

Emergency Ordinance no. 193/2002 on the introduction of modern payment systems amended starting with 01.01.2026 by Law no. 239/2025 on the establishment of measures for the recovery and efficiency of public resources and for the amendment and completion of some normative acts

Natural or legal persons registered with the Trade Register and for the modification and completion of other normative acts affecting the registration in the Trade Register, with subsequent amendments and completions, have the obligation to accept payments made also through modern means of payment.

Entities that perform all payment and collection operations exclusively through accounts opened with credit institutions are not obliged to accept payments made through modern means of payment.

The economic operators, public institutions and legal entities provided for in art. 1 of the Emergency Ordinance no. 193/2002 on the introduction of modern payment systems, will take the necessary measures to install payment terminals and to allow the provision of the necessary infrastructure for the acceptance of payment operations carried out through modern means of payment, having the possibility to choose their accepting institution.

Note: The aspects mentioned in this newsletter do not represent specialized advice, but general information. For further details, please contact us.

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