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## Tax & Legal

- Emergency Ordinance no 230 of December 30th 2008 prohibits salaried citizens of the country to receive Government pensions when receiving supplementary incomes from labor activities (Source: Romanian Official Monitor).
- Decision no 101 dated December 29th 2008 the National Surveillance Authority of Processing Personal Data may authorize processing of personal data related to health conditions without the prior consent of the citizens. (Source: Romanian Official Monitor);
- Order no 23 dated January 2009 outlines the guidelines for the adjustment of the monthly amount granted as gift vouchers or nursery vouchers to 350 RON for the first quarter of the year(Source: Romanian Official Monitor);
- Law no 298/2008 requires public communication providers to supply the authorities with traffic and related data for the identification and tracking of natural and legal persons in order to prevent criminal intent and terrorism. The law is applicable starting March 15th 2009 and the data will be kept for the interval of 6 months(Source: Romanian Official Monitor);
- Emergency Ordinance no 226 of December 31st 2008 sets the increase of social contributions in 2009 for health insurances, pensions as well as unemployment, work accidents and labour diseases insurances(Source: Romanian Official Monitor).

## Politics and Economics

- \* Circular Letter no 1/05.01.2009 announced that the interest rate of National Bank of Romania for January is 10, 25% per year (Source: Romanian Official Monitor).

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