

International Trade and Customs Practice Group Newsletter



Amendment to the Agreement of suspension of deadlines, Ministry of Economy

On May 29, 2020, the "Agreement that modifies the diverse by which terms are suspended for the Ministry of the Economy and administrative measures are established to contain the propagation of COVID-19" was published in the Mexican Official Gazette.

It should be noted that in accordance with the Transitory Articles of said provision, this Agreement shall be in force until June 15th of 2020. However, such term may be shortened depending on the geographical area in which the Agreement is being applied, if the health authority so determines.

Through the above-mentioned Agreement and regarding the procedures on unfair international trade practices, it is restated that the legal terms and deadlines will run normally, pointing out that all the acts in these procedures will continue to be carried out electronically, forbidding the filing of promotions personally at the Ministry's facilities.

In addition, the Agreement establishes that the obligations to provide information to the Unit for National Content and Promotion of Production Chains and Investment in the Energy Sector that expire during the months of April, May and June may be filed within 30 calendar days of the end of this Agreement.

Likewise, the above-mentioned Agreement provides that for the verification of construction and projects in accordance with the Mining Law, the information to be submitted to the Ministry of the Economy can be delivered within 30 calendar days of the expiration of the Agreement.

It should be noted that the suspension of the aforementioned deadlines only operates for certain procedures or formalities, so it is suggested to analyze each case individually and thus determine the possible application or non-application of the Agreement.

For such purpose, our Foreign Trade and Customs practice is at your service to provide any advisory support required.

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We are at your service for any further questions or clarifications you may require in relation to this document.

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