



CONSULAR SECTION OF THE EMBASSY
OF PORTUGAL IN THE HAGUE

DECLARATION

To whom it may concern,

The Consular Section of the Embassy of Portugal in The Hague informs that in the context of the epidemiological situation of the new Coronavirus (COVID-19), the Portuguese Government approved exceptional and temporary measures regarding the validity of Portuguese documents, according to the Decree-Law no. 10-A/2020, 13 March 2020. On October 14th a new *Communiqué* of the Portuguese Council of Ministers has extended these measures once again.

As a result, citizen's identity cards ("*Cartão do Cidadão*"), certificates issued by the registration and civil identification services, driving licenses, as well as travel documents and visas related to the stay in the national territory, whose validity has expired after February 24th 2020 **are accepted in the same terms, until March 31st 2021.**

The above-mentioned information has been communicated to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, to be forwarded to the relevant and concerned Dutch authorities, both at national and local level.

The Hague, October 15, 2020

The Ambassador

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