

## **MdME strengthens its commitment to the Portuguese market**

MdME is proud to announce to its clients and partners the strengthening of our presence in the Portuguese market, with the opening of our new premises at the heart of Lisbon's central business district, in Rua Barata Salgueiro.

Our Lisbon team is comprised of well-established lawyers, recruited from some of the main portuguese law firms, and will be led by Partner José Leitão.

The Lisbon office advises corporate clients operating in Portugal in the fields of finance, investment funds, technology, construction, environment and renewable energies. The firm will also be assisting lusophone investment into China.

*“With this reinforcement of our presence in Lisbon, MdME is setting out to become the leading firm in the assistance to Chinese capital in Portugal, as well as in the support to lusophone investment in China.”*, as expressed by Rui Pinto Proença, Managing Partner of MdME.

*“We have a deep knowledge of the legal and economic realities of Greater China, gathered over more than 15 years advising corporate clients in some of the largest transactions in the region, as well as in key Chinese capital investments in Portugal, which we believe provides a unique value proposition at an international level”*, as explained by the Managing Partner.

With this movement, MdME becomes the only law firm with presence in both Special Administrative Regions of China and in Portugal, with a headcount of more than 35 lawyers and 70 professionals operating in all three jurisdictions.