



**Reformas estructurales en Portugal: ¿qué podemos aprender para
España?**

Administraciones Públicas y Justicia

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Memorandum of Economic and Financial Policies (May 17, 2011)

- Streamlining the Public Sector
- Enhancing Competitiveness through Structural Reforms



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 - Restructuring program of public administration (June 2012)
 - Control of creation of new public or quasi-public entities (July 2012)
 - Reorganization of local government, reducing the 308 municipalities and 4259 parishes (July 2012)



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- Structural Reforms: More Competition
 - Foster competition in the non-tradable sector; elimination of golden shares (July 2011, DONE)
 - Reregulation of certain sectors to eliminate the scope for rent-seeking behavior (March 2012)
 - Reduce the number of regulated professions (March 2012)
 - New competition law (March 2012)



Memorandum of Economic and Financial Policies (May 17, 2011)

- Structural Reforms: Judicial Reforms
 - New judicial district map (December 2012)
 - Eliminate court backlogs (June 2013)
 - New civil procedure regime (December 2011)
 - New sustainable and transparent budget (December 2011)
 - New law of alternative dispute resolution mechanisms (September 2011)



Memorandum of Economic and Financial Policies – First Update (September 1, 2011)

- Some delays
- Some changes



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- Streamlining the Public Sector
 - Reduction of 15% senior positions in the central administration (October 2011, DONE)
 - New law of local administration (December 2011)
 - Reorganization of local government, reducing the 308 municipalities and 4259 parishes: delayed, abandoned?



Memorandum of Economic and Financial - First Update (September 1, 2011)

- Structural Reforms: More Competition
 - A draft of new competition law making it autonomous of administrative law and harmonizing with EU (should be effective April 2012) .
 - Review of regulatory authorities to enhance independence and accountability (report by March 2012; effective by June 2012)



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- Structural Reforms: Judicial Reforms
 - New judicial district map: unclear now (December 2012)
 - New Court on Competition Law and IP (December 2011)
 - Reform of Code of Civil Procedure: delayed
 - Preparing a new judicial budget (January 2012)
 - Audit of backlog to assess elimination (October 2011, DONE)
 - New law of ADRs (February 2012)
 - Other efficiency improvements of the court system: delayed