

Boric Accepts Pardow's Resignation Over Electricity Tariff Miscalculation, Appoints Álvaro García as Co-Minister

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What Comes Next After the *Error in Electricity Tariff Calculation*

Pardow's resignation follows the acknowledgment of a methodological issue in the tariff setting: for years, the **inflationary effect was doubled** (by combining the consumer price index and interest rates for non-adjustable operations), making regulated bills more expensive. According to technical details that have emerged, **the SEC raised the alarm**, while the **CNE** was responsible for the questioned tariff settings.

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