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Fitch Ratings ratified EPM's BBB international and AAA national credit ratings.

- **Outlook for both ratings is stable**
- **The rating agency highlights the company's solid financial performance and low risk profile**

For second year in a row, EPM maintains its BBB+ investment grade rating with stable outlook granted by risk rating service Fitch Ratings.

At the end of last year, Fitch Ratings raised EPM's international rating from BBB to BBB+ recognizing its solid financial and low risk profiles. Rating ratification for the debt denominated in local as well as in foreign currency underscores the agency's trust on EPM.

The rating applies to outstanding international bond issues for USD 500 million (maturing in 2019), COP 1,250,000 million (maturing in 2021) and COP 965,745 million (maturing in 2024).

The agency ratified as well the AAA rating granted to EPM's payment capacity nationally and to its bond issue program in Pesos for COP 4.5 billion.

The ratings reflect the low risk profile of the company's business resulting from its operating diversification as public utilities provider, the solidness of its credit ratios and its moderate exposure to regulatory risk.

According to Fitch Ratings report, the company is "one of the largest electricity generators in Colombia with about 23% of the country's installed capacity, serving 5.6 million customers through its electricity distribution business in six Colombian provinces and some Latin American countries such as Guatemala, El Salvador and Panama. Additionally, the company provides aqueduct and sanitation services to approximately one million users.



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