



Kosovo Energy Corporation J.S.C

**Independent Auditors' Report and
financial statements for the year
ended 31 December 2016**

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Shareholders and Management of Kosovo Energy Corporation J.S.C

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Kosovo Energy Corporation J.S.C. (the Company), which comprise: the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2016, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity, and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as at December 31, 2016, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (IESBA Code), and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Emphasis of matter:

We draw attention to the following:

- i. As discussed in Note 2.3, the accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the assumption that the Company will continue as a going concern. The Company incurred a positive net result for the year ended December 31, 2016 of Euro 11,035 thousand Euros resulting in reduction of accumulated losses to Euro 463,912 as of 31 December 2015. Despite the fact that the company is still dependent of long term financing by the Government of Republic of Kosova as discussed in note 12.
- ii. Further the paragraph above (i), we note that electricity price is regulated by the Energy Regulatory office. An impairment analysis on the carrying, values of property part and equipment is not carried out by the Company date to unpredictable future income stream. However management of the Company believes there is now significant risk of impairment given the regulated prices and the support of the Government of Republic of Kosova.
- iii. As explained in Note 5 to the accompanying financial statements, included property, plant and equipment are certain assets, which are under the control of the Company but for which the Company does not possess of obtaining property deeds, however the timing and the outcome of the process cannot be determined with any reasonable accuracy, at this stage.

- iv. As disclosed in note 14 to the accompanying financial statements the Company's activities give rise to the need of significant future costs related to environmental damage and decommissioning of its long term assets. As at December 31, 2016 the balance of provision reload of these environmental costs reaches Euro 33,058 thousand In addition the Company has disclosed in Note 26, estimated decommission cost which are not recognized as a legislation to carry out the decommissioning of its assets. The ultimate settlement amount of these provisions is dependent upon periodic assessments of environmental impacts and future changes of the legislation in relation to decommissioning liabilities. The actual amounts may materially differ from these estimates.
- v. As disclosed in Note 26 to the accompanying financial statements, the Company's financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2011 to 2016 are subject to inspection by local tax authorities. The Company's management used its best estimate and judgment to comply with the tax laws including the use of results previous tax inspections .However until completion of the tax authorities inspection, tax expenses, liabilities and prepayments as disclosed in these financial statements may not be considered finalized. A provision for additional taxes penalties, if any, that may be levied, cannot be determined with any reasonable accuracy, at this stage.

Our opinion is not modified in respect of the matters as detailed in paragraphs (i) to (v) above.

Other matter

Company Financial Statements for the year ended December 31, 2015 have been audited by another auditor which expresses unmodified opinion with emphasis's paragraphs for those financial statements on April 26, 2016. Emphasis of matter paragraphs were related to going concern issue, environmental instability, decommissioning and other provisioning.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with IFRS, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.



Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with ISAs, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

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	Notes	As at December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	As at December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
ASSETS			
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	5	305,721	331,306
Intangible assets	6	44	32
Total non-current assets		305,765	331,338
Current assets			
Inventories	7	22,950	18,950
Trade and other receivables, net	8	22,212	21,902
Income tax receivables		3,349	3,203
Cash on hand and at banks	9	63,305	41,121
Total current assets		111,816	85,176
TOTAL ASSETS		417,581	416,514
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES			
Shareholder's equity			
Share capital	10	25	25
Reserves	11	565,772	565,735
Accumulated (losses)		(463,912)	(474,910)
Total Shareholder's equity		101,885	90,850
Liabilities			
Non-current liabilities			
Borrowings - noncurrent portion	12	182,680	189,395
Deferred grants	13	39,037	45,499
Provisions	14	52,333	53,235
Deferred tax liability	25	11,773	11,810
Total non-current liabilities		285,823	299,939
Current liabilities			
Borrowings - current portion	12	7,550	3,065
Trade and other payables	15	14,780	15,437
Accrued expenses	16	7,543	7,223
Total current liabilities		29,873	25,725
Total liabilities		315,696	325,664
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		417,581	416,514

These financial statements have been approved for issue on behalf of the Management and signed on its behalf on March 21, 2017.

Mr. Arben Gjukaj
Managing Director

Mr. Sakir Bytyqi
Chief Financial Officer

The accompanying notes from 1 to 31 form an integral part of these financial statements.

	Notes	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Sales	17	156,609	144,545
Income from grants	18	6,462	7,224
Other income	19	6,282	3,160
		<u>169,353</u>	<u>154,929</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Depreciation and amortization	5,6	(35,195)	(39,597)
Staff costs	20	(48,983)	(49,425)
Electricity and other utilities	21	(12,553)	(13,033)
Maintenance costs		(3,158)	(2,344)
Materials and supplies		(4,913)	(9,082)
Lignite royalty fee	16	(26,670)	(24,725)
Release of/Provision for write down of inventories	7	431	851
Loss from impairment of receivables	8	(310)	(243)
Change in provisions	14	902	311
Other operating expenses	22	(17,422)	(7,589)
		<u>(147,871)</u>	<u>(144,912)</u>
Profit from operations		<u>21,482</u>	<u>10,017</u>
Finance expense/(Income), net	23	(7,623)	(1,973)
Profit before taxation		<u>13,859</u>	<u>8,044</u>
Taxation	24	(2,861)	(1,356)
Net Profit for the year		<u>10,998</u>	<u>6,688</u>
Other comprehensive income for the year		-	-
Deferred tax effect on revaluation of property, plant and equipment	25	37	681
Total comprehensive income for the year		<u>11,035</u>	<u>7,369</u>

The accompanying notes from 1 to 31 form an integral part of these financial statements.

	Share capital	Reserves	Accumulated (losses)	Total
	(in 000 EUR)			
Balance as at January 1, 2015	25	565,054	(481,598)	83,481
Profit for the year	-	-	6,688	6,688
Other comprehensive income	-	681	-	681
Total comprehensive income	-	681	6,688	7,369
Balance as at December 31, 2015	25	565,735	(474,910)	90,850
Balance as at January 1, 2016	25	565,735	(474,910)	90,850
Profit for the year	-	-	10,998	10,998
Other comprehensive income	-	37	-	37
Total comprehensive income	-	37	10,998	11,035
Balance as at December 31, 2016	25	565,772	(463,912)	101,885

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	Notes	For the year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	For the year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Cash flows from operating activities			
Profit before tax		13,859	8,044
Adjustments for non-cash items:			
Depreciation and amortization	5,6	35,195	39,597
Amortization of grants	18	(6,462)	(7,224)
Interest Income	23	(4)	(35)
Interest Expenses	23	7,627	2,008
Provision for doubtful debts	8	310	243
Provision for environmental and pension costs	14	(902)	(311)
Provision for write down/back of inventories	7	(431)	(851)
Property, plant and equipment written off	5,22	502	484
Profit before changes in operating assets and liabilities		49,694	41,955
Decrease/(Increase) in inventories		(3,569)	3,091
Decrease/(Increase) in trade and other receivables		(739)	2,482
Decrease in trade and other payables and accrued expenses		(352)	(9,821)
Cash generated from operating activities		45,034	37,707
Interest received		4	35
Interest paid		(7,301)	(1,500)
Income tax paid		(2,848)	(2,637)
Net Cash flows from Operating Activities		34,889	33,605
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	5	(10,121)	(21,095)
Additions to intangible assets	6	(28)	-
Cash used in investing activities		(10,149)	(21,095)
Cash flows from financing activities:			
Grants received during the year	13	-	160
Loans paid during the year		(2,556)	-
Cash generated from financing activities		(2,556)	160
Net increase in cash equivalents		22,184	12,670
Cash and equivalents at the beginning of the year		41,121	28,451
Cash and equivalents at the end of the year	9	63,305	41,121

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1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Kosovo Energy Corporation J.S.C. ("the Company" or "KEK") is shareholding Company incorporated in Kosovo and registered with the Kosovo Business Registration under Reg. No. 70325399 dated December 27, 2005. The Company was transformed into a Joint Stock Company (J.S.C.) under United Nation Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo ("UNMIK") regulation No. 2001/6. The address of its registered head office is: Mother Teresa Street No. 36, 10 000 Prishtina, Kosovo.

The Company's initial registered capital amounts to Euro 25 thousand. The Company's books have been opened as of January 1, 2005 based on the Financial Due Diligence Report as at January 1, 2005 by an independent evaluator.

The Company is 100% subsidiary of Kosovo Energy Corporation Holding J.S.C, where in accordance with Law No. 03/L-087 dated June 13, 2008 on "Law on Publicly Owned Enterprises", Kosovo Energy Corporation J.S.C. "KEK SH.A.", is owned by the Republic of Kosovo.

The Company's principal activities are generation and mining activities as extraction of lignite used in its thermal power plants.

The Company's current operational structure consists of the corporate headquarters and the following divisions:

- Lignite Production Division;
- Electricity Production Division - Kosova B;
- Electricity Production Division - Kosova A;

The License of Kosovo Energy Corporation - Generation Division (KEK JSC) - TPP Kosovo A for electricity generation is extended for the period from 4th of October 2015 until 4th of October 2016 (license number ERO / Li_05 / 13_A,) from the Energy Regulatory Office.

The License of Kosovo Energy Corporation - Generation Division (KEK JSC) - TPP Kosovo B for electricity generation is given for the period from 4th of October 2006 until 4th of October 2026 (license number ZRRE_Li_05/13_B) from the Energy Regulatory Office (ERO).

Whereas on 23 December 2014 the License of Kosovo Energy Corporation (KEK JSC), Generation Division "TPP Kosova B", with license number ZRRE/Li_05/13_B, is hereby modified into "Electricity and Thermal Energy Cogeneration License" by the Energy Regulatory Office(ERO) with all the all other provisions of the previous license remain in force.

Kosovo Energy Corporation (KEK JSC), during December 2014 started the project for Thermal Energy Cogeneration where the thermal energy is sold to Termokos J.S.C. in order to ensure of heating supply in Prishtina.

The Government of Kosovo decided and begun the privatization process for KEK Distribution Network and Supply Divisions. Hence, as of May 8th, 2013, the supply network and distribution divisions were no longer operated by KEK.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

2.1 Statement of compliance

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

2.2 Basis of preparation

These financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for the revaluation of certain financial assets and financial liabilities, as explained in the accounting policies below. Historical cost is generally based on the consideration given in exchange for an asset.

2.3 Going concern assumption

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.

In making this assumption, management has taken in consideration the fact that the Company's accumulated losses are still significant and as at December 31, 2016 amount to EUR 463 million (2015:EUR 475 million). However, the Company has generated profits in recent years and subsequent to the unbundling of its Distribution and Supply divisions, it is no longer relying on Government grants to support its operations.

On the other hand, the Company is still relying on long term Government loans which as discussed in Note 12 were reprogramed and the interest accrued was forgiven by the Government. Nevertheless the Company's future viability is also dependent on the determination of tariffs and based on Law on Electricity 05-L-085 the electricity price will be determined on a free market. Implementation of price de-regulation for generation will start from April 1st 2017

2.4 Functional Currency

The Company's functional and reporting currency is Euro (EUR), where in accordance with the regulations of the European Monetary Union and instructions issued by the Central Bank of Kosovo, the EUR was adopted as the single legal currency in the territory of Kosovo from January 1, 2002.

2.5 Foreign currency transactions

Transactions denominated in currencies other than EUR are recorded at the exchange rate ruling on the transaction date. Exchange differences resulting from the settlement of transactions denominated in currencies other than EUR are included in the profit or loss using the exchange rate ruling on that date.

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than EUR are translated into EUR at the mid-market exchange rate at the date of the statement of financial position. Foreign currency gains and losses arising from the translation of assets and liabilities are reflected in the profit or loss as foreign exchange translation gains less losses.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.6 Property, plant and equipment

Items of property plant and equipment as at January 1, 2005 are stated at deemed cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment, whereas items of property plant and equipment purchased subsequent to January 1, 2005 are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment, if any.

Deemed cost represents the initial values of the assets assessed by the Company with the help of an independent consultant at the time of conversion from a Corporation to a Joint Stock Company as at January 1, 2005.

Subsequent costs are included in the asset's carrying amount or recognized as a separate asset, as appropriate, only when it is probable that future economic benefits associated with the item will flow to the Company and the cost of the item can be measured reliably. All other repairs and maintenance are charged to the profit or loss during the financial period in which they are incurred.

Land and forest is carried at deemed cost and is not depreciated. Depreciation on other assets is calculated using the straight-line method to allocate their cost to their residual values over their estimated useful lives, as follows:

Land in mines	6 - 50 years
Buildings	10 - 50 years
Industrial Heavy Equipment	10 - 15 years
Vehicles	6 - 7 years
Furniture, fittings and equipment	5 - 7 years

The assets residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each date of the statement of financial position. An asset's carrying amount is written down immediately to its recoverable amount if the asset's carrying amount is greater than its estimated recoverable amount.

Gains and losses on disposals are determined by comparing proceeds with the carrying amount. These are included in the profit or loss.

2.7 Intangible assets

Intangible assets comprise of licensed computer software. These are initially stated at cost and subsequently at their cost less accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses, if any. Amortization is recorded when these assets are available for use using straight line method whereby the cost of an intangible asset is written off over its estimated useful life.

The Company has recorded the deemed cost of assets, on January 1, 2005, on gross amount basis, where historical costs and impairment are stated separately and effects of any write offs during the periods are reflected accordingly.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.8 Impairment of non - financial assets

Assets that have an indefinite useful life are not subject to amortization and are tested annually for impairment. Assets that are subject to amortization are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognized for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount. The recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs to sell and value in use. For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (cash-generating units). Non-financial assets that suffered impairment are reviewed for possible reversal of the impairment at each reporting date.

2.9 Financial instruments

The Company classifies its investments into the following categories: financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, loans and receivables, held-to-maturity financial assets and available-for-sale financial assets. The classification depends on the purpose for which the investments were acquired. Management determines the classification of its investments at initial recognition and re-evaluates this at every reporting date.

Initial recognition and de-recognition

Regular-way purchases and sales of financial assets are recognized on trade date - the date on which the Company commits to purchase or sell the asset. Financial assets are initially recognized at fair value plus, in the case of all financial assets not carried at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to their acquisition. Financial assets carried at fair value through profit or losses are initially recognized at fair value, and transaction costs are expensed in the profit or loss.

Financial assets are derecognized when the rights to receive cash flows from them have expired or where they have been transferred and the Company has also transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership.

a) Financial assets at fair value through profit and loss

This category has two sub-categories: financial assets held for trading and those designated at fair value through profit or loss at inception. A financial asset is classified into the "financial assets at fair value through profit and loss" category at inception if acquired principally for the purpose of selling in the short term, if it forms part of a portfolio of financial assets in which there is evidence of short term profit-taking, or if so designated by management. Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss are subsequently carried at fair value. Realized and unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the 'financial assets at fair value through profit or loss' category are included in the profit or loss in the period in which they arise. The Company has no assets classified in this category.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.9 Financial Instruments (continued)

b) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market other than those that the Company intends to sell in the short term or that it has designated as at fair value through profit and loss or available for sale. Loans and receivables are recognized initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. A provision for impairment of loans and receivables is established when there is objective evidence that the Company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to their original terms.

Trade receivables are classified in this category. They are recognized initially at fair value and subsequently measured at recoverable amounts, less provision for impairment. A provision for impairment of trade receivables is established when there is objective evidence that the Company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables. Significant financial difficulties of the debtor, probability that the debtor will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganization, and default or delinquency in payments (more than 30 days overdue) are considered indicators that the trade receivable is impaired.

The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account, and the amount of the loss is recognized in the profit or loss. When a trade receivable is uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance account for trade receivables. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited to the profit or loss.

(c) Held-to-maturity financial assets

Held-to-maturity financial assets are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments and fixed maturities other than those that meet the definition of loans and receivables that the Company's management has the positive intention and ability to hold to maturity. These assets are recognized initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method, less provision for impairment. A provision for impairment of debt securities held to maturity is established when there is objective evidence that the Company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to their original terms.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.9 Financial Instruments (continued)

(d) Available-for-sale financial assets

Available-for-sale financial assets are non-derivative financial assets that are either designated in this category or not classified in any of the other categories. Available-for-sale financial assets are subsequently carried at fair value. Unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of non-monetary securities classified as available for sale are recognized in equity. When securities classified as available for sale are sold or impaired, the accumulated fair value adjustments are included in the profit or loss as net realized gains/losses on financial assets. Interest on available-for-sale securities calculated using the effective interest method is recognized in the profit or loss. Dividends on available-for-sale equity instruments are recognized in the profit or loss when the Company's right to receive payments is established. Both are included in the investment income line. The Company has no assets classified in this category.

Fair Values

The fair values of quoted investments are based on current bid prices. If the market for a financial asset is not active, the Company establishes fair value by using valuation techniques. These include the use of recent arm's length transactions, reference to other instruments that are substantially the same, discounted cash flow analysis etc.

2.10 Inventories

Materials, spare parts and consumables, principally relate to power plant and mining and are valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Cost is determined using the weighted average method and includes expenditures incurred in acquiring the inventories and bringing them to their present location and condition. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less applicable variable selling expenses. Materials and spare parts are expensed or capitalized to plant, as appropriate, when installed. A provision for slow moving and obsolete inventories (excluding coal and fuel) is recognized in the profit or loss, based on the management best estimate.

Lignite: The Company extracts its coal, which is used in the production process for the generation of electricity at its thermal power plants, from the two mines it operates. Lignite stocks are stated at cost, which comprises direct costs of extraction and an appropriate portion of those overheads that have been incurred in extracting it.

2.11 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and with banks. For cash flow purposes cash and cash equivalents represent cash on hand and unrestricted deposits at banks with a maturity period of three months or less.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.12 Borrowings

Borrowings represent the loans obtained from financial and government institutions and are measured at their fair value at the time of initial recognition, being the fair value of the consideration received net of the transaction costs incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition borrowings are recognized at amortized cost using the effective interest rate method.

Borrowing costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or production of a qualifying asset are recognized as part of the cost of that asset. All other borrowing costs are recognized as an expense in the period in which it incurs.

2.13 Trade and other payables

Liabilities for trade and other amounts payable are measured at cost which is the fair value of the consideration to be paid in the future for goods and services received whether billed to the Company or not.

2.14 Retirement benefit costs

The Company makes no provision and has no obligation for employees pensions over and above the contributions paid into the Kosovo Pension Saving Trust (KPST).

2.15 Taxation

Taxation has been provided for in the financial statements in accordance with Kosovo tax regulations in force from 01 September 2015, Law no.05/L -029 "On Corporate Income Tax". The income tax charge in the profit or loss for the year comprises current tax and changes in deferred tax. Current tax is calculated on the basis of the expected taxable profit for the year using the tax rates in force at the date of the statement of financial position.

Taxable profit differs from profit as reported in the profit or loss because it excludes items of income or expense that are taxable or deductible in other years and it further excludes items that are never taxable or deductible. Taxes other than income taxes are recorded within operating expenses.

Deferred tax is recognized on differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax base used in the computation of taxable profit and are accounted for using the balance sheet method. Deferred tax liabilities are generally recognized for all taxable temporary differences and deferred tax assets are recognized to the extent that it is probable that taxable profits will be available against which deductible temporary differences can be utilized.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each date of the statement of financial position and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profits will be available to allow all or part of the asset to be recovered.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.15 Taxation (continued)

Deferred tax is calculated at the tax rates that are expected to apply in the period when the liability is settled or the asset realized. Deferred tax is charged or credited to profit or loss, except when it relates to items charged or credited directly to equity like previously revalued PPE treated as deemed cost on transition to IFRS, in which case the deferred tax is also dealt with in equity. Subsequent measurement to the deferred tax liability is also accounted in equity as other comprehensive income.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and when they relate to income taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the Company intends to settle its current tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

2.16 Revenue recognition

Revenues from the sale of electricity are recognized when electricity is provided to customers. Billing for electricity sales are made each month within five (5) days of the month following the month in which the consumption of electricity is performed.

2.17 Government grants

Government grants are not recognised until there is reasonable assurance that the Company will comply with the conditions attaching to them and that the grants will be received.

Government grants whose primary condition is that the Company should purchase, construct or otherwise acquire non-current assets are recognised as deferred income in the statement of financial position and transferred to the profit or loss on a systematic and rational basis over the useful lives of the related assets.

Additionally the company receives government grants for purchase of electricity when needed. The company defers such grants until the purchase electricity has been delivered and invoiced to the subscribers, which normally occurs within the year.

2.18 Provisions

A provision is recognized when the Company has a present obligation as a result of a past event and it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. Provisions are reviewed at each date of the statement of financial position and adjusted to reflect the current best estimate. Where the effect of the time value of money is material, the amount of provision is the present value of the expenditures expected to be required to settle the obligation.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

2.19 Related parties

Related parties are those where one of the parties is controlled by the other or has significant influence in making financial or business decisions of the other party.

2.20 Commitments and contingencies

Contingent liabilities are not recognized in the financial statements. A contingent liability is disclosed unless the possibility of an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits is remote. A contingent asset is not recognized in the financial statements but disclosed when an inflow of economic benefits is probable. The amount of a contingent loss is recognized as a provision if it is probable that future events will confirm that, a liability incurred as at the date of the statement of financial position and a reasonable estimate of the amount of the resulting loss can be made.

2.21 Events after reporting date

Post-year-end events that provide additional information about a Company's position at the statement of financial position date (adjusting events) are reflected in the financial statements. Post-year-end events that are not adjusting events are disclosed in the notes when material.

3 CRITICAL JUDGMENTS IN APPLYING THE COMPANY'S ACCOUNTING POLICIES

There are no critical judgements, apart from those involving estimations (see 3.1 below), that the management have made in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies and that have the significant effect on the amounts recognised in these financial statements.

3.1 Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The following are the key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the end of the reporting period, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying of the assets and liabilities within the next financial year.

Impairment and useful lives of property, plant and equipment

As described in note 2.6 above, the Company reviews the estimated useful lives of property, plant and equipment at the end of each reporting period. Any change in continued use of properties or other factor may impact the useful lives of assets and accordingly may significantly change the carrying amount of those assets.

The carrying amount of property, plant and equipment is dependent upon the decisions of the independent energy regulator of Kosovo on determination of energy tariffs. Future changes in the level of tariffs may have significant impact on the carrying amount of the Company's assets.

Provision of receivables and inventories

In normal course of business, the Company makes estimation for recovery and realisation of receivables and inventories respectively. Based on this assessment, management records an appropriate provision for impairment of receivables and write-down of inventories. Actual results may differ from estimation.

Assessment of legal cases

normal course of business, the Company makes estimation for settlement amounts of legal cases as guided by the legal counsel of the Company. On the basis of this estimation, the Company accordingly records the provisions, if any, or discloses the contingent liability. Actual results may differ from estimation.

Assessment for environmental, decommissioning and other related matters

Currently there is no binding legal requirement for environmental, decommissioning and other related provisions in Kosovo. The Company regularly performs its internal assessments for such provisions and recognizes them depending on the nature and circumstances around those provisions. Depending on the nature and size of the operations of the Company in future and further on any possible change in legal framework in Kosovo, actual results may differ from the assessments of the Company.

4. ADOPTION OF NEW AND REVISED STANDARDS

4.1 New standards, interpretations and amendments effective from 1 January 2016

A number of new standards issued by International Accounting Standards Board, interpretations and amendments issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee are effective for the first time for periods beginning on (or after) 1 January 2016.

Note: not all new standards and interpretations effective for the first time for periods beginning on (or after) 1 January 2016 effect the Company financial statements.

- IFRS 14 Regulatory Deferral Accounts;
- IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements, IFRS 12 Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities and IAS 28 Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures;
- Amendments to IFRS 10 and IAS 28 Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture;
- IFRS 11 Joint Arrangements Amendments - Acquisitions of Interests in Joint Operations;
- IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements (Amendments - Disclosure Initiative)
- IAS 16 Property, Plant and Equipment (Amendments - Acceptable Methods of Depreciation)
- IAS 27 Separate Financial Statements (Amendments - Equity Method in Separate Financial Statements)
- IAS 38 Intangible Assets (Amendments - Acceptable Methods of Amortization);
- IAS 41 Agriculture (Amendments - Bearer Plants).

4.2 New standards, interpretations and amendments that are effective in periods after December 31, 2016 year ends

Below is a list of new and revised IFRSs that are not yet mandatorily effective (but allow early application) for the year ending December 31, 2016:

- IFRS 9 Financial Instruments;
- IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers and related Clarifications;
- IFRS 16 Leases;
- IFRS 10 Consolidated Financial Statements Amendments - Sale or Contribution of Assets;
- IAS 12 Income Taxes Amendment - Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets for Unrealized Losses;
- IAS 7 Statement of Cash Flows Disclosure Initiative Amendments;
- Amendments to IFRS 2 Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions;
- IFRS 4 Insurance Contracts Amendment - Applying IFRS 9 Financial Instruments;
- IAS 40 Investment Property Amendment - Transfers of Investment Property;
- IFRIC Interpretation 22 Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration

The Company has chosen not to adopt these standards, revisions and interpretations in advance of their effective dates. The company anticipates that the adoption of these standards, revisions and interpretations will have no material impact on the company's financial statements in the period of initial application.

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5 PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	Land and forest (in 000 EUR)	Land in mines (in 000 EUR)	Buildings (in 000 EUR)	Equipment (in 000 EUR)	Construction in progress (in 000 EUR)	Total (in 000 EUR)
Cost/Deemed costs:						
As at January 1, 2015	11,489	39,884	37,360	536,847	10,152	635,732
Additions	-	-	530	17,800	2,765	21,095
Written off	-	-	(1,010)	(775)	-	(1,785)
Internal transfers	-	14	403	1,558	(1,975)	-
As at December 31, 2015	11,489	39,898	37,283	555,430	10,942	655,042
As at January 1, 2016	11,489	39,898	37,283	555,430	10,942	655,042
Additions	-	-	632	6,539	2,925	10,093
Written off	-	-	(518)	(2,277)	-	(2,795)
Internal transfers	-	-	2,399	8,483	(10,882)	-
As at December 31, 2016	11,489	39,898	39,796	568,175	2,982	662,340

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5	PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED)	Land and forest					Construction in progress (in 000 EUR)	Total (in 000 EUR)
		(in 000 EUR)	Land in mines (in 000 EUR)	Buildings (in 000 EUR)	Equipment (in 000 EUR)	(in 000 EUR)		
Accumulated depreciation:								
	As at January 1, 2015	-	12,360	19,166	253,932	-	285,458	
	Charge for the year	-	794	1,430	37,355	-	39,579	
	Removed on written off assets	-	-	(654)	(647)	-	(1,301)	
	As at December 31, 2015	-	13,154	19,942	290,640	-	323,736	
	As at January 1, 2016	-	13,154	19,942	290,640	-	323,736	
	Charge for the year	-	2,998	1,236	30,945	-	35,179	
	Removed on written off assets	-	-	(512)	(1,782)	-	(2,294)	
	As at December 31, 2016	-	16,152	20,666	319,803	-	356,621	
Net book value:								
	As at December 31, 2015	11,489	26,744	17,341	264,790	10,942	331,306	
	As at December 31, 2016	11,489	23,746	19,131	248,373	2,982	305,721	

As at December 31, 2016 and 2015, the Company's equipment and mining assets are collateralized against borrowings from loan from Ministry of Finance (see Note 12).

Included in the 'land', 'buildings' and 'equipment' are certain properties, which are under the control of the Company but for which the Company does not possess the appropriate ownership documentation. The Company is in process of resolving matter and to complete the documentation with the assistance of Government of Kosovo

5.1 Property, plant and equipment written off

During 2016 the Company wrote off against current profit and loss, items of property, plant and equipment net carrying value of which amount EUR 502 thousand (2015: EUR 484 thousand) (see Note 22).

6 INTANGIBLE ASSETS

	Software (in 000 EUR)
Cost/deemed cost:	
Balance as at January 1, 2015	232
Additions during the year	-
Balance as at December 31, 2015	232
Additions during the year	28
Write offs	(5)
Balance as at December 31, 2016	255
Accumulated amortization:	
Balance as at January 1, 2015	182
Amortization for the year	18
Balance as at December 31, 2015	200
Amortization for the year	16
Write offs	(5)
Balance as at December 31, 2016	211
Net Value	
Net book value as at December 31, 2015	32
Net book value as at December 31, 2016	44

7 INVENTORIES

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Materials and consumables	30,877	31,161
Lignite	4,985	3,743
Fuel	2,354	1,741
Spare parts	12,340	10,781
Others	10,817	10,378
	<u>61,373</u>	<u>57,804</u>
Provision for obsolete inventories	(38,423)	(38,854)
	<u>22,950</u>	<u>18,950</u>

Movements in inventory provision account are presented as follows

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Balance at 1 January	(38,854)	(39,705)
Release/(Charge) for the period	431	851
Balance at 31 December	(38,423)	(38,854)

8 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Trade receivables:		
Local customers	47,435	46,262
Foreign customers	3,744	3,974
	<u>51,179</u>	<u>50,236</u>
Provision for bad debts	(31,566)	(31,467)
	<u>19,613</u>	<u>18,769</u>
Other receivables:		
Advances to suppliers	1,874	1,948
Other receivables	2,246	2,706
	<u>4,120</u>	<u>4,654</u>
Provision for other receivables and advances	(1,521)	(1,521)
Total other receivables	<u>2,599</u>	<u>3,133</u>
Total	<u>22,212</u>	<u>21,902</u>

Movements in Provision for bad debts and other receivables are shown as follows:

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Balance at 1 January	(32,988)	(32,745)
Reclassified from provisions (see Note 14)	211	-
Charge for the Period	(310)	(243)
Balance at 31 December	<u>(33,087)</u>	<u>(32,988)</u>

Subsequent to the transfer of the Distribution and Supply divisions, KEK entered into an agreement with KEDS to assign to KEDS the collection of outstanding receivables and KEK has written off all the amounts receivable from individual and commercial clients, which were already fully provided for. The Gross amount of these receivables on the date of transfer was Eur 416 million and the balance as at December 31, 2016 is 301 million (2015: EUR 403 million).

Provisions are created for the following bad debts:

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
KEDS JSC	21,177	21,177
Trepça	5,605	5,605
Ferronikel	748	748
Provision for EPS - Serbia and KESH - Albania		
Exports	3,743	3,743
Costumers	293	194
	<u>31,566</u>	<u>31,467</u>
Rima Engineering	198	198
Wibrem	193	193
Alstom	295	295
Other Costumers	835	835
	<u>1,521</u>	<u>1,521</u>
Balance at 31 December	<u>33,087</u>	<u>32,988</u>

9 CASH ON HAND AND AT BANKS

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Current accounts with banks	63,304	41,118
Cash on hand	1	3
	<u>63,305</u>	<u>41,121</u>

Current accounts with banks bear interest in the range of 0.022% per annum (2015: 0.022% per annum). The fair value of cash at banks and on hand is Euro 63,305 thousand (2015: EUR 41,121 thousand).

10 SHARE CAPITAL

As at December 31, 2016 and according to the Business Registration issued by the Kosovo Business Registration Agency under Business Reg. No. 70325399, total subscribed capital amounts to EUR 25 thousand (2015: same). It comprises of 25,000 ordinary shares at 1 (one) EUR per share. The Company's sole shareholder is Government of Kosovo.

11 RESERVES

Reserves, which at 31 December 2016 amount to EUR 565,772 thousand (2015: EUR 565,735 thousand) have been initially accounted for in the Company's books as difference between the registered share capital and the value of the Company's net assets as determined by independent valuation at the date of its incorporation as JSC (January 1, 2005). These reserves are removed on the disposal of the related assets. Further these reserves are not available for distribution to shareholder.

Reserves also include the deferred tax effect (release of deferred tax liability) initially created based on the revaluation of property, plant and equipment upon transition to IFRS (see Note 25).

12 BORROWINGS

The Company has received long-term and short term loans from the Government of Republic of Kosova, as follows:

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Non-current portion		
Interest bearing loan from Ministry of Finance	182,680	189,395
	<u>182,680</u>	<u>189,395</u>
Current portion		
Interest bearing loan from Ministry of Finance	6,716	2,557
Accrued Interest	834	508
	<u>7,550</u>	<u>3,065</u>
Total borrowings	<u>189,396</u>	<u>192,460</u>

12 BORROWINGS (CONTINUED)

Government loans:

On 8 April 2015, the Government of Republic of Kosova represented by the Ministry of Finance has decided to redesign the KEK loans and rearrange them in two loans. With the same agreement and the decision of the Government of Republic of Kosova dated 24 March 2015, the accrued interest up to 31 of December 2014 was forgiven. Income released based on this decision amounts EUR 19,986 thousand and is recognized in the current profit and loss (see Note 19).

The first loan in amount of EUR 166,387 thousand is for Mines and the principal and interest are repayable in 18 years in 36 equal installments except for the first interest payment of EUR 1,500 thousand which is payable on 15 October 2015. The principal and interest are payable starting from 15 October 2017 and carries interest at the rate of 2.5% p.a at maximum. The loan is secured against pledge of company's' property plant and equipment (see Note 5).

The second loan in amount of EUR 25,565 thousand is for generation and the principal and interest are repayable in 9 years in 18 equal installments starting from 15 April 2016 and carries interest at the rate of 2.5% p.a at maximum. The loan is secured against pledge of company's' property plant and equipment (see Note 5).

The repayment plan of the loans is as follows:

	Total (in 000 EUR)
Within 12 months	6,716
2017	10,876
2018	10,876
2019	10,876
After 2019	150,052
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	189,396
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13 DEFERRED GRANTS

The Company has received various grants from the Government of Republic of Kosova as follows:

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
As at January 1,	45,499	52,563
Grants received during the year		160
Amortized during the year (Note 18)	(6,462)	(7,224)
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Balance as at December 31,	39,037	45,499
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14 PROVISIONS

The Company's provisions as shown in the statement of financial position are further analyzed as follows:

	As at December 31, 2016			As at December 31, 2015					
	Clean-up and land reclamation	Legal cases	Staff pension	Total	Clean-up and land reclamation	Legal cases	Staff pension	Total	
	(in 000 EUR)			(in 000 EUR)			(in 000 EUR)		
Balance as at January 1,	33,058	18,331	1,846	53,235	33,216	18,372	1,958	53,546	
Change / release during the year		(782)	(120)	(902)	(158)	(41)	(112)	(311)	
As at December 31,	33,058	17,549	1,726	52,333	33,058	18,331	1,846	53,235	

Clean-up and land reclamation provisions:

The balance of provision as at December 31, 2016 represents the Company's best estimate of costs related to clean-up and land reclamation, ash dump removal and decommissioning of gasification plant from energy generation sites. These costs are based on the management internal assessments, where management believes that timings of cash flow in this regard will be 3-10 years. While making provision assessments, the Company utilized all related factors including possible offers for such projects, estimated timing of cash flows and other market related information.

Given below is the breakdown of clean-up and land reclamation provisions.

	2016	2015
	(in 000 EUR)	(in 000 EUR)
Clean-up and land reclamation	327	327
Conversion of dry ash to wet	2,350	2,350
Stored chemical removal	5	5
Ash dump removal	11,922	11,922
Overburden dump	2,454	2,454
Decommissioning of gasification plant	15,600	15,600
Air reduction pollution in Kosovo B	400	400
	33,058	33,058

14 PROVISIONS (CONTINUED)

Legal provision:

As at December 31, 2016, the Company has reassessed the possible impact of court cases. The Company believes that the amount of EUR 17,549 thousand (December 31, 2015: EUR 18,331 thousand) is a best estimate for any probable outflow of cash.

Staff pension provision:

Staff provision relates to certain number of ex-employees with whom the Company had service contracts specifying the post-employment benefits owing to certain conditions. The Company recorded this provision based on the recent decision by the Constitutional Court, whereby the Court referred to the Supreme Court to revisit its previous decision in the light of constitutional rights of employees. In prior years, the Company stopped making such contracts and ultimately stopped making such payments. During 2007 based on the Supreme Court's decision in favour of the Company, the Company removed the provision from its books.

15 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

Trade payables are non-interest bearing liabilities with domestic and foreign suppliers and are normally settled on a period ranging from 30 days to 180 days.

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Trade Creditors		
Creditor		
Local suppliers	6,235	6,560
Foreign suppliers	2,585	2,524
	<u>8,820</u>	<u>9,084</u>
Other current payables		
Salaries to employees	3,748	4,053
Corporate tax payable for the year	1,369	1,356
Customers advances	434	298
VAT	372	612
Other payables	37	34
	<u>5,960</u>	<u>6,353</u>
	<u>14,780</u>	<u>15,437</u>

16 ACCRUED EXPENSES

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Lignite royalty fee	7,286	6,953
Other accrued expenses	257	270
	<u>7,543</u>	<u>7,223</u>

Lignite royalty fee represents royalties paid in connection with the mining activities of the Company for extraction of lignite used in the power plants. The royalty tax is Euro 3\ton in 2016 (2015: EUR 3\ton). Total royalty fee charged in current profit and loss for the year ended 31 December 2016 amounts to EUR 26,670 thousand (2015: EUR 24,725 thousand).

17 SALES

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Sale of electricity		
Domestic and industrial customers	152,456	137,976
Export of electricity	1,322	1,654
	<u>153,778</u>	<u>139,630</u>
Other sales		
Sales of coal	2,017	3,574
Other	814	1,341
	<u>2,831</u>	<u>4,915</u>
	<u>156,609</u>	<u>144,545</u>

Domestic and industrial customers in 2016 and 2015 represent energy sold to KEDS after the unbundling of the distribution and supply division on May 8, 2013. The sales of electricity represent actual billed energy to the clients.

18 INCOME FROM GRANTS

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Amortization of deferred grants related to long-term tangible asse	6,462	7,224
	<u>6,462</u>	<u>7,224</u>

19 OTHER INCOME

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Collection of client receivables from KEDS	5,491	1,224
Decrease in environmental provisions	-	158
Income from rent	32	40
Other income	759	1,738
	<u>6,282</u>	<u>3,160</u>

20 STAFF COSTS

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Salaries, net	39,714	40,100
Pension contributions and taxes	7,618	7,644
Other	1,651	1,681
	<u>48,983</u>	<u>49,425</u>

21 ELECTRICITY AND OTHER UTILITIES

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Fuel	6,467	7,233
Transmission of electricity	3,718	4,420
Gas and water	659	736
Exchange of electricity	1,624	644
Electricity purchases	85	-
	<u>12,553</u>	<u>13,033</u>

22 OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Insurance expenses	2,009	2,063
Non-production expenses	773	1,061
Licenses	1,446	725
Transport services	154	127
Loss from write of off property, plant and equipment (Note 5)	-	484
Loss on damaged property, plant and equipment (Note 5)	502	-
Other	12,538	3,129
	<u>17,422</u>	<u>7,589</u>

23 FINANCIAL INCOME/EXPENSES NET

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Interest income	4	35
Interest (expense) on borrowings and delayed payments	(7,627)	(2,008)
Financial income/(charges), net	<u>(7,623)</u>	<u>(1,973)</u>

24 TAXATION

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Profit before taxation	14,693	8,044
<i>Adjustments for tax purposes:</i>		
Depreciation	2,341	5,518
Other expenses	11,576	-
Taxable Profit	28,610	13,562
Income tax expense for the year	2,861	1,356

According to the Corporate Income Law no.05/L -029 entered into force commencing on 1 September 2015, the Company is required to pay income tax at a rate of 10% on the taxable profit, as calculated in the annual Income Tax Return Statement. In accordance with new Law, tax losses may be carried forward to be set off during the next six years following the year in which the tax loss was incurred.

The Company's financial statements for the years ended December 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015 are subject to inspection by local tax authorities. The Company's management used its best estimate and judgment to comply with the tax laws including the use of results of previous tax inspections. Owing to use of judgment in complying with certain requirements of tax laws and depending on the tax authorities' assessment, income tax expense for the year ended December 31, 2016 may differ significantly compared to the one reported in these financial statements.

25 DEFERRED TAX ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Deferred tax liabilities relate to items of property plant and equipment revalued as at January 1, 2005 and stated at deemed cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment.

	Year ended December 31, 2016 (in 000 EUR)	Year ended December 31, 2015 (in 000 EUR)
Accounting carrying amount	293,075	308,907
Tax carrying amount	175,342	190,805
Taxable temporary difference	117,733	118,102
Deferred tax liability at 10%	11,773	11,810

Total deferred tax liability released through other comprehensive income for the year ended 31 December 2016 amounts EUR 37 thousand (2015: EUR 681 thousand).

Commitments:

As at December 31, 2016, the Company has capital commitments of EUR 626 thousand (2015: EUR 15,372 thousand). The Company has no operational lease commitments as at year end.

Litigations:

As of the date of these financial statements the Company is involved in 823 lawsuits (2015: 794 cases). Other than provision recognized in these financial statements, the Company believes that there will be no additional provision required against the cases pending in court. Movement in provision for legal cases is as follows:

	Amount of Provision ('000)	Number of Cases
31 December 2015	18,331	794
New claims for the period		135
Claims closed during the period	(782)	(106)
31 December 2016	17,549	823

Tax Litigations

The Company's financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2011 to 2016 are subject to inspection by local tax authorities.

The Company's management used its best estimate and judgment to comply with the tax laws including the use of results of previous tax inspections. Owing to use of judgment in complying with certain requirements of tax laws and depending on the tax authorities' assessment, tax expenses, liabilities and prepayments as at December 31, 2016 and 2015 may differ significantly compared to the one reported in these financial statements.

Bank guarantees:

As at December 31, 2016, outstanding guarantees issued in favor of the Company were amounting to EUR 646 thousand (as at December 31, 2015: EUR 267 thousand).

Decommissioning and clean-up costs:

The Government of Kosovo is committed to decommission TPP 'Kosova A', due to its age and environmental pollution, but also for the fact that Kosovo is a party to the ENCT and must comply with European Directive 2001/80/EC, on the limitation of emissions of certain pollutants into the air from large combustion plants.

Based on the Energy Strategy of the Republic of Kosovo for the period 2009-2018 is foreseen that the Power generation from TPP Kosova A, operating with A3, A4 and A5 units and in line with the European Directive for Large Combustion Plants, the units of TPP Kosova A could be operated until the end of 2017. In relation to this activity, the Government of the Republic of Kosovo issued its Decision No. 22/109, which establishes three working groups for the preparation for decommissioning of TPP Kosova A and other facilities at its location.

Whereas based on the Draft Energy Strategy of the republic of Kosovo for the period 2013-2022 is foreseen that time of decommissioning of TPP Kosova A, is closely linked with the entry into operation of TPP Kosova e Re, in order not to create a shortage of electricity in local capacities. It should also be noted that the dismantling of all units of TPP Kosova A will start immediately after the decommissioning of its active units.

26 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (CONTINUED)

In addition to recognized environment provisions disclosed in Note 14, the Company acknowledges that there are a number of environmental concerns and liabilities arising from the Operations of the Company that require significant cost to rectify. Based on a decommissioning study dated March 15th 2010, such costs are estimated as follows:

	(in million EUR)
Demolition, cleaning and revitalization of the area with a number of supporting facilities serving for five units of Kosova A	28.4
Social issues; which include retraining of workers, socialization, early retirement and other forms of rehabilitations of workers.	5
Decommissioning of Gasification and Nitrogen	17.5
“KosovaThëngjilli” (Kosova Coal), decommissioning and rehabilitation of the environment in the area of TC Kosova A	5
Total estimated	55.9

These costs may not be the ultimate outcome of the cost of settling these obligations and further studies are required and are planned to ascertain the potential liabilities.

The Company however has no current legal liability to settle these obligations as such obligations are not clearly foreseen by the legislation in force. Consequently, it has not recognized a provision in its financial statements.

As of the reporting date there are no new decisions or information available to us which would indicate different approach to the TPP Kosova A units.

27 CATEGORIES OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Financial assets		
<i>Loans and receivables (amortized cost)</i>		
Trade and other receivables (Note 8)	22,212	21,475
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 9)	63,305	41,121
	<u>85,517</u>	<u>62,596</u>
Financial liabilities		
<i>Other liabilities (amortized cost)</i>		
Trade and other payables	13,411	13,783
Borrowings	189,396	192,460
	<u>202,807</u>	<u>206,243</u>

A:- Capital Risk Management

The Company manages its capital to ensure that the Company will be able to continue as a going concern while maximizing the return to shareholder through the optimization of the debt and equity balance.

The capital structure of the company consists of borrowings and the equity attributable to equity holder, comprising capital, reserves and retained losses.

Gearing ratio

Management reviews the capital structure on continuously basis. As part of this review, management considers the cost of capital and the risk associated with each class of capital. The gearing ratio at the year-end was as follow:

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Debt	189,396	192,460
Equity	102,719	90,850
Debt to equity ratio	184%	212%

B:- Credit risk

The Company is subject to credit risk through its selling activities. In this respect, the credit risk for the Company stems from the possibility that different counterparties might default on their contractual obligations. The amount of credit exposure in this regard is represented by the carrying amounts of the assets on the statement of financial position. Trade receivables are therefore monitored on monthly basis and customers warned promptly.

The Company analyzes its receivables based on their origin and nature and not based on their age. Subsequent to the transfer of the Distribution and Supply operations, KEK has significantly reduced its exposure of credit risk.

At 31 December the Company has certain trade receivables that have not been settled by the contractual due date but are not considered to be impaired. The amounts at 31 December, analyzed by the length of time past due, are:

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Past due not impaired receivables		
Not more than 3 months	885	845
3 - 6 months	313	412
6 - 12 months	158	298
More than 1 year	189	219
	1,545	1,774

The credit risk for cash and cash equivalents is considered negligible, since the counterparties are reputable banks.

The carrying amount of financial assets recorded in the financial statements, which is net of impairment losses, represents the Company's maximum exposure to credit risk.

28 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

C:- Market risk

The Company's activities expose it primarily to the financial risk of changes in interest rates, as below in 27(e) and commodity risk in 27(d). The market risk is not concentrated to currency risk, as majority of the transactions of the Company are in local currency.

D:- Commodity risk

Commodity Risk refers to the uncertainties of future market values and of the size of the future income, caused by the fluctuation in the prices of commodities. The Company imports electricity to cover the deficit in the energy balance of Kosovo, thereby exposing the Company to commodity risk.

However, starting from May 2013, KEK is no longer importing energy. Hence, its exposure to commodity risk is limited to export of energy that is not significant for the Company's operations currently.

E:-Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is comprised of the risk that the value of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market interest rates and the risk that the maturities of interest bearing assets differ from the maturities of the interest bearing liabilities used to fund those assets (re-pricing risk). The length of time for which the rate of interest is fixed on a financial instrument therefore indicates to what extent it is exposed to interest rate risk.

Management believes that other than borrowings the Company is not exposed to interest rate risk on its financial instruments. As at December 31, 2016 and 2015, all borrowings are obtained from the Government of Kosovo, who is the 100% shareholder of the Company, with variables interest rates. Given below is the analysis of both financial assets and financial liabilities.

	2016 (in 000 EUR)	2015 (in 000 EUR)
Assets		
<i>Non - interest bearing</i>		
Trade and other receivables	21,859	21,475
Cash and cash equivalents	1	3
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	21,860	21,478
<i>Fixed rate interest</i>		
Cash and cash equivalents	63,304	41,118
Liabilities		
<i>Non - interest bearing</i>		
Trade and other payables	12,977	13,783
<i>Variable rate interest</i>		
Borrowings	189,396	191,952

28 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

The Company's financial liabilities are with variable interest rate which at maximum can rise up to 2.5% p.a.

The following table illustrates the sensitivity of profit and equity to a reasonably possible change in interest rates of +/- 2.5% (2015: +/- 2.5%).

	Profit for the year		Equity	
	+2.5%	-2.5%	+2.5%	-2.5%
31 December 2016	4,735	(4,735)	-	-
31 December 2015	4,812	(4,812)	-	-

F:-Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk reflects the Company's inability in raising funds to meet commitments. Management closely monitors the Company's liquidity and cash flow position. This includes maintenance of statement of financial position liquidity ratios, debtors and creditors concentration both in terms of the overall funding mix and avoidance of undue reliance on large individual customer. As at 31 December 2015 and 2014, the Company's liabilities have contractual maturities (including interest payments where applicable) as summarized below:

As at December 31, 2016	Within 1 Month	From 1 to 3 months	From 3 to 12 months	From 1 year to 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
	(in 000 EUR)					
Trade and other payables	3,944	9,467	-	-	-	13,411
Provisions	-	350	353	16,001	35,629	52,333
Borrowings (Note 12)	-	-	6,716	54,380	131,364	192,460
Accrued expenses	7,543	-	-	-	-	7,543
Total liabilities	11,487	9,817	7,069	70,381	166,993	265,747
	(in 000 EUR)					
As at December 31, 2015	Within 1 Month	From 1 to 3 months	From 3 to 12 months	From 1 year to 5 years	Over 5 years	Total
Trade and other payables	4,053	9,730	-	-	-	13,783
Provisions	-	356	359	16,277	36,243	53,235
Borrowings (Note 12)	-	-	3,065	28,468	160,927	192,460
Accrued expenses	6,953	270	-	-	-	7,223
Total liabilities	11,006	10,356	3,424	44,745	197,170	266,701

28 FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

G:- Fair value of financial instruments

The fair values of current assets and current liabilities approximate their carrying values due to their short-term nature. The fair value of borrowings as well approximates the fair value because although they are variable interest bearings loans the lender has punctually waived all interests from the company.

In 000 EUR	Carrying amounts		Fair values	
	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Financial assets				
Trade and other receivables	21,859	21,475	21,859	21,475
Cash and Banks	63,305	41,121	63,305	41,121
Total	85,164	62,596	85,164	62,596

In 000 EUR	Carrying amounts		Fair values	
	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15	31-Dec-16	31-Dec-15
Financial Liabilities				
Trade and other accounts payable	12,977	13,783	12,977	13,783
Borrowings	189,396	192,460	189,396	192,460
Total	202,373	206,243	202,373	206,243

The fair value of the financial assets and liabilities are included at the amount at which the instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties, other than in a forced or liquidation sale.

29 PRODUCTION AND LOSSES OF ELECTRICITY

The Company has two power plants; Kosova A and Kosova B for electricity production purposes. These plants have total operating capacity of 860 MW, and operated at 91.80 % of the plants' capacity during 2016 (2015: 78.60%). The production of energy in both plants for 2015 was 5,600,670 MW/h (2015: 5,360,988 MW/h).

	2016 (in MW/h)	2015 (in MW/h)
Kosova A		
Unit A3	668,232	925,999
Unit A4	879,870	773,348
Unit A5	766,707	357,334
	<u>2,314,809</u>	<u>2,056,681</u>
Kosova B		
Unit B1	1,919,948	1,986,124
Unit B2	2,014,009	1,935,890
	<u>3,933,957</u>	<u>3,922,014</u>
Total	<u>6,248,766</u>	<u>5,978,695</u>
Internal Consumption	(403,666)	(491,155)
Internal Consumption - Kostt	(244,430)	(126,551)
	<u>(648,096)</u>	<u>(617,706)</u>
Net energy produced	<u>5,600,670</u>	<u>5,360,989</u>

During 2014 an accidental explosion occurred in the electrolysis unit of power plant Kosovo A ("TCA"), which affected the power generation capacity of the company. As a result of the explosion unit A5 and A4 of the plant dropped from system, while unit A3 was disconnected according to the procedures manual. Both units were reinstated during the year 2015.

The production of lignite in 2016 was 8.800.848 ton (2015: 8,240,994 ton).

Electricity losses:

After the unbundling of the distribution and supply divisions, KEK is no longer exposed to energy losses in the network.

30 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

In the ordinary course of business, KEK entered into transactions during the financial reporting periods with customers who are Government entities and individuals who are associated with or work for Government entities. The Company has also a related party relationship with its directors and executive officers. The monetary transactions with related parties are disclosed below:

Account	Description of transaction	Year ended December31 2016	Year ended December31 2015
Borrowings	Ministry of Finance	189,396	192,460
Interest expense	Ministry of Finance	4,440	2,000
Compensation (salaries)	Executive and non-executive officers	143	143

31 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

After 31 December 2016 - the reporting date until the approval of these financial statements, there are no adjusting events reflected in the financial statements or events that are materially significant for disclosure in these financial statements.