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REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA**

# ***General description of the Armenian energy system***

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## ***Electric energy system***

- Production plants
- Transportation company
- Distribution company
- System operator
- Settlement center

## ***Gas supply system***

- Importer
  - Transportation company
  - Distribution company
  - System operator
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## *Changes in the regulatory legislation performed after the last visit*

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- In result of amendments in the RA Law "On Procurement", made last year, certain licensed entities in the sector of public services regulation (the list is approved by the Public Services Regulatory Commission of the RA), appeared in the framework of legal regulation:
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# *Legal Acts*

- RA Law "On Public Services regulatory Commission"
- RA Law "On Energy"
- Rules of use and supply
- Methodologies for calculation of rates and coordination of the gas and power sectors
- Procedure for licensing of activity in the RA energy sector
- Terms of licenses issued to the utilities
- Sample forms of contracts between the consumers and the licensed companies
- Other methodologies, procedures and legal acts approved by the Public Services Regulatory Commission of the RA

# *Current and future programs in the energy sector*

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- Commissioning of the 5<sup>th</sup> block of Hrazdan TPP (480 MW of power and about 3153mln. KWt/hour of annual production capacity)
  - Construction of wind turbines (200 MW of power and about 525 mln. KWt/hour of annual production capacity)
  - Construction of a new block of the Armenian Nuclear Power Plant (up to 1000 MW of power and about 7,5 bln. KWt/hour of annual production capacity)
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### **Hydropower sector**

- Meghri HPP on River Araks (up to 140 MW of power and about 800 mln. KWt/hour of annual production capacity)
  - Shnogh HPP on River Debed (up to 75 MW of power and about 300 mln. KWt/hour of annual production capacity)
  - Lori Berd HPP on River Dzoraget (up to 66 MW of power and about 200 mln. KWt/hour of annual production capacity)
  - Program of construction of small HPPs, for a total power of 170 MW.
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