

Pursuant to Article 4.2 of the Law on Transmission of Electric Power, Regulator and System Operator of Bosnia and Herzegovina (Official Gazette of BiH, 7/02, 13/03, 76/09 and 1/11) and Article 36 of the Rules of Procedure of the State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Official Gazette of BiH, 2/05), at its session held on 24 July 2019, the State Electricity Regulatory Commission adopted a

DECISION
APPROVING INDICATIVE GENERATION DEVELOPMENT PLAN
FOR PERIOD 2020 – 2029

1. The Indicative Generation Development Plan for the Period 2020-2029, as defined by the Independent System Operator in Bosnia and Herzegovina at the 162nd session of the Steering Committee held on 14 June 2019, shall be approved.
2. This decision shall come into force on the day of its adoption and shall be published in the Official Gazette of BiH and the official gazettes of the Entities.

Statement of Rationale

On 30 April 2019, the Independent System Operator in Bosnia and Herzegovina (hereinafter: ISO BiH) submitted to the State Electricity Regulatory Commission (hereinafter: SERC) the Decision of 29 April 2019 defining the Indicative Generation Development Plan for the Period from 2020 to 2029, reference number 25/19, which was adopted at the 157th session of the ISO BiH Steering Committee, as well as the Indicative Generation Development Plan which was approved by this Decision (hereinafter: Indicative Plan). At the SERC initiative, a public hearing regarding this planning document was conducted on 2 April 2019.

SERC reviewed in detail the submitted Indicative Plan and sent its observations and comments to the ISO BiH on 28 May 2019 requesting further elaboration of this planning document and its re-submission to SERC for approval.

By its letter of 10 June 2019, the ISO BiH gave its feedback on the SERC observations and announced that the SERC's request for the elaboration of the Indicative Plan would be reviewed and its revised version defined at the next upcoming session of the Steering Committee.

Having concluded that a significant part of the already submitted observations was not included in the revised document, along with the adoption of this Decision, by its Conclusion under reference number 05-28-13-144-9/19 of 24 July 2019, SERC emphasised its positions on the method and procedure for the development of the Indicative Plan, on which SERC would insist in the forthcoming period.

Nevertheless, taking the position that the priority should be given to the continuation of further planning processes linked to or conditioned by the Indicative Plan and defining further developments of the transmission network, besides reserve stated in the Conclusion, SERC adopted the Decision as provided in the disposition.

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24 July 2019
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Chairman of the Commission

Suad Zeljković