

# Administrative Law

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Mattos Filho's Administrative Law practice offers the following services to clients:

### **Regulation and Administrative Procedure**

Representation of clients in administrative proceedings with the Office of the Federal Comptroller General (CGU), Financial Activity Control Council (COAF), Federal Court of Accounts (TCU), ministries and other regulatory agencies;

Legal assistance in proceedings with the Brazilian Civil Aviation Agency (ANAC), Brazilian Water Transport Agency (ANTAQ), Brazilian Land Transport Agency (ANTT), and the Brazilian Mining Authority (ANM).

### **Federal and State Courts of Accounts**

Representation of clients in proceedings with the Federal and State Courts of Accounts;

Assistance for clients with appeals, hearings, and defenses in audit proceedings;

Assistance for clients in preliminary consultation proceedings, as well as annulment of administrative acts that impose bidding and contract-related sanctions.

### **State-owned companies**

Assistance for clients regarding their relationships with state-owned companies;

Consultation for clients on legal frameworks concerning statutes linked to state-owned companies;

Assistance in corporate transactions and the sale of state-owned assets;

Guidance for clients on legal frameworks concerning public employees in state-owned company corporate restructuring situations;

Assistance with compliance, corporate governance, and ethics in interactions with agents of state-owned companies;

Assistance with bidding processes, contracts, and sanctions imposed by state-owned companies.

### **Administrative misconduct, conduct adjustment agreements, and public-interest civil actions**

Representation in administrative misconduct lawsuits and conduct adjustment agreements;

Representation in public-interest civil actions and actions related to the protection of public assets.

### **Expropriation and other restrictions imposed on private property by public authorities**

Legal assistance for clients facing direct and indirect expropriation, preservation, and easement, as well as other interventions on private property undertaken by public authorities.

### Constitutional control and review

Assistance and representation of clients in constitutional control actions before the Supreme Federal Court and other federal and state courts;

Representation of clients in public hearings and acting as *amicus curiae* in constitutional review proceedings.

### Judicial review of administrative acts and the State's civil liability

Filing of writs of mandamus, habeas data, and annulment actions;

Representation of clients in civil liability actions and proceedings against the State for damages to private assets.

### Bidding, concessions, and administrative contracts

Representation of clients throughout all stages of bidding processes;

Representation of clients in contract amendment proceedings due to adverse financial and economic outcomes within concessions;

Assistance with the reviewing of tariffs and imposition of sanctions on companies;

Assistance for clients entering into administrative contracts, analysis of public bidding notices, and challenges to bidding proceedings;

Guidance for clients regarding transportation, highway, railway, port, airport, public asset, and sanitation concessions.

### Permissions, licenses, and administrative acts

Assistance for clients regarding permission requests and administrative licenses;

Representation of clients before public authorities concerning administrative acts.

## Awards and recognition



Public Law (2016-2021)



Administrative Law (2013-2020)



Public Law (2013-2021)



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Public Law – Highly Recommended (2021)

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