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Statistics Portugal presents the 2008 estimated data of the Main Aggregates of General Government transmitted to Eurostat according to the ESA95<sup>1</sup> transmition programme.

The data is consistent with the first Excessive Deficit Procedure notification of 2009. The table below presents a summary of the non-financial general government accounts.

The general government accounts are compiling according to the concepts and definitions of ESA95, complemented with the guidance of the Manual on government deficit and debt (MDD)<sup>2</sup> and Eurostat recommendations and Decisions. For some treatments it is also taking into account specific advices from Eurostat following member states consultations.

The detailed data is available in Statistics Portugal website.

## MAIN AGGREGATES OF GENERAL GOVERNMENT- ESTIMATED DATA

TIME: 2008 Unit: Millions of euros Local and General Central Social security Regional **Transaction** Government Government funds Transaction label code Government S13 S1311 S1313 S1314 TF Total general government expenditure 50.237 27.103 76.335 10.243 TR Total general government revenue 71.872 10.104 28.347 44.670 Net lending (+)/Net borrowing (-) **B.9** (National accounts balance) -5.568 1.244 -4.463 -140 Memorandum item: **EDP-B.9** Net lending (+)/Net borrowing (-) under the EDP (a)*-5.445* -4 347 -140 1.244

## Footnote:

(a) According to Commission Regulation (EC) N°. 351/2002, amending Council Regulation (EQ) N°. 3605/93 as regards references to ESA 95, the classification of interest flows under swap contracts and forward rate agreements (FRAs) has a specific treatment for the data transmitted under the excessive deficit procedure. This approached has impact in the difference between the Balance Net lending (+)/Net borrowing (-) according the European System of National and Regional Accounts (ESA95) – B.9 and the balance under the excessive deficit procedure EDP-B.9.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 2223/96, of 25 June 1996, on the European system of national and regional accounts in the Community.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This document can be found in (<a href="http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/cache/ITY\_OFFPUB/KS-42-02-585/EN/KS-42-02-585-EN.PDF">http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/cache/ITY\_OFFPUB/KS-42-02-585/EN/KS-42-02-585-EN.PDF</a>). Excessive Deficit Procedure –March 2009