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## COMPANY FORMATION IN MOROCCO

Setting up a business in Morocco requires care, preparation and compliance with legal regulations.

THERE ARE **DIFFERENT TYPES** OF **CORPORATE STRUCTURES** IN **MOROCCO**, INCLUDING:

- the Société à Responsabilité Limitée (SARL)
- Société Anonyme (S.A.)
- the Auto-Entrepreneur
- the Société en Nom Collectif (SNC)
- the Société en Commandite Simple (SCS)
- the Société en Commandite par Actions (SCA)

The SARL, which corresponds to the German GmbH, is the most widespread form in Morocco.

WE SPEAK FLUENT  
**ENGLISH, ARABIC**  
AND **FRENCH.**

HERE ARE THE **MOST IMPORTANT STEPS** IN **SETTING UP A COMPANY:**

1. Obtaining a negative certificate from the central commercial register (OMPIC);
2. Identification of the address of the lease of a registered office or an IG provided domiciliation;
3. Drafting the articles of association of the limited liability company, which constitute the contract between the partners;
4. Completion of registration formalities, such as tax registration and filing with the court registry, limited liability company registration, business tax registration and issuance of a tax identification number.
5. Legal notices: Publication in a specialised legal journal (JAL) and in the Official Gazette (BO) in Arabic and French to inform about the establishment of the said SARL.
6. Opening a bank account and transferring funds
7. Registration with the CNSS (Caisse Nationale de la Sécurité Sociale) to obtain a registration number for social security contributions.



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## TIPS:

Before you set up your company, we strongly recommend that you take the following steps:

- Early planning: analyse the market and draw up a solid business plan.
- Familiarise yourself with the Moroccan regulations and laws for your company.
- Seek legal advice.

**All German legal documents must be translated into French, notarised and legalised at the Moroccan embassy/consulate in Germany.**

## WHAT IS OFFERED INTERGEST MOROCCO?

InterGest Morocco was founded in 2019 to help foreign companies plan and realise a business base in Morocco.

You can find the complete range of services for setting up your foreign branch office, from payroll, business process outsourcing, accounting, ongoing tax and legal advice and the daily implementation of fiduciary administrative work to reporting and controlling, in our country flyer.

## PLEASE **NOTE** THE FOLLOWING **POINTS**:

- **Do not neglect the legal formalities. Omitting these steps can lead to delays and legal problems.**
- **Don't underestimate the costs and make sure you have a realistic budget for starting and running your business.**
- **Accounting and financial management are also an important and essential part of the job.**

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