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Draft royal decree on the connection to the network of low-power electricity generating plants

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

Generation and distribution of electricity

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

This royal decree is intended to implement Law 54/1997 of 27 November on the electricity sector, pursuant to Directive 2004/8/EC of 11 February and Directive 2009/28/EC of 23 April by setting out the basic technical and administrative conditions for connection to the low- and high-voltage network up to 36 kV of low-power cogeneration and renewable energy installations, taking into account their particular characteristics and with a view to establishing specific regulations for the development of such activities.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

This royal decree has been drafted for the following reasons:

- To define the procedures and requirements for connecting low-power cogeneration and renewable installations to the distribution networks.
- To define a streamlined procedure for low-power installations to be connected at points where there is already a supply.
- To promote the development of the concept of distributed generation, which brings benefits to the system such as a reduction in losses on the network, a reduced need for investment in new networks and, finally, minimisation of the impact of electrical installations on their environment.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Reference to basic texts: - Directive 2009/28/EC OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 23 April 2009 on the promotion of the use of energy from renewable sources and amending and subsequently repealing Directives 2001/77/EC and 2003/30/EC.



- DIRECTIVE 2004/8/EC OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 11 February 2004 on the promotion of cogeneration based on a useful heat demand in the internal energy market and amending Directive 92/42/EEC.

- Law 54/1997 of 27 November on the electricity sector

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

15. Impact assessment

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16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT relevance

No – The draft is compliant with an international standard

SPS relevance:

No - the draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure.

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