



Santiago, Chile  
22 February 2023

Commission for the Financial Market

**ESSENTIAL FACT**

Empresas CMPC S.A.  
CMF Securities Registry Entry No. 115

Dear recipients,

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 9 and the second paragraph of Article 10 of the Securities Market Act, notice is hereby given regarding the following essential information of Empresas CMPC S.A. ("the Company"):

1. The purpose of this notice dated February 7 is to report that as a result of the fires recently affecting south-central Chile, the Company had estimated the total of its affected forest plantations in excess of 10,000 hectares.
2. Since the date of said report, the Company has had to fight an additional 95 fires with an average of six new fires igniting each day over the last two weeks, so it is now estimated that the area of affected plantations owned by the Company will exceed 22,500 hectares. At this time we are unable to determine the precise amount or actual damages given the complexities involved in carrying out the necessary technical revisions in the field, which can only be done once the emergency has ended.
3. For reference, if the potential damage indicated above is ultimately confirmed without any possibility of recovering the affected wood, the impact on CMPC's financial statements would be approximately USD 56 million.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "FRUIT", is written over a blue rectangular stamp.

**Francisco Ruiz-Tagle Edwards**  
CEO





**EMPRESAS CMPC S.A.**



