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**Summary list of acts and regulations
adopted, prepared or being prepared during
July 2007 – April 2008 and plans for the near
future**

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Introduction

This short report is developed in response to the request of the Director of the Energy Community Secretariat in Vienna. It summarises the work performed during the period July 2007 – April 2008 and plans for the near future regarding development and adoption in Kosovo of legal acts and regulations related to the obligations in the framework of the Energy Community Treaty.

Summary list of acts and regulations which have been adopted, prepared or being prepared, or are planned for adoption in the near future follows.

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**Summary list of primary and secondary legislation adopted, prepared or being prepared
during July 2007 – April 2008, and planned for preparation/adoption in the near future**

No	Primary and Secondary Legislation	Status	Note
I	Energy		
A	<i>Adopted</i>		
1	Government Decision on promoting Incentive measures for generation of electricity from renewable energy sources and co-generation in Kosovo for the period 2007-2013	Adopted	Government Regulation
2	Government Decision on Energy Auditing	Adopted	Government Regulation
3	Government Decision on labeling energy consumption and energy efficiency of electric household appliances	Adopted	Government Regulation
4	Administrative Instruction on eligible customers for 2008	Adopted	Regulation of the Minister of Energy and Mining
B	<i>Prepared but not adopted yet</i>		
1	Draft Law on Gas in Kosovo	Draft ready to be submitted to the Government for further processing	Draft Law on Gas is in line with relevant EC acquis. It is discussed with the experts of the EnCT Secretariat on April 30, 2008
2	Draft Law on District Heating	Draft Law on District Heating exist	The existing draft Law on District Heating is withdrawn from the Kosovo Assembly for reprocessing later in 2008
3	Draft Government Decision on the Use of Biofuels in Transport	Presented to the Government for further processing	Expected to be adopted later in 2008
4	Draft Government Decision on the promotion of energy end-use efficiency and energy services	Presented to the Government for further processing	Expected to be adopted later in 2008
5	Draft Administrative instruction on establishing energy offices at the communal level	To be presented for further processing	Expected to be adopted later in 2008
C	<i>Planned</i>		
1	Law on Energy Efficiency	A draft law exist since 2006	The existing draft Law on Energy Efficiency need to be reviewed
2	Administrative Instruction on eligible customers for 2009	Not prepared yet	To be adopted by en of January 2009

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II	Environment		
A	<i>Adopted</i>		
1	On the rules and standards of the discharge on air by the stationary sources of pollution	Adopted	This is an Administrative Instruction, secondary legislation
B	<i>Prepared or under preparation</i>		
1	Law on Protection of Environment	Presented to the Assembly of Kosovo	This is a new draft Law that will replace the existing one. It is expected to be approved by the Assembly of Kosovo in the coming few months
2	Amendments to the Law on Air Protection from Pollution	Amendments being developed	Amendments are expected to be approved by the Assembly of Kosovo later in 2008
3	Law on Environment Impact Assessment	Presented to the Assembly of Kosovo	This Law is expected to be approved by the Assembly of Kosovo in the coming few months
4	Law on Integrated Pollution Prevention Control (IPPC)	Presented to the Assembly of Kosovo	This Law is expected to be approved by the Assembly of Kosovo in the coming few months
5	Law on Strategic Environmental Assessment	Presented to the Assembly of Kosovo	This Law is expected to be approved by the Assembly of Kosovo in the coming few months
6	Law on Protection of nature	Amendments being developed	Amendments are expected to be approved by the Assembly of Kosovo later in 2008. This amended law will provide for protection of wild birds in line with the EC relevant directive

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No	Regulation	Status	Note
A	<i>Adopted</i>		
1	Electricity Grid Code	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
2	Amendments to the Electricity Grid Code	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
3	Electricity Metering Code	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
4	Electrical Equipment Code	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
5	Electricity Standards Code	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
6	Connection Agreement	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
7	Performance Technical Indicators of the KOSTT JSC	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
8	Code of Conduct and Ethics KOSTT JSC	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
9	Transitional arrangements for Metering and Network Code	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
10	Temporary procedure on identification and prevention of unauthorized electricity consumption	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KEK JSC
11	Temporary procedure on reading & billing of electricity consumed by households	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by KEK JSC
12	Rule on Confidentiality of Information	Adopted by ERO	Prepared by ERO
13	Agreement on purchasing transmission losses	Consent given by ERO	Made by KOSTT JSC
14	Operational procedures on registration and de-registration of parties, metering systems, data collection and billing	Approved by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
15	Interconnection agreement	Approved by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC
B	<i>Prepared (or under preparation) but not adopted yet</i>		
1	Draft Rule on Authorisation Procedure for the construction of new power generation plants	Under finalisation by ERO	It is expected to be adopted by the ERO later in 2008
2	Rule on administrative measures and fines	Prepared	To be adopted by the ERO in the very near future
3	Rule on Public Participation	Draft prepared	
4	Electricity Distribution Code	Initial Draft finalised by KOSTT JSC and KEK JSC	Expected to be adopted later in 2008
5	Generation availability plan	To be approved by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC and

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			submitted for approval
6	Operation safety standards	To be approved by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC and submitted for approval
7	Rule on approaching to KOST JSC facilities	To be approved by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC and submitted for approval
8	Standards of transmission system safety and planning	To be approved by ERO	Prepared by KOSTT JSC and submitted for approval
C	<i>Planned</i>		
1	Feed-in tariffs for renewables	To be prepared	WB/AER will assist with TA
2	Rule on prices for district heating	To be prepared	EAR will assist with TA
3	Tariff methodology for district heating	To be prepared	EAR will assist with TA
4	Rule on eligible customers	To be prepared	EAR will assist with TA