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**PUBLIC NOTIFICATION**

Pursuant to Section 23 of the Electricity Act of Bhutan 2001, Electricity Regulatory Authority (ERA) would like to notify the general public that ERA has received an application from Druk Hydro Energy Limited (DHyE) for issuance of Construction Licence to construct 25 MW Begana Integrated Multipurpose Small Hydropower Project, located in Thimphu Dzongkhag.

Therefore, ERA would like to:

1. Inform the general public that DHyE application is available for inspection, within the limits of commercial confidentiality, at ERA Secretariat during office hours with effect from 26th August 2025 till 25th September 2025; and
2. Invite directly affected parties and local authorities in areas affected by the Project who object to granting the Construction Licence, whether on personal, environmental or other grounds, to lodge with the Authority an objection within 25th September 2025.