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Press Release

HEDNO: Announcement on the restoration of electricity at Samothrace

HEDNO would like to announce that extended efforts are currently made to move to the island of Samothrace power generators in order to restore electricity, which today, Tuesday, 22 August 2023, at approx. 16:00 was cut due to the fires in Alexandroupoli.

More specifically, the fire caused irreparable damages at the 2 main Medium Voltage mainland network lines that supply the two underwater lines powering the island.

HEDNO works closely with Civil Protection and the Hellenic Coast Guard and makes every possible effort to move, as fast as possible, 5MW power generators to Samothrace in order to restore power supply on the island.

At the same time, HEDNO's crews which have been enhanced with technicians from partner contractors at the area of Alexandroupoli are standby to start restoration works at the two lines immediately and as soon as they are granted access to the Fire Service.

HEDNO would like to thank all residents, professionals and visitors at the island for their understanding and will revert soon with more updates.

Athens,
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Press Office