



EQUATORIAL ENERGIA S.A.
Publicly Held Company
Corporate Taxpayer No. 03.220.438/0001-73

NOTICE TO THE MARKET
Clarifications on news published in the press

EQUATORIAL ENERGIA S.A. ("Company") (B3: EQTL3; USOTC: EQUQY) in compliance with the provisions in art. 157, § 4, of Law No. 6,404, of December 15, 1976, as amended ("Corporate Law") and CVM Resolution No. 44, of August 23, 2021, as amended, and in compliance with official letter no. 748/2023, hereby presents the clarifications requested by the Brazilian Securities and Exchange Commission ("CVM"), regarding the news published in the newspaper *Estadão Broadcast+*, on 05/31/2023, under the title: "Broadcast Column: Equatorial hires Rothschild to study Light's assets" ("News"). The Official Letter is transcribed below:

"May 31, 2023
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Equatorial Energia S.A.
At. Mr. Leonardo da Silva Lucas Tavares de Lima
Investor Relations Director

Ref.: Request for clarification on news published in the press

Dear sirs,

In news published by Estadão Broadcast+, on 05/31/2023, under the title "BROADCAST COLUMN: EQUATORIAL CONTRACTS ROTHSCCHILD TO STUDY LIGHT ASSETS", it states, among other information, that "The energy company Equatorial hired Rothschild & Co., which provides financial services to companies, to study Light's assets."

We request clarification on the marked item, until 06/01/2023, with your confirmation or not, as well as other information considered important."

In compliance with the Official Letter, the Company considers pertinent to clarify that, as widely known by the market in general, its business model is based on the search for new opportunities, so it is natural in the Company's day-to-day to constantly analyze assets in the various segments in which it operates, especially energy distribution and, in this sense, it should be noted that many of the assets appraised do not result in closed deals.

In this context, the Company confirms that it has analyzed the assets of the Light group within the natural process of evaluating opportunities carried out by Equatorial and, since there has not been and there is not an ongoing negotiation, we understand that it is not necessary to disclose any information to the market.

São Luís, June 1, 2023.

Leonardo da Silva Lucas Tavares de Lima
CFO and Investor Relations Officer