



Pristina, 31 January 2022  
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The Board of Energy Regulatory Office,

Based on:

- Provisions of Article 9, paragraph 1, sub-paragraph 1.7, Article 15 and Article 26, paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Law on Energy Regulator No. 05/L-084;
- Provisions of Article 8, paragraphs 1 and 6 of the Law on Energy No. 05/L-081;
- Provisions of Rule and Methodology on Preparation of Thermal Energy Balances No. 03/2020 (issued in June 2020); and
- Request submitted on 30 November 2021 from representatives of the public enterprise **“DISTRICT HEATING JSC”**, address St. “Tirana” n.n, Gjakovë, Republic of Kosovo, on approval of the document “Thermal Energy Annual Balance for 2022”,

in the session held on 31 January 2022 issued the following:

## DECISION

- I. **APPROVAL** of “Thermal Energy Annual Balance for 2022” of the company **“DISTRICT HEATING JSC”**
- II. Following the receipt of this Decision, the licensee is **obliged** to publish the document “Thermal Energy Annual Balance -2022” on its official website.

## REASONING

1. The company **“DISTRICT HEATING” JSC** (hereinafter D.H) as a holder of the license for operation of the thermal energy distribution system, based on the legal provisions of the legislation in force, prepared the document “Thermal Energy Annual Balance for 2022”. In line with the legal and regulatory proceedings, the first draft of this document was submitted on 30 November 2021, for review at ERO and the Ministry of Economy. Following the review and commenting of this draft from these two institutions, on 10 December 2021 the draft improved in line with the comments was submitted. This final draft was published for public consultation on 10-24 December 2021, however no comments, remarks or suggestions were received; therefore, this Draft-Balance was considered finalized to be presented to ERO Board for approval.



2. Following the review of the draft document “Thermal Energy Annual Balance – 2022”, submitted from PE District Heating Gjakova JSC, and its amendment and supplement according to the comments of ME and ERO, the Board of ERO, based on legal provisions mentioned in the introductory section of this decision, decided as in the enacting clause of this decision.
  3. Taking into account the impact of different parameters of the balance in determination of tariffs, the Regulator is entitled to adjust the data of the annual balance of thermal energy during tariff review.
  4. Based on the provisions of Article 42, paragraph 2.3 of the Law on Energy Regulator, the Regulator monitors the implementation of the Thermal Energy Annual Balance to verify the realization of data and information submitted in the Balance and can undertake specific actions on improvement of the short-term and long-term security of supply.
- III. The decision is issued in official languages of the Republic of Kosovo.
- IV. The decision shall enter into force on the date of approval by the Board of the Regulator and will be published on the official website of the Regulator.

**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 the receipt of this decision or the date of its publication on ERO’s website, whichever occurs last.

Attached:

“Annual Balance of Thermal Energy – 2022”

This decision is sent to:

- The company “**DISTRICT HEATING JSC**” and
- ERO Archive

The Board of the Regulator:

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Ymer Fejzullahu, Chairman

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Izet Rushiti, Member

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Selman Hoti, Member

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Lutfije Dervishi, Member

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Gani Buçaj, Member