



## **Dr. Joaquim Pina Moura**

Deputy, Assembly of Portugal

**Mr. Joaquim Augusto Nunes Pina Moura** was born on 22/02/1952 in [Loriga](#) (land of Viriathus), in the district of Guarda (Portugal). He is currently a Member of the National Assembly of the Portuguese Republic. An economist by training, Mr. Pina Moura holds a Masters Degree in Economics and a Doctors Degree in Monetary and Financial Economics. Between 1969 and 1974, he also studied Mechanical Engineering at the undergraduate and graduate levels at the University of Porto.

Between 1992 and 1995, he taught at the Higher Institute for Economics and Management (ISEG), where he held the chair of public economics, economic policy and the Portuguese and European economy.

Mr. Pina Moura has wide-ranging experience in government (in the 14th and 15th constitutional governments), in which he held the following positions between October 1995 and July 2001: Deputy State Secretary to the Prime Minister (November 1995 to November 1997); Minister for Economic Affairs (November 1997 to September 2000); Minister for Finance (October 1999 to July 2001).

As Minister for Economic Affairs, he was responsible for all macroeconomic policies, including decisions on energy policies, policies for globalisation and promotion Portuguese economic interests abroad, incentive policies to promote domestic and foreign investment and, through the creation of the Operational Programme for the Economy, industry and tourism policy.

During his tenure as Minister for Finance, he chaired the ECOFIN Council between January and June 2000 during the Portuguese Presidency of the European Union. He participated in preparing the European Council (March 2000) which approved the Lisbon Strategy. He also headed the negotiations that led to the approval of the E.U. tax package at the Santa Maria da Feira European Council (June 2000) and represented the European Union at the meetings of the G7 Finance Ministers in Tokyo (January 2000) and Washington (April 2000).

In April 2001, he was elected Chairman of the Board of Governors of EBRD (European Bank for Reconstruction and Development) (2001-2002).

Mr. Pina Moura is also the president of the Iberdrola Portugal and the Media Capital group (TVI television and others).