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Joint Statement by Estonian, Lithuanian, Latvian, Polish Regulatory Authorities in support of Ukraine

We, the heads of the Estonian, Latvian, Lithuanian and Polish Regulatory Authorities support the condemnation by our national governments of Russia's open large-scale aggression against an independent, peaceful, and democratic state of Ukraine. ERRA is an organization of regulators standing aloof from politics, but facing such unprecedented danger for the whole democratic world, we strongly feel that we cannot remain silent.

We agree that this unacceptable act of aggression is a blatant violation of international law and poses enormous threat to the societies not only in Ukraine and its neighbouring regions, but in the whole world. So, the entire international community must firmly condemn Russia's aggression and impose the toughest possible sanctions in response to such outrageous acts, including Russia's political isolation.

We are convinced that such violation of Ukraine's national sovereignty goes against all values Energy Regulators' Regional Association is based on – improvement of cooperation and fostering development. We therefore urge the governing bodies of the Energy Regulators Regional Association to suspend Russia's membership and its individual experts' participation in any form in all the upcoming activities and events organized by the ERRA. What is more, we offer all our support and invite ERRA Secretariat to provide any necessary assistance to National Energy and Utilities Regulatory Commission of Ukraine and our friends in Ukraine.

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