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ETHIOPIAN ELECTRIC POWER

Addis Ababa

Subject: - Issuance of Environmental Clearance for the implementation of Bure-Injibara 230kV Power Transmission Line Project

Certificate Validity: One Year

It is to be recalled that you have submitted the Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) report for Bure-Injibara 230kV Power Transmission Line Project which will be implemented in Amhara National Regional State.

We have evaluated the ESIA report in accordance with the environmental requirements of the country and found that the project complies with them. Accordingly, we have approved the implementation of it with the following Conditions:

- The company has to establish Environmental Unit and implement the Environmental and Social Management Plan (ESMP) and submit environmental monitoring report quarterly;
- The company has to renew the Environmental Clearance Certificate (ECC) annually;
- The company has to conduct annual environmental audit and submit to Federal Environmental Protection Authority (EPA);
- The company has to address any unforeseen adverse effects of the project that is not stated on the study document and inform to the Federal EPA and other concerned body;
- The company shall co-operate Federal and regional EPAs while carrying out environmental audit and monitoring on the Project as deemed necessary.

Cc:

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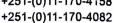
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