

**LAW NO. 2/2012
OF 13 JANUARY**

**Third Amendment to Law No. 6/2006 of 28
December
(Electoral Law for the National Parliament)**

The National Parliament, pursuant to article 65.5 and of sub-paragraph h) of article 95.2 of the Constitution of the Republic, enacts the following to have the force of law:

**Article 1
Amendment to Law No. 6/2006 of 28 December**

Article 77 of Law No. 6/2006 of 28 December, as amended, shall now read as follows:

**“Article 77
Regulation**

1. (...)
2. (...)
3. (...)
4. The provisions of article 37-A shall not apply to electoral acts occurring in the year 2012, and the exercise of the right contained therein shall be regulated by the Government once the necessary conditions have been verified.”

**Article 2
Entry into force**

The present law shall enter into force on the day after its publication.

Approved on 5 January 2012.

The Speaker of the National Parliament,

Fernando La Sama de Araújo

Enacted on 12 / 01 / 2012

For publication

The President of the Republic,

José Ramos-Horta

**LAW NO. 2/2012
OF 13 JANUARY**

**Third Amendment to Law No. 7/2006 of 28 December
(Electoral Law for the President of the Republic)**

The National Parliament, pursuant to article 65.5 and of sub-paragraph h) of article 95.2 of the Constitution of the Republic, enacts the following to have the force of law:

**Article 1
Amendment to Law No. 7/2006 of 28 December**

Article 67 of Law No. 7/2006 of 28 December, as amended by Law No. 5/2007 of 28 March and Law No. 8/2011 of 22 June, shall now read as follows:

**Article 67
Regulation**

1. (...)
2. (...)
3. (...)
4. The provisions of article 39-A shall not apply to electoral acts that occur during the year 2012, and the exercise of the right contained therein shall be regulated by the Government once the necessary conditions have been verified.”

**Article 2
Entry into force**

The present law shall enter into force on the day after its publication.

Approved by the Council of Ministers on 5 January 2012.

The Speaker of the National Parliament,

Fernando La Sama de Araújo

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