



NEWSLETTER NR.4

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**FOREST FIRES**

**WARNING**  
Land clearing next to households is required by law, until the 15<sup>th</sup> of March.

**IT IS MANDATORY TO:**

**Set a strip of land for combustible management**

- Establish a strip of land with 50m around your house

**Unobstructed access**

- In the access to your house, keep a strip of land with 10m to each side and an area that allows reversing of larger vehicles.

**IT IS RECOMMENDED TO:**

**Reduce flammable vegetation**

- Remove flammable vegetation.
- Create a frequently watered area within 10m around your house.

**Keep the strip of land clean**

- Remove the necessary amount of trees in order to allow a gap of 4m between treetops.
- Prune the trees 4m above ground.

**Clear the rooftop and other structures of your house**

- Maintain household waste, piles of firewood and other combustible materials more than 50m away from your house or in isolated compartments.

**Strips of non-flammable pavement**

- Maintain a strip with 1 to 2 meters width around your house with non-flammable pavement.

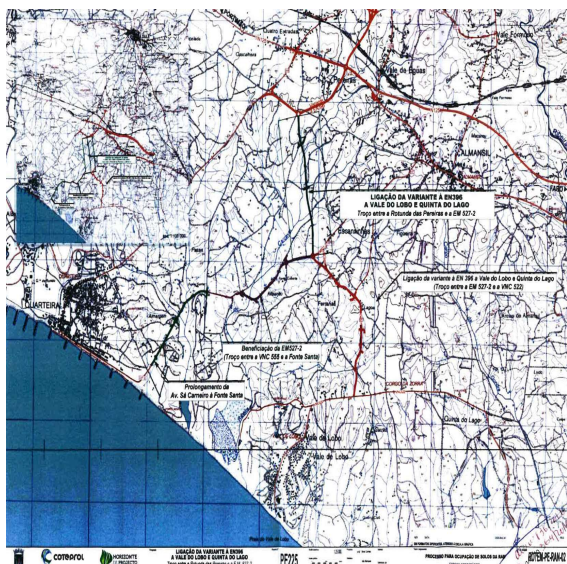
**Be prepared in case of fire**

- Keep shovels, rakes and hoses stored in an easily accessible place and known to all.

**Civil Protection starts with each one of us!**

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## Connection of the variant to the national road EN 396 to Vale do Lobo and Quinta do Lago – Section between roads EM 527-2 and VNC 522

Following the information regarding the works “Connection of the variant to the national road EN 396 to Vale do Lobo and Quinta do Lago – Section between roads EM 527-2 and VNC 522”, traffic from Almancil to Vale do Lobo will be interrupted.

We hereby inform that this partial traffic disruption concerns the execution of underground infrastructure works and land movements of the referred contract works, in order to ensure the security of residents, drivers, pedestrians and workers, as circulation will be allowed to residents during working hours, and for the general public only during the period between 7pm to 7am of the following day.

During Carnival (from the 10th til the 13th of February) and Easter (from the 30th of March til the 1st of April), traffic will not be conditioned.

We further inform that the above works will be suspended in the period between the 1st of July and the 31st of August.

These works consist in the renovation and improvement of the existing road, between EM 527-2 (road Almancil – Quarteira) and VNC 522 (road Vale do Lobo – Quinta do Lago) with approximately 2200 meters in length and in which will be built three (3) roundabouts. The estimated value of these works is two (2) million euros.

The Autarchy appeals to the understanding of all regarding any inconvenience these works may cause!

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