## **Press Release**



## **EPM** informs the public:

- 1. The Company learned through the media of the ruling of fiscal responsibility in the case of the Ituango Hydroelectric Project. To date, EPM has not received an official communication from the Office of the Comptroller General of the Republic regarding said action.
- 2. EPM, aware of the ongoing process, has developed strategies to face the possible scenarios that arise from the meaning of the failure and its content, with the purpose of mitigating risks and, in this way, shielding the continuity of the Ituango Hydroelectric Project.
- 3. Faced the ruling of fiscal responsibility, EPM with its technical, legal, and financial teams will study the consequences that this could have on the development of Hidroituango, always under the premise of respect for the decisions of the control entities.
- 4. It is important to point out that the persons subject to fiscal responsibility will have five working days to file the remedies for reconsideration and appeal against the first instance ruling, after being duly notified. This means that the effects of the ruling can be suspended until the appeals are resolved by the Office of the Comptroller General of the Republic.
- 5. EPM will be attentive to all subsequent actions carried out by the fiscal control entity, since if the first instance decision is upheld, EPM must have an adequate and planned structure that allows the continuity, without delay, of the execution of the Ituango Hydroelectric Project.
- 6. Therefore, EPM will be monitoring the final decision of the Office of the Comptroller General of the Republic, once the appeals filed are resolved, by the people immersed in the process, bearing in mind that our Company is always respectful of the decisions adopted by the jurisdiction and the control entities.

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