



## Ecopetrol S.A. Bylaws Amendment Proposal – Corporate Purpose

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ARTICLE FOUR. CORPORATE PURPOSE The corporate purpose of Ecopetrol is to carry out, in	ARTICLE FOUR. CORPORATE PURPOSE The corporate purpose of Ecopetrol is to carry out, in
Colombia or abroad, commercial and industrial activities related to the exploration, operation, refining,	Colombia or abroad, commercial and industrial activities related to the exploration, operation, refining,
transportation, storage, distribution and marketing of hydrocarbons and their byproducts.	transportation, storage, distribution and marketing of hydrocarbons and their byproducts. <u>Likewise</u> ,
	under the terms of Law 1118 of 2006, it may carry out research, development and the
	commercialization of conventional and alternative energy sources; the production, blending, storage,
	transportation and commercialization of oxygenating components and biofuels, port operations and the
	performance of any related, complementary or useful activities for the execution of the aforementioned
A LPP and the College of the College	activities.
Additionally, the following activities are part of the corporate purpose of Ecopetrol:	Additionally, the following activities are part of the corporate purpose of Ecopetrol:
1) Administration and management of all assets that were returned to the Government after the	1) Administration and management of all assets that were returned to the Government after the
termination of the former De Mares Concession. Additionally, over such assets, Ecopetrol shall	termination of the former De Mares Concession. Additionally, over such assets, Ecopetrol shall
have, all the powers provided by Law.	have, all the powers provided by Law.
2) Exploration and operation of hydrocarbons in oil areas or fields that, prior to January 1, 2004:	2) Exploration and operation of hydrocarbons in oil areas or fields that, prior to January 1, 2004:
a) were linked to executed agreements or, b) were being directly operated by Ecopetrol.	a) were linked to executed agreements or, b) were being directly operated by Ecopetrol.
3) Exploration and operation of oil areas or fields assigned to Ecopetrol by the National Hydrocarbons Agency -	3) Exploration and operation of oil areas or fields assigned to Ecopetrol by the National Hydrocarbons Agency -
ANH, or the entity acting as such.	ANH, or the entity acting as such.
4) Exploration and operation of hydrocarbons abroad, directly or through agreements entered into with third parties.	4) Exploration and operation of hydrocarbons abroad, directly or through agreements entered into with third parties.
5) Export and import of hydrocarbons, its derivatives and their byproducts.	5) Export and import of hydrocarbons, its derivatives and their byproducts.
6) Production, processing, blending, transportation, storage, distribution and/or marketing (purchase and sale), and	6) Production, processing, blending, transportation, storage, distribution and/or marketing (purchase and sale), and
industrialization of hydrocarbons, their byproducts, and products owned by Ecopetrol or by third parties, domestic	industrialization of hydrocarbons, their byproducts, and products owned by Ecopetrol or by third parties, domestic
or imported.	or imported.
7) Refining, processing, and any other type of industrial process or petrochemical of the hydrocarbons, its	7) Refining, processing, and any other type of industrial process or petrochemical of the hydrocarbons, its
derivatives, similar products, in the grounds of the Company or of third parties.	derivatives, similar products, in the grounds of the Company or of third parties.
8) Transportation and storage of hydrocarbons, their byproducts and similar, through transportation or storage	8) Transportation and storage of hydrocarbons, their byproducts and similar, through transportation or storage
systems of the Company or of third parties.	systems of the Company or of third parties.
9) Export and import of fuels and oxygenating components of vegetable origin.	Export and import of fuels and oxygenating components of vegetable origin.





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10) Production, processing, mix, transportation, storage, distribution, and/or commercialization	10) Production, processing, mix, transportation, storage, distribution, and/or commercialization
(purchase and sale) of fuels and vegetable-based oxygenating components, owned by the Company or	(purchase and sale) of fuels and vegetable-based oxygenating components, owned by the Company or
from third parties, imported or domestic.	from third parties, imported or domestic.
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	11) Research, planning, structuring, design, construction, development, operation, administration,
	maintenance, commercialization of projects concerning non-conventional renewable energy sources (NCRE), as well as environmentally sustainable resources that are marginally used in the country and
	are not widely commercialized (NCRE sources), within the framework of the law and under the applicable
	regulation for each, including but not limited to developing directly or indirectly, or through third parties,
	all activities, works, services and products related to all of the above.
	12) Development, construction, purchase, sale, use, enjoyment, divestment, or any combination
	thereof, directly, indirectly, or in association with third parties, with respect to projects, infrastructure
	and activities associated with NCRE and/or NCRE sources. In all cases it must ensure that the
	development of these activities is done in compliance with and following the terms and conditions
	provided by law and applicable regulations.
	13) Research, development, production, handling, transportation, storage and/or commercialization of
	hydrogen in its different forms, either as a by-product of its industrial processes, or as an input for its
	processes, operations and activities. Likewise, it may research, develop, produce, store and
	commercialize hydrogen in its different forms for its own consumption or that of third parties. For all the
	above, it may research, structure, plan, design, develop, construct, operate, maintain and manage
	projects and infrastructure related to the activities associated with hydrogen in its different forms within
	the framework of the law and the applicable regulation for each, as well as execute all the activities, works, services and products related to said activities.
	14) The development, construction, purchase, sale, use, enjoyment, divestment, or any combination
	of these, directly, indirectly, or in association with third parties, of projects and/or infrastructure related
	to hydrogen in in its different forms. In all cases it must ensure that the execution of these activities is
	done in compliance with and following the terms and conditions provided by the law and applicable
	regulations.





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	15) Research, planning, construction, development, operation, management and maintenance of
	projects for the capture, use and/or storage of carbon or other technologies aimed at reducing
	greenhouse gas emissions. To this end, it may structure, design, develop, construct, operate, maintain
	and manage carbon capture, use and/or storage projects or other technologies aimed at reducing
	greenhouse gas emissions, as well as execute all related activities, works, services and products.
	16) All activities associated with the generation and commercialization of carbon credits, or other
	market instruments to finance sustainability activities.
11) Develop all of the activities required within the electric energy process, in order to generate energy	17) Develop all of the activities required within the electric energy process, in order to generate energy
that satisfies the Company's own needs in all its business segments and, furthermore, sell its	that satisfies the Company's own needs in all its business segments and, furthermore, sell its
surplus and buy in case of shortages as a main source or as backup for its operations.	surplus and buy in case of shortages as a main source or as backup for its operations.
12) Design, construction, operation and maintenance of ports infrastructure for the export and import	18) Design, construction, operation and maintenance of ports infrastructure for the export and import
of hydrocarbons, and their byproducts or oxygenating components.	of hydrocarbons, and their byproducts or oxygenating components.
13) Construct, operate, administer, maintain, dispose and manage all infrastructure, facilities and	19) Construct, operate, administer, maintain, dispose and manage all infrastructure, facilities and
property that is required to achieve the Company's corporate purpose.	property that is required to achieve the Company's corporate purpose.
14) Establish and be part of all types of companies, including sole proprietorships, as well as open	20) Establish and be part of all types of companies, including sole proprietorships, as well as open
branches and agencies that are necessary for the proper implementation of its corporate purpose.	branches and agencies that are necessary for the proper implementation of its corporate purpose.
The participation permitted by this clause may include involvement in companies whose activity differs	The participation permitted by this clause may include involvement in companies whose activity differs
from the one of the Company, provided that, in the opinion of the Board of Directors, this is appropriate	from the one of the Company, provided that, in the opinion of the Board of Directors, this is appropriate
for the implementation of the corporate purpose.	for the implementation of the corporate purpose.
15) Concluding all kinds of credit and financing operations with financial entities or insurers.	21) Concluding all kinds of credit and financing operations with financial entities or insurers.
16) Guarantee third-party obligations within the scope of its business and within the framework of its	22) Guarantee third-party obligations within the scope of its business and within the framework of its
corporate purpose, with the prior authorization of its Board of Directors.	corporate purpose, with the prior authorization of its Board of Directors.
17) Securitizing assets and investments.	23) Securitizing assets and investments.
18) Temporarily or permanently invest cash surpluses and reserves in the capital markets, and	24) Temporarily or permanently invest cash surpluses and reserves in the capital markets, and
underwrite bonds, purchase securities, equities, interests or rights, make deposits or engage in any	underwrite bonds, purchase securities, equities, interests or rights, make deposits or engage in any
type of investment and cash transaction with authorized financial entities.	type of investment and cash transaction with authorized financial entities.
19) Obtain and exploit industrial property rights on trademarks, drawings, insignia, patents for new	25) Obtain and exploit industrial property rights on trademarks, drawings, insignia, patents for new
technologies and products, results from research, and creations by the Company sompetent units,	technologies and products, results from research, and creations by the Company's competent units,
as well as any other intangible property.	as well as any other intangible property.





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20) Training personnel in all specialties required for the proper implementation of the corporate purpose.	26) Training personnel in all specialties required for the proper implementation of the corporate purpose.
21) Participate in research, scientific or technological activities related to its corporate purpose, or to	27) Participate in research, scientific or technological activities related to its corporate purpose, or to
activities that are supplementary, related or useful thereto, as well as taking advantage of them and	activities that are supplementary, related or useful thereto, as well as taking advantage of them and
applying them technically and economically.	applying them technically and economically.
22) Carry out the above activities and any other investments, legal acts or related activities which	28) Carry out the above activities and any other investments, legal acts or related activities which
are supplementary or useful for the implementation of its corporate purpose and activities in	are supplementary or useful for the implementation of its corporate purpose and activities in
relation to hydrocarbons, their byproducts, refined products, similar, or products that are able to	relation to hydrocarbons, their byproducts, refined products, similar, or products that are able to
substitute those mentioned.	substitute those mentioned.
23) Participate in developing social programs for the community, in particular the community around	29) Participate in developing social programs for the community, in particular the community around
sites where the Company has influence.	sites where the Company has influence.
24) All other duties assigned by Law.	30) All other duties assigned by Law.
<b>PARAGRAPH</b> : Ecopetrol must accomplish its corporate purpose in a competitive manner,	PARAGRAPH: Ecopetrol must accomplish its corporate purpose in a competitive manner,
meeting criteria of economic and financial profitability in consideration of the market circumstances	meeting criteria of economic and financial profitability in consideration of the market circumstances
and the risks inherent to the industry, while also attending to the needs of the corporate group in which	and the risks inherent to the industry, while also attending to the needs of the corporate group in which
Ecopetrol is the parent company.	Ecopetrol is the parent company.