



ANNOUNCEMENT

Following the updating provided to consumers regarding the electricity supply problems caused by Ianos cyclone, HEDNO would like to announce the following:

In Kefalonia, the crews continue works and have reconnected the electricity supply for crucial facilities, such as pumping stations, the airport as well as mobile telecommunication antennas at Omala. Moreover, they have reconnected the supply for the areas of Samos, Prokopata and Rozata.

In Ithaki, the crews continue the works for the restoration of damages, while the transfer of extra technical staff with vehicles and all necessary equipment is still in progress, because the first morning ferry route from Killini did not take place, which means that the crews had to aboard a different, alternative connection from the port of Patras. The enhanced crew will make every possible effort within the next hours to reconnect the supply for as many areas of the island as possible.

In Karditsa, more than 40% of the city has been reconnected to the supply. However, it must be noted that several underground substations of the city remain flooded and this means that apart from pumping the water, extra time is needed for complete drainage before reconnecting electricity. Enhanced technical crews of HEDNO remain in the surrounding areas.

In Zakynthos, where a large part of the areas that were afflicted have already been reconnect to electricity supply, works continue for the restoration of damages and their reconnection to the network until the evening, at the areas of Tragaki, Kipseli, Kato, Meso and Ano Gerakario, Agios Dimitrios, Kallithea, Pigadakia, Katastari and Orthonies.

Extended nework damages have been detected in the areas of Alikes, Alikanas, Meso and Ano Volima, Anafonitria, Maries and Exohora Kabi. Please note that today and tomorrow morning, extra HEDNO technical staff and equipment are expected on the island in order to complete, until tomorrow evening, the reconnection of electricity supply for these areas.

HEDNO crews with extra staff and equipment which had been scheduled as a response to Ianos cyclone, were in full alert in order to be able to immediately respond for the restoration of damages in the Electricity Distribution Network. However, due to problems in the access of these afflicted areas. the



restoration works must be preceded by works for the opening of the road network in order to facilitate the reconnection of the supply.

HEDNO would like to express its condolences to the families of the victims of Ianos cyclone.

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