

Monthly report Energy Regulatory Office (ERO)

October 2005

- 3rd, **Annual Energy Balance of KEK (KEK)**; Head of Department for Energy Supply and Market Monitoring of ERO has participated in meeting with managers of KEK and responsible persons from MEM discussing Annual Energy Balance.
- 3-6th, **Seminar on Market Monitoring (Athens, Greece)**; Market Monitoring Analyst of ERO has participated as ERO's representative in this Seminar.
- 6th, **Introduction of Authorization Procedures (ERO)**; ERO staff presented the Authorization procedures to the important stakeholders: MEM, MEF, and MTI.
- 6th, **Development of Renewable Energy Sources (RES) in Kosovo (MEM - Seminar)**; Head of CPD of ERO presented the Legal Framework & Regulatory Support on Developments of RES
- 7th, **3rd Meeting of Quality Regulation Working Group (KEK)**; Introduced and discussed the questionnaire on required data for Quality Regulation with managers of TSO, DSO and Supply Departments of KEK.
- 10th, **Workshop on Future Electricity Market in Kosovo for New TPP (EAR)**; Power Plant expert and Board Member of ERO has participated in meeting with all stakeholders discussing the options of future electricity market in Kosovo for the new TPP.
- 12th, **Winter Electricity Strategy of KEK (UNMIK Pillar IV)**; Head of Power Supply and Market Monitoring department of ERO has participated on presentation of Winter Electricity Strategy prepared by ESBI/KEK .
- 12th, **Meeting with Public Regulatory Procurement Commission (PRPP)**; Discussed the Authorization procedures for rehabilitation of Kosovo A PP, and new PP.
- 14th, **ESTAP III**; ERO's representatives has participated on evaluation of bids submitted by short listed bidders for Project – Development of Transmission and Retail Tariffs.
- 14th, **Establishment of funds for Strategic Programs (MEM)**; Organized by MEM with participation of representatives of ERO, MEM, MEF and EAR Consultant.
- 16-17th, **Public Participation Workshop (ERO)**; Consultant of P&A (USAID TA project to ERO) has organized the workshop for Board Members and key personnel of ERO related to public participation and public relations.
- 17th, **Opening the Bids of ESTAP III (lot 2)**. ERO representatives have participated on the opening of the bids for lot 2 of ESTAP III.
- 18th, **Second Board Meeting of ERO (ERO)**; Discussed issues: Draft rule on pricing, guidelines of using ERO's vehicles; Authorization Procedures of Rehabilitation of Kosovo A PP, Budget proposal for 2006 to KCB, internal organizations of ERO staff.
- 19th, **Meeting With Director of Association of Municipalities of Kosovo (AKK)**; Head of CPD department of ERO has meeting with director of AKK, required the Public Participation of AKK on Public Consultations of draft rules to be issued by ERO.

- **21st, Licensing of DH companies (ERO);** Meeting with consultant of Termokos
- **25th, SIGNED the ECSEE TREATY (Athens, Greece);** Head of ERO has participated on signing ceremony of the Treaty together with DSRSG Mr Joackim Rucker, and Deputy Minister of MEM Mr. Dida. Mr. Rucker has signed the Treaty on behalf of UNMIK/Kosovo.
- **24-25th, Legal and Licensing Committee Meeting of ERRA (Kiev, Ukraine);** Head of Legal and Licensing Department / Board member of ERO has participated as ERO member on this committee of ERRA. She made a presentation about ERO's regulatory responsibilities and tasks.
- **26-27th, Public Participation & Communication Workshop of ERRA (Kiev, Ukraine);** Head and two Board Members of ERO have participated on Workshop organized by ERRA.
- **19, 22nd, Visits to PP Kosovo A;** ERO staff have visited the PP Kosovo A, regarding the division points of devices of Substations.
- **23rd, Market Monitoring Workshop (ERO);** Consultant of TA project to ERO (EAR project) has organized the Market Monitoring Workshop for Key staff of ERO.
- **26th, Meeting with KEK regarding imports (KEK);** Staff of PSMM department of ERO have participated on meeting where was discussed the imports of energy in future.
- **28th, Quality Regulation and Absolute Standards Workshop (ERO);** Staff of CPD of ERO and Consultant of TA project to ERO (EAR project) organized the workshop for introducing the quality standards required to be meet by system operators and suppliers.
- **31st, Visit to DH company "Termomint" (Zvecane);** Staff of Pricing and Tariffs Department of ERO have visited the DH company in Zvecane.
- **Other regular activities accomplished by ERO;**
 - Developments of draft rules to be issued by ERO, publishing the rules on the website for public consultations.
 - Presentation of ERO's view of Master plan for establishment of TSO
 - Development of legal documents and coordination of activities with KEK, TSO and other stakeholders for start up of TSO operation by 01 January 2006.
 - Drawing up the draft decision for ownership and commercial boundary between TSO and remained part of KEK
 - Participation in the introductory meeting of KEK for new disconnection policies
 - Preparation of Budget - 2006, and presentation to KCB and EU pillar IV.
 - Sent letters to DH companies on allowed revenues and tariffs, for season 2005/06
 - Procurement process for new ERO's premises,
 - Submission of Q3 required report, and Matrix form report to EU Pillar IV,
 - Coordination of activities with consultant of EAR support project to ERO, reviewed and commented received documents.