for Monitoring the Censuses 2021 was created by Deliberation no. 46 of the Council;

Considering the need to adjust the composition of the Standing and Ad-hoc Sections to the organic structure of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Constitutional Government, specifically the designation of representations of the Government and other Public Administration bodies, but also the new members that join the Council's mandate for the 2020-2022 triennium as personalities of recognised reputation, scientific merit and independence, and the university professors in the area of statistical and econometric methods designated by the Council of Rectors of Portuguese Universities;

The Council, under the terms of paragraph 1 of Article 15 of Law no. 22/2008 of 13 May 2008 and in accordance with Articles 6, 7 and 8 of the Rules of Procedure, at the plenary meeting of 11 December 2020, **decided to update the composition of the Standing and Ad-hoc Sections that are part of its structure, as set out in Deliberations No. 46 and 47 of the Council**, under the following terms:

**I. STANDING SECTION ON STATISTICAL CONFIDENTIALITY**

**- Permanent members:**

- Portuguese Data Protection Authority
- Statistics Portugal
- Banco de Portugal
- Regional Statistical Office of Azores and Regional Directorate of Statistics of Madeira, except in the case of the powers set forth in paragraph 2 (b) and (c) (Deliberation no. 27 of the Council, Annex A), in which case participation will only occur when falling within its scope of action
- Entities with delegated powers, except in the case of the powers set forth in paragraph 2 (b) and (c) (Deliberation no. 27 of the Council), in which case participation will only occur when falling within its scope of action
- Government representation in the field of economy and digital transition
- CIP - Confederation of Portuguese Business
- Portuguese Consumer Protection Association

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- Anabela Veloso (appointed by the Council of Portuguese University Rectors)
- The following **may also participate** in Section meetings:
  - Other members of the Council related to each application for release of Statistical Confidentiality;
  - Experts and specialists in matters related to Statistical Confidentiality.

## II. STANDING SECTION OF STATISTICAL COORDINATION:

- **Permanent members:**
  - Statistics Portugal
  - Banco de Portugal
  - Regional Statistical Office of Azores
  - Regional Directorate of Statistics of Madeira
  - Entities with powers delegated by Statistics Portugal
  - Presidency of Council of Ministers
  - Government representation in the field of economy and digital transition
  - Government representation in the field of finances
  - Government representation in the field of health
  - Government representation in the field of agriculture
  - Employers' confederations (one representative to be appointed by agreement between the confederations represented in the Council)
  - Central trade union organisations (one representative to be appointed by agreement between the organisations represented in the Council)
- **For the exercise of the competence under paragraph 2(l)** (Deliberation no. 27 of the Council, Annex B), the Section shall be composed of
  - Portuguese Data Protection Authority;
  - Entities whose areas of activity are covered by the diploma under analysis if they are represented on the Council.

## III. STANDING SECTION OF ECONOMIC STATISTICS:

- Statistics Portugal
- Banco de Portugal
- Regional Statistical Office of Azores
- Regional Directorate of Statistics of Madeira
- Entities with delegated powers in statistical areas falling within the scope of action of the Section
- Presidency of Council of Ministers
- Government representation in the field of economy and digital transition
- Government representation in the field of finances
- Government representation in the field of agriculture

- Confederation of Portuguese Farmers
- CIP – Confederation of Portuguese Business
- Confederation of Trade and Services of Portugal
- Portuguese Confederation of Tourism
- General Confederation of Portuguese Workers
- Workers' General Union
- José Cadima Ribeiro
- Francesco Franco

#### IV. **STANDING SECTION OF SOCIAL STATISTICS:**

- Statistics Portugal
- Banco de Portugal
- Regional Statistical Office of Azores
- Regional Directorate of Statistics of Madeira
- Entities with delegated powers in statistical areas falling within the scope of action of the Section
- Portuguese Data Protection Authority
- Presidency of Council of Ministers
- Government representation in the field of economy and digital transition
- Government representation in the field of finances
- Government representation in the field of health
- General Confederation of Portuguese Workers
- Workers' General Union
- Employers' confederations (one representative to be appointed by agreement between the confederations represented in the Council)
- Portuguese Consumer Protection Association
- Patrícia Durães Ávila (appointed by the Council of Portuguese University Rectors)
- Maria João Valente Rosa
- José António Pereirinha
- Pedro Miguel Magalhães

#### V. **STANDING SECTION OF TERRITORIAL STATISTICS:**

##### - **Permanent members:**

##### - **Represented at the Council:**

- Statistics Portugal
- Regional Statistical Office of Azores
- Regional Directorate of Statistics of Madeira
- Entities with delegated powers by Statistics Portugal
- Presidency of Council of Ministers
- Government representation in the field of economy and digital transition

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- Government representation in the field of finances
- Government representation in the field of agriculture
- National Association of Portuguese Municipalities
- Employers' confederations (one representative to be appointed by agreement between the confederations represented in the Council)
- Central trade union organisations (one representative to be appointed by agreement between the organisations represented in the Council)
- José Cadima Ribeiro
- **Other representants in a permanent basis:**
  - Agency for Development and Cohesion
  - Regional Coordination and Development Commissions
  - Directorate-General for Territory
  - Directorate-General of Local Government
  - National Association of Communes
- Área Metropolitana de Lisboa and Área Metropolitana do Porto **will be invited** to participate in the activities carried out by the Section, in cases where the issues under analysis so justify.

### VI. AD-HOC SECTION FOR MONITORING THE 2011 CENSUSES:

- **Permanent members:**
  - **Represented in the Council**
    - Statistics Portugal
    - Regional Statistical Office of Azores
    - Regional Directorate of Statistics of Madeira
    - Portuguese Data Protection Authority
    - Presidency of Council of Ministers
    - National Association of Portuguese Municipalities
    - CIP – Confederation of Portuguese Business
    - General Confederation of Portuguese Workers
    - Workers' General Union
    - Portuguese Consumer Protection Association
    - Maria João Valente Rosa
    - José Cadima Ribeiro
    - José António Correia Pereirinha
    - Pedro Miguel Magalhães
  - **Invited entity:**
    - National Association of Communes
- **Non Permanent members**

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- To collaborate in the preparation of Censuses 2021, public entities without representation on the Council may be called to participate in the work of the Section, according to their areas of competence.
- For the analysis of specific matters, relevance and technicality, the collaboration and technical-scientific support of specialised entities or experts may be requested.

This Deliberation shall take effect from 11 December 2020 and revokes Deliberation no. 47 of the Council.

Lisbon, 11 December 2020

The Vice-Chairman of the Statistical Council, *Francisco Lima*

The Executive Secretary of the Statistical Council, *Maria da Graça Fernandes Caeiro Bento*