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## Ras Ghareb Wind Energy – Project Update

The project construction progress passed the 80% mark, still ahead compared to the original planning. According to the latest time schedule, it may be possible to reach the commercial operations by mid-October 2019, about 2 months ahead of the original schedule.

More than 2,700,000 manhours have been worked at site whilst meeting our Health & Safety targets.

Siemens Gamesa Renewable Energy (SGRE) works are progressing in accordance to the agreed tentative acceleration schedule.

Regarding wind turbines components deliveries: 119/125 complete towers have arrived at site, 122/125 rotor sets are at site, all hubs and nacelles are at site.

On the installation front, 112 out of the 125 Wind Turbines have been erected. SGRE is actively working on the mechanical completion and commissioning of those erected turbines.

A major milestone has been achieved on the 4<sup>th</sup> May 2019, at 12:57, the first commissioned Wind Turbine has been energized and connected to the national grid.

As of today, SGRE has commissioned in total 14/125 Wind Turbines.



*First wind turbines being commissioned and energized*

The works performed by Orascom Construction (OC) under the Civil Works and Electrical Systems Agreement (CWESA) are still progressing ahead of schedule, 94.51% Actual Vs 89.62% planned. After the substation energization, the work load for OC is understandably decreasing. The main activities remaining for OC are finishing works, the completion of the administration building and the construction of the maintenance building. After completing the deliveries of WTG components in June, the site access road will be asphalted .



*Substation was energized  
on April 15<sup>th</sup> 2019*



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