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### ELECTRICITY ACT NO 22 OF 2004

#### Notification of Intention to Erect Power Transmission Lines (Kapichira—Blantyre West 2)

In Accordance with Section 39 of the Electricity Act, No 22 of 2004, notice is hereby given that Electricity Supply Corporation of Malawi Limited (ESCOM) intends to erect an overhead power transmission line (hereinafter called "the line") from Kapichira Hydroelectric Power Station Substation to Blantyre West Substation near Green Corner in Blantyre.

##### 1. Particulars of the line are as follows—

*Length:* 29.4 Km.

*Wayleave width:* 30 metres (15m either side)

*Voltage:* 132000 volts

*Description:* The line shall be of single circuit horizontal construction of three phase wire from Kapichira to Blantyre West Substation. Type of conductor used shall be lynx housing nominal cross section area of 175 square millimetres. Earth wire is galvanized steel 7/8 wire with optic fibre. Cable diameter is 15 mm and the line will be constructed on steel lattice towers.

##### 2. The Proposed line route will be as follows:

The line starts from Kapichira Substation on a double-circuit existing line of Kapichira-Tedzani 132000 Volts. The line will continue to be on double circuit moving North West to Padzua village at KT32. At Padzua the line will move out of double circuit line (Kapichira-Tedzani) and will run parallel with the existing Kapichira-Blantyre West 1. The line will cross Likabula River to North Easterly direction. The line will avoid graveyard at Mpingo but will pass near Mpingo orphanage, Kanyela, Mwambula, Funsani and Chingwalu. In Mpemba at G40 and BK30, the new line, Kapichira-Blantyre West 2 will interchange with existing line Kapichira Blantyre West 2. The New line will move passing through Nancholi North Westerly direction with main angles BK10 and BK2. The line will go South West into Substation at Blantyre West.

Any owner, lessee, or occupier over whose land the intended transmission lines passes, is informed that plans for construction are available for inspection at Corporation's Office at ESCOM House in Blantyre, Lilongwe and Mzuzu. Route plans can be inspected at District Council's Office in Chikhwawa and Blantyre at any time during normal Business hours from 07.30 am to 5.00 pm.

Notice is further given that objections by any owner, lessee or occupier of land affected by the intended transmission line must be served on ESCOM in writing within 30 days from the date hereof at the offices of ESCOM.

Dated this, 4th day of May, 2012.

E.B. SITOLO

*Director of Corporate Services and  
Company Secretary*

*Electricity Supply Corporation of Malawi Limited*

GENERAL NOTICE NO. 26

### ELECTRICITY ACT NO 22 OF 2004

#### Notification of Intention to Modify Power Transmission Lines (Kapichira—Blantyre West 1)

In Accordance with Section 39 of the Electricity Act, No 22 of 2004, notice is hereby given that Electricity Supply Corporation of Malawi Limited (ESCOM) intends to modify an overhead power transmission line (hereinafter called "the line") from Kapichira Hydroelectric Power Station Substation to Blantyre West Substation near Green Corner in Blantyre.

##### 1. Particulars of the line are as follows:

*Length:* 29 Km.

*Wayleave width:* 30 metres (15m either side)

*Voltage:* 132000 volts

*Description:* The line is made of single circuit horizontal construction of three phase wire from Kapichira to Blantyre West Substation. Type of conductor used will be lynx housing nominal cross area of 175 square millimetres. Earth wire is galvanized steel 7/8 wire with optic fibre. The line will be constructed on steel lattice towers.

##### 2. The modified line route will be as follows:

The line starts from Kapichira Power Station Substation. It is double-circuited with the existing line of Kapichira-Nchalo 132000 Volts up to the Kapichira,ground. From the ground the line is of single circuit horizontal and it parallels with Kapichira-Tedzani up to Padzua village. At Padzua the existing line will run parallel with new power line called Kapichira-Blantyre West 2. The line will continue to be parallel to new line crossing Likabula River through Kanyela, Mwambula, Funsani and Chingwalu at proceeding to BK30 at Mpemba. At Mpemba, BK30, the new line, Kapichira -Blantyre West 2 will interchange with existing line, Kapichira Blantyre West 1. The old line will now move North Eastern direction with main angles G46, G51 G60 passing through Green Corner where the line will turn Eastwards up to BK1 at Green Corner. The line will go South East into Substation at Blantyre West.

Any owner, lessee, or occupier over whose land the intended transmission lines passes, is informed that plans for construction are available for inspection at ESCOM's Office at ESCOM House in Blantyre, Lilongwe and Mzuzu. Route plans can be inspected at District Council's Office in Chikhwawa and Blantyre at any time during normal business hours from 7.30 am to 5.00 pm.