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Brief power interruption in Panama City area from regional grid event

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Where	Panama City and Panamá Oeste
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Summary

Naturgy reports that at 12:38 p.m. on Saturday 31 October 2026 an external event on the regional electrical system, caused by the opening of the Mexico–Guatemala interconnection, cut power for about 5 minutes to more than 80,000 customers in Panama City and Panamá Oeste. Chiriquí/Boquete areas were not listed.

Full text (English)

Statement, Panama, Saturday 31 October 2026: We inform our customers that at 12:38 p.m. today, 31 October 2026, an event external to our network occurred, originating in the Regional Electrical System due to the opening of the electrical interconnection between Mexico and Guatemala. This event, outside our responsibility, affected the power supply for 5 minutes for more than 80,000 customers in the sectors of Boca La Caja, San Francisco, Bella Vista, El Cangrejo in the capital, and Ciudad Futuro, Barrio Balboa, Barrio Colón, Guadalupe, part of Chorrera, part of Arraiján, San Carlos, El Higo, Las Guías de Oriente, Chame, Las Lajas, Punta Barco in Panamá Oeste. As procedures establish, coordination was carried out with the National Dispatch Centre to normalise supply. We apologise for the inconvenience caused by these events external to our network.

Original (es)

Informamos a nuestros clientes que a las 12:38 p.m. del día de hoy 31 de octubre de 2026, se dio un evento externo a nuestra red con origen en Sistema Eléctrico Regional debido a la apertura de la Interconexión eléctrica entre México y Guatemala.

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