



DECREASE OF PUBLIC INTEREST RATE

In accordance with Decree No. 543/2012 issued on 28 December 2012 the official public interest rate set by the Ministry of Finance in force with respect to overdue tax and refunds has been decreased from 5% to 4,75% effective as of 1 January 2013.

Below you may find history of movement in the public interest rate:

Period	Rate
From 1/1/2013	4,75%
1/1/2011 - 31/12/2012	5%
1/1/2010 - 31/12/2010	5,35%
1/1/2007 - 31/12/2009	8%
Up to 31/12/2006	9%