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General Notice No. 47 of 2018.

## POLICY DIRECTION ISSUED TO ALL SECTOR PLAYERS IN RESPECT OF THE ENERGY MIX OF THE COUNTRY

This policy direction is issued this 12th day of August, 2017.

### PREAMBLE

1. The electricity supply in Uganda is dominated by hydropower sources. The over reliance on hydro power makes the country vulnerable to the vagaries of nature.
2. In 2005 through 2008 the country experienced a severe energy crisis caused by the prolonged drought experienced in the country at the time. The country introduced thermal power as a short and medium intervention to ameliorate the energy crisis.
3. Uganda has vast potential energy sources including hydro, cogeneration, solar, biomass and biogas and thermal energy (including geothermal potential).
4. The country needs to expand its generation mix in order to mitigate hydrological risks and sudden changes in the supply-demand balance and ensure the energy security for the country.

### POLICY DIRECTION

NOW THEREFORE the following Policy Direction is issued with respect to the policy to be observed and implemented by sector players in respect of the above.

- 1) In order to mitigate the hydrological risks facing hydropower generation and uninterrupted availability of energy in the country, 10% of the generation capacity shall be from thermal power sources of energy.
- 2) In the short term, the existing thermal power plants in the country namely, the Namanve thermal power plant and Tororo thermal power plant will continue to form part of the energy mix and may be dispatched at levels as may be determined necessary and appropriate and in line with the respective existing agreements.
- 3) Cogeneration shall continue to compliment the generation mix in the country.

- 4) In the medium term, the Namanve thermal power plant, Tororo thermal power plant and the electricity to be generated from indigenous Ugandan Petroleum resources will provide the required thermal power in the generation mix.
- 5) In the medium term, the generation of power from wind and solar shall be maintained at 85 MW.
- 6) Companies that have been and will be licenced to develop geothermal energy shall continue the process of exploration and development of geothermal power sites with a view of producing geothermal energy to form part of the energy mix.
- 7) This policy direction shall be reviewed once substantial change in the generation mix is realized and from time to time as may be determined necessary.

ENG. IRENE MULONI (MP),  
*Minister of Energy and Mineral Development.*

General Notice No. 48 of 2018.

THE ADVOCATES ACT, CAP. 267.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an application has been presented to the Law Council by Namono Maureen who is stated to be a holder of a Bachelor of Laws Degree from Makerere University, Kampala, having been awarded on the 19th day of January, 2016 and a Diploma in Legal Practice awarded by the Law Development Centre on the 21st day of April, 2017, for the issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility for entry of her name on the Roll of Advocates for Uganda.

Kampala,  
6th December, 2017.

MARGARET APINY,  
*Secretary, Law Council.*

General Notice No. 49 of 2018.

THE ADVOCATES ACT, CAP. 267.

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that an application has been presented to the Law Council by Gloria Laker who is stated to be a holder of a Bachelor of Laws Degree from Makerere University, Kampala, having been awarded on the 30th day of January, 2014 and a Diploma in Legal Practice awarded by the Law Development Centre on the 21st day of April, 2017, for the issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility for entry of her name on the Roll of Advocates for Uganda.

Kampala,  
6th December, 2017.

MARGARET APINY,  
*Secretary, Law Council.*