

PRESS RELEASE

On 28th March, 2017, the Independent Power Tanzania Company Limited (IPTL) submitted to the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) an application seeking for extension of its Electricity Generation Licence for 55 months from 16th July 2017 to 15th January 2022.

The Board of Directors of EWURA, having deliberated on the application on 30th August 2017 in Dar es Salaam, made the decision to deny the application for extension of IPTL Electricity Generation Licence based on the following factors:

- (a) the effect of allowing the application for licence extension to the electricity price to be paid by consumers including the continued payment of USD 2.667 million per month as capacity charges;
- (b) objections received from the public and other stakeholders; and
- (c) pending legal disputes involving IPTL.

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