# **PCA CASE NO. 2011-17**

# IN THE MATTER OF AN ARBITRATION UNDER

A. THE TREATY BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF BOLIVIA CONCERNING THE ENCOURAGEMENT AND RECIPROCAL PROTECTION OF INVESTMENT

-and-

B. THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF BOLIVIA FOR THE PROMOTION AND PROTECTION OF INVESTMENTS

-and-

C. THE ARBITRATION RULES OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW (UNCITRAL)

-between-

1. GUARACACHI AMERICA, INC. 2. RURELEC PLC

(the "Claimants")

-and-

# THE PLURINATIONAL STATE OF BOLIVIA

(the "Respondent," and together with the Claimants, the "Parties")

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 19 12 April 2013	
12 April 2010	

### A. PARTIES' POST-HEARING BRIEFS AND DOCUMENTS ON COSTS

- 1. On 9 April 2013, at the end of the hearing, the Tribunal requested that the Parties submit post-hearing briefs within a reasonable period of time. The Tribunal indicated that these documents should be limited to a written version of their Closing Statements as a final submission. The Parties agreed on a maximum of 60 pages in length for the post-hearing briefs. Additionally, the Tribunal requested that the Parties submit their respective statements of costs.<sup>1</sup>
- 2. The Claimants suggested a deadline of one month for the submission of the abovementioned briefs, whereas the Respondent proposed a deadline of two months due to other commitments of the Attorney General's team, as well as the revision process that the documents are required to go through in the Plurinational State of Bolivia prior to their submission.<sup>2</sup>
- 3. Taking into account the above comments made by the Parties, the Tribunal decided to grant the Parties 45 days for the joint submission of both their post-hearing briefs and statements of costs.<sup>3</sup>

### **B. DECISION**

4. In keeping with what was stated by the Tribunal at the hearing, the Parties shall submit both their post-hearing briefs (of a maximum of 60 pages in length and in accordance with the Tribunal's instructions) and statements of costs by <u>24 May 2013</u>.

The co-arbitrators have approved this order, signed only by the President.

12 April 2013

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(President of the Tribunal)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Transcript (English), Day 6, 9 April 2013, 1485:19-1488:11.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Transcript (English), Day 6, 9 April 2013, 1488:13-1489:17.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Transcript (English), Day 6, 9 April 2013, 1489:18-1490:9.