

RusHydro completes construction of the 193 MW Yakutskaya GRES-2 in the Far East

November 1, 2017. Moscow, Russia. PJSC RusHydro (MOEX, LSE: HYDR; OTCQX: RSHYY) announces that construction of the first stage of gas-fired Yakutskaya GRES-2 is now complete. The facility's key equipment has undergone comprehensive testing; the plant was cleared to start commercial operation.

Currently, Yakutskaya GRES-2 is in operation and supplies electricity to the central power system of Yakutiya (Sakha), and heat to consumers of Yakutsk.

Yakutskaya GRES-2 (2st stage) is one of four priority projects in the Far East of Russia implemented in accordance with the Decree of the President of Russia. Facility's electric capacity is 193 MW, heat generation capacity – 469 GCal/h (including boiler). The new unit should substitute capacity of the retiring Yakutskaya GRES, create capacity reserve and increase reliability of supply.

About RusHydro

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Russian Federation owns 66.8% in RusHydro, the rest is held by other institutional and individual shareholders (over 360,000). The company's stock is traded on Moscow Exchange (MOEX), and included in MSCI EM и MSCI Russia indexes. Company's GDRs in the IOB section of LSE, ADRs – in OTCQX.

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