# Republika e Kosovës Republika Kosova - Republic of Kosovo



## ZYRA E RREGULLATORIT PËR ENERGJI REGULATORNI URED ZA ENERGIJU ENERGY REGULATORY OFFICE



Pristina, 16 March 2017 ERO Code: V\_900\_2017

## The Board of Energy Regulatory Office

#### Based on:

- Article 9 paragraph 1 sub-paragraph 1.7, Article 15 paragraph 1 sub-paragraph 1.15, Article 25,
  Article 26 paragraph 1 sub-paragraph 1.2 and Article 43 paragraph 1 of the Law on Energy Regulator (No. 05/L-084)
- Article 4, Article 5, Article 13 paragraph 1 and Article 14 of the Rule on Authorization Procedure for Construction of New Capacities;
- Administrative Instruction No. 01/2013 on Renewable Energy Sources Targets;
- Article 4 paragraphs 9, 10 and 11 of the Rule on Support Scheme;
- Decision no. V-810-2016 dated on 19 May 2016 on determination of Feed-in Tariff for electricity generation from Renewable Energy Sources;
- Application/Request for Authorization for construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from wind, HPP "Wind-Park-Koznica", located in CA Koznicë, with an installed capacity of 34.5 MW, in Municipality of Novobërda, dated on 05.12.2016 of "PRISHTINA-ENERGY" LLC. Company, having its address at: St. "Mother Teresa" no. 46/5, 10000, Deçan, Republic of Kosovo, and
- Application for admission to the Support Scheme;

## In its session held on 16 March 2017 issued the following:

#### **DECISION**

### **On Notification for Preliminary Authorization**

- I. PRELIMINARY AUTHORIZATION is issued to "PRISHTINA-ENERGY" LLC Company for development of the project for construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from wind, HPP "Wind-Park-Koznica", located in CA Koznicë, with an installed capacity of 34.5 MW, in Municipality of Novobërda, Republic of Kosovo.
- II. To the applicant "PRISHTINA-ENERGY" LLC. Company shall be granted the Authorization for construction of new generation capacities from wind, after it meets all the requirements deriving from Articles 14 and 15 of the Rule on Authorization Procedure and other applicable legal requirements related to construction of new generation plants.





- **III.** Decision on Notification for Preliminary Authorization does not entitle the holder to start construction of new generation plants before it meets all the conditions and requirements set forth in item II herein.
- IV. Decision on Preliminary Authorization determines that the process for admission to the Support Scheme shall be suspended until the available targets are released, in accordance with Administrative Instruction no. 01/2013, issued by Ministry of Economic Development, Republic of Kosovo.
- V. Upon Decision on Notification for Preliminary Authorization, it is stipulated that the application of "PRISHTINA-ENERGY" LLC Company, shall be considered as "pending" application, for admission to the Support Scheme
- VI. This Decision on Notification for Preliminary Authorization is issued for a one (1) year period, and within this period the applicant is obliged to meet the requirements under item II of the enacting clause of this Decision, and shall request in writing granting of Authorization for construction of new generation capacities.

## Reasoning

- On 05.12.2016, ERO received from "PRISHTINA-ENERGY"LLC. the application for obtaining authorization for construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from wind, HPP Wind-Park-Koznica, located in CA Koznicë, with an installed capacity of 34.5 MW, in Municipality of Novobërda, Republic of Kosovo.
- o On 05.02.2016, ERO received from **"PRISHTINA-ENERGY" LLC**. the application for admission to the Support Scheme.
- On 18.01.2017, ERO issued a notice to "PRISHTINA-ENERGY" LLC Company, which emphasized that: ERO has received/highlighted some applications for construction of generation capacities from wind, and your application exceeds RES targets, stipulated under Administrative Instruction no. 01/2013 issued by Ministry of Economic Development. It also announced that the Rule on Support Scheme guarantees the Feed-in Tariff only to the applicants that are granted with Preliminary or Final Authorization, which are within the targets stipulated under Administrative Instruction no. 01/2013.
- o In the relevant decision, ERO stated that: If the applicant wants to proceed further with the procedures for obtaining the Decision on Notification for Preliminary Authorization or Final Authorization, it will be specified in the relevant decision that the process for admission to the Support Scheme shall be suspended until the available targets are released, according to Administrative Instruction no. 01/2013, and explained that ERO shall notify the applicant by order of applications, upon the release of available targets.





- On 14.02.2017, ERO received from "PRISHTINA-ENERGY" LLC the notice for continuing the review of application, since they want to remain a "pending" application for admission to the Support Scheme for the whole installing capacity in accordance Rule on Support Scheme.
- ERO, following the evaluation of relevant evidence and requests attached to the application, and other additional supplementing evidence, required by ERO, and evaluation of the content of application for admission to the Support Scheme, as well as based on legal provisions mentioned in the introductory section of this decision, decided as in the enacting clause of this Decision.
- **VII.** The Decision shall be issued in Albanian language and published in official languages of the Republic of Kosovo.
- **VIII.** This Decision shall enter into force on the date of approval by the Board and shall be published on ERO's official website..

**Legal advice:** The party dissatisfied with this Decision may initiate an administrative dispute at the Competent Court, within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of this Decision or the date of its publication on ERO's website, whichever occurs last.

ERO Board
Krenar Bujupi , Acting Chairman
Arsim Janova, Member
Besim Sejfijaj, Member

#### This Decision is sent to:

- The party,
- Municipality of Novobërda,
- General Secretary of MESP, and
- ERO Archive