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The Board of Energy Regulatory Office,

Based on:

- Provisions of Article 9, paragraph 1, sub-paragraph 1.7, Article 25, Article 26, paragraph 1, sub-paragraph 1.2, of Law on Energy Regulator No. 05/L-084;
- Provisions of Article 39 and Article 40, paragraph 2 of Law on Electricity No. 05/L-085; and
- Provisions of Article 3, paragraph 2, Article 6, Article 7, Article 9, Article 10 and Article 11 of Rule on Supplier of Last Resort,

in its session held on 13 April 2017 issued the following:

DECISION

ON OPENING OF THE BIDDING PROCEDURE FOR SELECTION OF SUPPLIER OF LAST RESORT

- I. The tender for selection of Supplier of Last Resort is hereby **ANNOUNCED**.
- II. The suppliers who submit their offers for the tendering procedure should demonstrate that they meet the criteria given in Article 4 of Rule on Supplier of Last Resort.
- III. The Supplier of Last Resort is obliged to provide all supply services as set in Law on Electricity, Rule on General Conditions of Energy Supply and respective license issued by the Regulator.
- IV. The Supplier of Last Resort is appointed to act as such for a period of three (3) years.
- V. The supplier who submits the lowest Direct Retail Cost of Electricity Supply shall be selected as a Supplier of Last Resort, as defined in Rule on Supplier of Last Resort.
- VI. The Supplier of Last Resort will supply the customers who remain without a supplier in the following cases:
 - Their supplier has bankrupted or is under liquidation period;
 - The license of the previous suppliers has been temporarily or permanently revoked or ceased to be valid (expired);
 - The customer has failed in selecting a new supplier upon termination of the contract with the previous one.

- VII.** The customers referred to in enacting clause under item VI to this decision are entitled to be supplied by the Supplier of Last Resort for a period of no more than sixty (60) days.
- VIII.** The Supplier of Last Resort shall commence the electricity supply upon the termination of the contract with the previous supplier or upon the commencement of supply to the new customer, but no supply contract is signed with another supplier.
- IX.** In case the customer who is provided the electricity supply by the Supplier of Last Resort fails to enter into an agreement with the new supplier within the period defined under item VII of the enacting clause of this Decision, then the System Operator will terminate the electricity supply to such customer.
- X.** The bidding procedure for selection of Supplier of Last Resort shall be directed by the Regulator.
- XI.** The Notice for submitting the tendering offers shall not be shorter than thirty (30) days from the publication date.
- XII.** The decision is issued and published in official languages of the Republic of Kosovo.
- XIII.** The Decision shall enter into force on the date of approval by ERO Board and will be published on the official website of ERO.

Board of the Regulator:

Krenar Bujupi, Acting-Chairman

Arsim Janova, Member

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