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The Honourable Minister

Federal Ministry of Power
Abuja, Nigeria

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Federal Ministry of Petroleum Resources
Abuja, Nigeria

The Chairman

Nigerian Electricity Regulatory Commission (NERC)
Abuja, Nigeria

Subject: Urgent Appeal for Gas Supply to Power Generation to Stabilize the National Grid and Ensure a Comfortable Christmas for Nigerians

Dear Honourable Ministers and Esteemed Chairman,

On behalf of **SocioAfrica**, a pan-African socio-economic development platform committed to dignity, stability, and the wellbeing of African people, we respectfully write to express deep concern over the **persistent instability of the national power grid**, particularly as the nation approaches the **Christmas season**.

Electricity is not merely an infrastructure issue — it is a **quality-of-life issue**, a **business survival issue**, and a **human dignity issue**. Across Nigeria, millions of households, small

businesses, hospitals, students, and faith communities are experiencing severe power shortages, worsened by recurring grid challenges.

A critical contributor to this challenge remains the **inadequate and inconsistent supply of gas to thermal power plants**, which directly affects generation capacity and the stability of the national grid.

We therefore humbly appeal to the **Federal Ministry of Power**, the **Federal Ministry of Petroleum Resources**, and the **Nigerian Electricity Regulatory Commission (NERC)** to urgently collaborate on the following:

1. **Ensure adequate and sustained gas supply** to power generation companies (GenCos) across the country.
2. **Prioritize gas allocation for electricity generation**, especially during the festive period.
3. Address pricing, transportation, and security constraints affecting gas delivery to power plants.
4. Strengthen coordination between gas suppliers, GenCos, TCN, and DisCos to stabilize the national grid.
5. Communicate transparently with Nigerians on steps being taken to prevent grid collapses and improve supply.

A **stable power supply this Christmas** would:

- Ease the burden on households and families
- Support small and medium-scale businesses
- Reduce dependence on generators and fuel costs
- Improve safety, healthcare delivery, and community wellbeing
- Restore public confidence and national morale

Christmas is a season of **hope, light, and togetherness**. Ensuring reliable electricity during this period would send a powerful message that government institutions are attentive to the lived realities of the Nigerian people.

SocioAfrica firmly believes that **Nigeria has the resources, talent, and institutional capacity** to stabilize its power sector — particularly through effective gas-to-power coordination. What is required now is **urgent alignment, decisive action, and compassionate leadership**.

We respectfully urge your offices to treat this appeal as a matter of **national importance** and **human necessity**.

Thank you for your service to the nation and for your attention to this urgent matter.

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