



Republika e Kosovës
Republika Kosova - Republic of Kosovo

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



Pristina, 28 February 2019

ERO Code: V_1116_2019

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 Law on Energy Regulator (No. 05/L-084);
- Article 16, paragraph 4 of Rule on Authorization Procedure for Construction of New Generation Capacities;
- Decision on Issuance of Final Authorization V_891_2017, dated on 27 February 2017, for NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC, for construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from the hydro power plant , HPP Orqusha, CA Orqushë, with an installed capacity of 4 MW, Municipality of Dragash;
- Request for extension of validity term of the Decision on Final Authorization V_891_2017, dated on 27 February 2017, for construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from hydro power plant , HPP Orqusha, CA Orqushë, with an installed capacity of 4 MW, Municipality of Dragash, dated on 07.02.2019, prot. no. 099/19, of NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC, having its address at: St. "Jonit", no. 92/2, Prizren, Republic of Kosovo

in its session held on 28 February 2019 issued the following:

DECISION

- I. On **APPROVAL** of the request of NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC and **EXTENSION** of validity term of the Final Authorization V_891_2017, dated on 27 February 2017, for continuing the construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from the hydro power plant, HPP Orqusha, CA Orqushë, with an installed capacity of 4 MW, Municipality of Dragash, for an additional period of one (1) year, namely until **27 February 2020, for construction of the Hydro Power Plant.**

Reasoning

- o ERO, on 21.12.2015, received from NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC. the application for obtaining the Authorization for construction of new generation capacities for from hydro power plant,



HPP Orqusha, CA Orqushë, with an installed capacity of 4 MW, Municipality of Dragash, Republic of Kosovo.

- The ERO Board, following the ascertainment that the applicant has proved its suitability for construction of new generation capacities from the hydro power plant, on 23 February 2016, issued the Decision on Notice for Preliminary Authorization No. V_789_2016, and instructed the applicant to fulfil other legal requirements, required by applicable legislation in Kosovo.
- ERO, on 10.02.2017, received from NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC the request for conversion of Decision on Notice for Preliminary Authorization into FINAL Authorization for construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from hydro power plant, HPP Orqusha, CA Orqushë with an installed capacity of 4 MW, Municipality of Dragash, attaching evidence issued by relevant authorities on fulfilment of environmental and water requirements, the right on the use of land, Construction Permit issued by the Municipal Assembly and other legal requirements, related to the nature of the project, according to legislation in force.
- ERO Board, on 27 February 2017, issued Decision on Final Authorization V_891_2017, to NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC, for construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from hydro power plant, HPP Orqusha, CA Orqusha, CA Orqushë, with an installed capacity of 4 MW, Municipality of Dragash.
- ERO, on 07.02.2019, received from NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC, the request for extension of validity term of Decision on FINAL Authorization V_891_2017, dated on 27 February 2017, for continuing the construction of new generation capacities from the hydro power plant HPP Orqusha, CA Orqushë, with an installed capacity of 4 MW, for one (1) additional year, namely until 27 February 2020, for finalization of the project.
- *NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC, in its request explained that: they are in the final phase of investments on the Project HPP Orqusha. The offtake, decanter, Tubes and the facility of the Power Plant (the Object of Machinery) have been built and finalized, therefore the project is finished in the physical aspect.*
- *NPN "Renelual Tahiri" also explained that they have finished the works in the object of machinery, placing the bifurcation pipe, placement of two turbines, two exhaust pipes, two main valves, two generators, a grounding system, and a hydraulic system for each turbine are positioned and mounted according to the design and these works have already been completed.*
- *They have also clarified that the electrical parts such as transformers, medium voltage distributors, and scada system control rooms are mounted in their positions according to the project, the extension of the voltage cables and signalling terminals have been completed and tested based on the standard of measurement " EN 8001 ", and all have been successfully passed.*
- *The NPN "Renelual Tahiri" LLC has explained that the pipeline construction has almost completed the extension of the eighth (8) km long transmission cables, the wells have been completed and constructed according to the specifications requested by KEDS JSC, and the*



delays were caused by the lack of provision of connection conditions at TS 35/10 kV of Dragash substation, where these problems have been overcome and this project is expected to be released very soon in the testing phase and entry into operation.

- Therefore, based on what was presented above, NPN “Renelual Tahiri” LLC requested from ERO Board, to be allowed the extension of validity term of FINAL Authorization V_891_2017, dated on 27 February 2017, for finalization of this hydro power plant for an additional period of one (1) year.
 - ERO Board, following the analysis of the request of “Renelual Tahiri” LLC and attached evidence on extension of validity term of Final Authorization, for construction of new generation capacities for electricity generation from hydro power plant HPP Orqusha, CA Orqushë, with an installed capacity of 4 MW, Municipality of Dragash, evaluated them and considered that due to well grounded justifications and complexity of the construction of hydro power plants and based on the documents on this issue, with facts that the project will be finalized within this period, decided to allow the extension of validity term of Final Authorization V_891_2017, dated on 27 February 2017, for an additional legal term, based on legal criteria mentioned in the introductory section of this Decision.
- II.** The Decision on Issuance of Authorization V_891_2017, dated on 27 February 2017, shall be valid until **27 February 2020**, according to enacting clause under item I of this Decision. In case the construction of the generating plants from water is not finalized, or it is not acted in accordance with applicable legislation, it shall be repealed.
- III.** The Decision is issued and published in official languages of the Republic of Kosovo
- IV.** 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

Arsim Janova , Acting Chairman

Besim Sejfiqaj, Member

Selman Hoti, Member



Izet Rushiti, Member

This Decision is sent to:

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