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Chief Executive Officer Multan Electric Power Company (MEPCO) MEPCO Complex, WAPDA Colony Khanewal Road, Multan

Subject: COMPLAINTS OF M/S AZAM ASSOCIATES REGARDING CHANGE OF TARIFF AND WRONG DEMAND IN CASE OF M/S SUBHAN COTTON INDUSTRIES

Complaint # MEPCO-434/2011

Reference is made to:

17/68/1/11

Complaint filed by M/s Azam Associates on behalf of M/s Subhan Cotton Industries dated i) 14.09.2011.

Meeting on the subject held on 25.01.2012. ii)

The case has been examined in detail in light of NEPRA Tariff Terms and Conditions. M/s Subhan Cotton Industries applied to MEPCO for change of tariff from seasonal to regular industrial tariff and accordingly MEPCO changed their tariff.

- As per NEPRA tariff terms and conditions, a seasonal consumer has option to switch over from seasonal to regular industrial tariff and vice versa. DISCO can not enforce the change of tariff from seasonal to regular industrial or vice versa, on its own.
- Therefore, keeping above in view, tariff changed by MEPCO from regular industrial to seasonal in the instant case is not justified under the rules and is liable to be cancelled. MEPCO is therefore, directed to withdraw the decision ab-initio w.r.t change of tariff of the instant industrial consumer from regular industrial to seasonal industrial tariff and likewise withdraw the tariff differential charged to the instant consumer and submit compliance report within 30 days.

Sd/-(Syed Safeer Hussain)

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- 2. M/s Azam Associates On behalf of M/s Subhan Cotton Industries R/o 15 & 16 Ground Floor Muhammad Arcade LMQ Road, Multan

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Forwarded for information, please.

o<u>smor Advisor (CAD)</u> [w.r.t. Dy. 15), 281 dated 11.03.2012]