

# Newsletter

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On May 10<sup>th</sup> 2019, the Council of Ministers has approved the Regulation on the requirements for safety and health protection of employees in mines and

### underground works of hydropower projects.

The purpose of this regulation is to define the requirements for the implementation of safety and health protection of employees in mines, underground works of hydropower projects and the implementation of safe working methods.

*This regulation shall be applied from:*

- 1- All the state and private entities, domestic and foreign, performing mining activity or construction of underground works in hydropower projects;**
- 2- All state and private entities studying, designing and approving development programs for mining activity and underground works in hydropower projects;**
- 3 - The National Authority for Security and Emergency in Mines;**
- 4 - Subjects that develop works in civil engineering, for transport purposes, hydro technical, communal or other purposes.**



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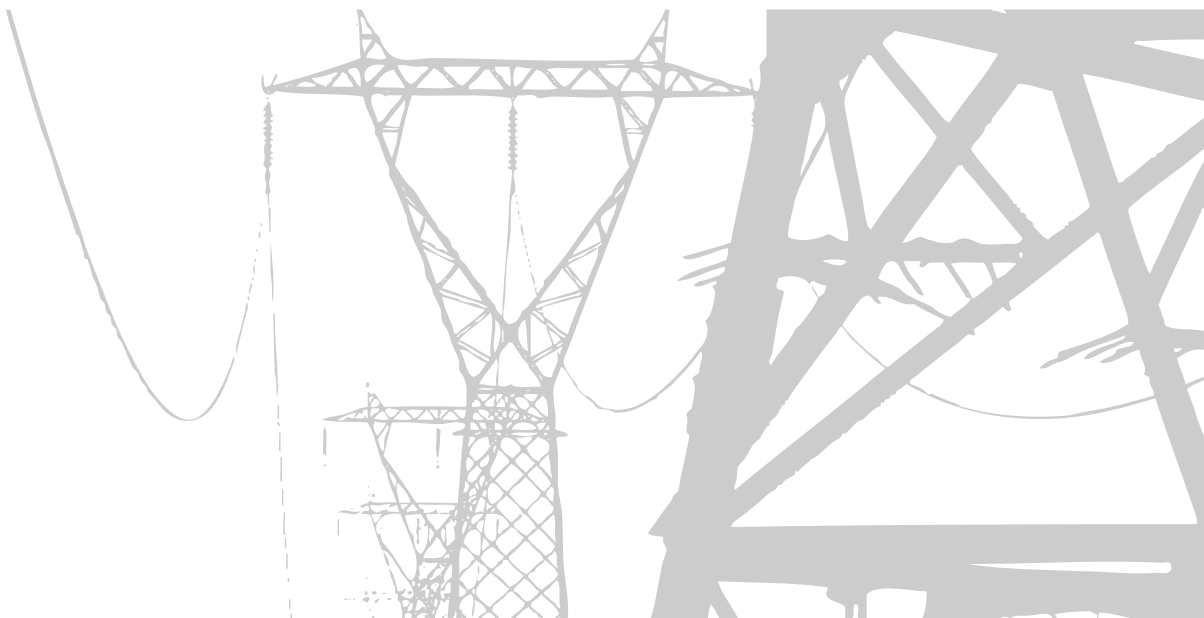
The abovementioned Regulation provides legal provisions regarding the:

- **State control over fulfillment of the requirements of safety and health protection of employees in the mining activity and the construction of underground works in hydropower projects, which shall be periodic and annually programmed.**
- **Development, organization and supervision of works.**
- **Terms and conditions for admission to employment of the new employees.**
- **Information and Training Courses of employees, before and during their employment on safety and health in the workplace in accordance with the specific workplace and according to a program that is amended and updated according to the forms and types of risk.**
- **Individual protective equipment and tools such as clothes, hats, lamps, masks, boots, raincoats, gloves, eyeglasses, headphones, protective belts, etc., depending on the security requirements and the specific job conditions.**
- **Medical examination and first aid. Entities employing more than 200 employees, provide supervision through an employed physician. Entities with less than 200 employees, carry out this supervision by contracting the persons or health institutions.**
- **The Legal Representative or the Administrator's responsibility for Safety at Work, etc.**





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# Albanian Energy Stock Exchange

In the Albanian Official Gazette no. 73/2018 it is published the Decision of the Council of Ministers creating the Albanian Energy Stock Exchange which will supervise, develop, operate and connect secure, liquid and transparent products for the energy market in our country.

According to point 3/c of the Decision: The participating entities in the energy market, having experience in the trading of

electricity in the European Union or in the member states of the Energy Community Treaty (hereinafter referred to as "Power Market Participants" or "PTE"), can participate in the ownership structure of the Stock Exchange's capital by means of a competition procedure, and they can own only 10% of the share capital.





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