

RED ELÉCTRICA CORPORACIÓN, S.A. and SUBSIDIARIES

**Independent Limited Assurance Report of the Non-Financial
Statement for the year ended December 31, 2018**

Translation of a report originally issued in Spanish. In the event of discrepancy, the Spanish-language version prevails

INDEPENDENT LIMITED ASSURANCE REPORT OF THE NON-FINANCIAL STATEMENT

To the Shareholders of RED ELÉCTRICA CORPORACIÓN, S.A.:

Pursuant to article 49 of the Code of Commerce we have performed a verification, with a limited assurance scope, of the accompanying Non-Financial Statement (hereinafter NFS) for the year ended December 31, 2018, of RED ELÉCTRICA CORPORACIÓN, S.A. and subsidiaries (hereinafter, the Group), which is part of the Consolidated Director's Report of the Group.

The content of the NFS includes additional information to that required by prevailing mercantile regulations in relation to non-financial information that has not been subject to our verification. In this regard, our assignment has been exclusively limited to the verification of the information shown in section 11.7 *Index of content required by Law 11/2018 of 28 December on disclosure of non-financial and diversity information* of the contained in the attached NFS.

Responsibility of the Board of Directors

The Board of Directors of the Group are responsible for the approval and content of the NFS included in the Consolidated Director's Report of RED ELÉCTRICA CORPORACIÓN, S.A. The NFS has been prepared in accordance with the content established in prevailing mercantile regulations and the criteria of the selected Global Reporting Initiative Sustainability Reporting Standards, as well as other criteria described in accordance with that indicated for each subject in section 11.7 *Index of content required by Law 11/2018 of 28 December on disclosure of non-financial and diversity information* of the NFS.

The directors are also responsible for the design, implementation and maintenance of such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a NFS that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

They are further responsible for defining, implementing, adapting and maintaining the management systems from which the information necessary for the preparation of the NFS is obtained.

Our independence and quality control procedures

We have complied with the independence and other Code of Ethics requirements for accounting professionals issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants (IESBA), which is based on the fundamental principles of professional integrity, objectivity, competence, diligence as well as confidentiality and professional behavior.

Our Firm complies with the International Standard on Quality Control No. 1 and thus maintains a global quality control system that includes documented policies and procedures related to compliance with ethical requirements, professional standards, as well as applicable legal provisions and regulations. The engagement team consisted of experts in the review of Non-Financial Information and, specifically, in information about economic, social and environmental performance.

Our responsibility

Our responsibility is to express our conclusions in an independent limited verification report based on the work performed, that refers exclusively to 2018. Information on prior years was not subject to the verification required by prevailing mercantile regulations. Our review has been performed in accordance with the requirements established in prevailing International Standard on Assurance Engagements 3000 “Assurance Engagements Other than Audits or Reviews of Historical Financial Information” (ISAE 3000) issued by the International Auditing and Assurance Standards Board (IAASB) of the International Federation of Accountants (IFAC) and the guidelines for verifying Non-Financial Statement, issued by the Spanish Official Register of Auditors of Accounts (ICJCE).

The procedures carried out in a limited assurance engagement vary in nature and execution timing and are smaller in scope than reasonable assurance engagements, and therefore, the level of assurance provided is likewise lower.

Our work consisted in requesting information from Management and the various Group units participating in the preparation of the NFS, reviewing the process for gathering and validating the information included in the NFS, and applying certain analytical procedures and sampling review tests as described below:

- Meeting with Group personnel to know the business model, policies and management approaches applied, the main risks related to these matters and obtain the necessary information for our external review.
- Analyzing the scope, relevance and integrity of the content included in the NFS for the year 2018 based on the materiality analysis made by the Group and described in section 11.1 *Description of the Group's business model and sustainability priorities* of the Director's Report, considering the content required by prevailing mercantile regulations.
- Analyzing the processes for gathering and validating the data included in the 2018 Non-Financial Statement.
- Reviewing the information on the risks, policies and management approaches applied in relation to the material aspects included in the NFS.
- Checking, through tests, based on a selection of a sample, the information related to the content of the 2018 NFS and its correct compilation from the data provided by the information sources.
- Obtaining a representation letter from the Directors and Management.



Conclusion

Based on the procedures performed in our verification and the evidence obtained, no matter came to our attention that would lead us to believe that the 2018 NFS of the Group for the year ended December 31, 2018 has not been prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the content established in prevailing mercantile regulations and the criteria of the selected GRI standards, as well as other criteria described in accordance with that indicated for each subject in section 11.7 *Index of content required by Law 11/2018 of 28 December on disclosure of non-financial and diversity information* of the NFS.

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This report has been prepared as required by prevailing mercantile regulations in Spain and may not be suitable for any other purpose or jurisdiction.

ERNST & YOUNG, S.L.

(Signature on the original in Spanish)

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