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## Merger control Mozambique – temporary exemption from *gun jumping* fines by the CRA

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The Competition Regulatory Authority (CRA) has announced a six-month exemption from *gun jumping* fines for mergers subject to mandatory filing and implemented without prior clearance if they are now notified to the CRA.

Private and public sector companies have until 06 July 2025 to voluntarily report to the CRA transactions carried out up to 31 December 2024 subject to mandatory filing but implemented without prior clearance;

Companies that decide to notify the relevant transactions will be exempted from the penalties provided for in the Mozambican Competition Act, including fines;

After the deadline, companies that remain non-compliant are subject to *ex officio* investigations by the CRA and to the application of fines of up to 5% of the annual consolidated turnover of the companies involved.

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