

What is the scheme?

The Portuguese law of religious liberty permits taxpayers to direct that 0.5% of their tax assessment be directed to our Church. You pay the same tax, but the state receives only 99.5% of the assessment.

Therefore this facility only applies to those who make an IRS return to the Portuguese tax authorities. If you do, then please read on.

How does it work?

The tax return procedure is to complete “Anexo H, section 9 – Consignação de 0.5% do imposto liquidado”. Place an X in the box “Instituições Religiosas, art 32º n.º 4” and complete box 901 with the Church identity number 592005542.

This option is open to any taxpayer in Portugal, whether they are regular or occasional members of our congregations, or simply well-wishers. Do pass on information of this procedure to anyone you think may be inclined to favour our cause at no cost to themselves.