

Fitch Ratings maintained EPM's national and foreign investment grade ratings

- **The rating agency affirmed EPM's national and foreign ratings at AAA and BBB, respectively**
- **The rating reflects the positive effect of the Organization's business and geographic diversification**
 - **This rating reaffirms the investment market's confidence in EPM**

This Wednesday, April 15, the rating agency, Fitch Ratings ratified the local and international credit risk ratings of EPM, at AAA and BBB, assigned since 2018, respectively, and kept both on rating watch negative.

The firm indicated that the key factors for the ratings are basically explained in the diversification of the Organization's business with a stable cash flow, coming from regulated businesses in investment grade markets; its solid credit position; an adequate liquidity position and the recent positive developments in the Ituango hydroelectric project.

In its analysis, Fitch Ratings incorporated the recent acquisition of the CaribeMar operation, considered positive and credit neutral. It also considered the insurance payment for damages in the Ituango hydroelectric project and the outlook of a stable regulatory environment.

Highlighting the confidence in the Company, EPM's CEO, Álvaro Guillermo Rendón López, said that "through this ratification by Fitch Ratings, EPM has maintained the highest rating at the national level and double investment grade at the international level, with the recent affirmation assigned by Moody's Investors Service, on the Baa3 scale; showing that we are on the right track in that higher purpose of contributing to life in harmony for a better world".