



Statement

WASHINGTON, December 14, 2017—The World Bank Group today issued the following statement on Kosovo's energy needs:

"The World Bank Group's Kosovo Country Partnership Framework for 2017-2021 has three focus areas: accelerate private sector growth and employment; strengthen public service delivery and economic management; and promote reliable energy and stewardship of the environment.

Consistent with this framework, the World Bank Group is committed to helping Kosovo implement a comprehensive energy strategy that includes increased energy efficiency, development of renewables, integration into regional power markets, and new power generation that is both reliable and affordable for citizens.

The World Bank Group has not made a decision to provide financial support to the Kosovo Power Project."

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