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27-4-2005

General Manager Finance & Company Secretary, Lucky Energy (Pvt) Ltd. L-A, 2/B, Block # 21, Federal "B" Area, Rashid Minhas Road, Karachi

Subject:

Grant of Generation Licence SGC/030/2005

Licence Application No. LAG - 65 M/s. Lucky Energy (Pvt) Ltd.

Please refer to your application No. nil dated April 21, 2001 to NEPRA for a Generation Licence.

- 2. Enclosed here is Generation Licence No. SGC/030/2005 granted by the Authority to M/s. Lucky Energy (Pvt) Ltd. The Licence is granted to you pursuant to Section 15 of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act (XL of 1997).
- 3. Also enclosed here is the 'Authorization' pursuant to Section 22 of the Act and Rule 7 of NEPRA Licensing (Generation) Rules 2000 for sale to bulk power consumers.
- 4. Please quote above mentioned Generation Licence No. in your future correspondence with the Authority.

DA/as above.

4 27-04.05 (Mahjoob Ahmad Mirza)

Copy for information to Director General, Pakistan Environmental Protection Agency, 44-E, Office Tower, Blue Area, Islamabad.

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# National Electric Power Regulatory Authority (NEPRA) Islamabad – Pakistan

# GENERATION LICENCE

No. SGC/030/2005

In exercise of the Powers conferred on the National Electric Power Regulatory Authority under Section 15 of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997 (XL of 1997), the Authority hereby grants a Licence to:—

Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Limited (Combined Installed Capacity: 12.545 MW)

Incorporated under the Companies Ordinance, 1984 Under Certificate of Incorporation

No. <u>K-04740</u> Dated <u>24th July 1993</u>

to engage in generation business subject to and in accordance with the Articles of this Licence.

Given under my hand this 19th day of April, Two Thousand and Five and expires on 18th day of April, Two Thousand and Twenty There.

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# Article 1 Application of Rules

Save as expressly provided otherwise, the provisions of the National Electric Power Regulatory Authority Licensing (Generation) Rules, 2000 as amended from time to time shall apply to this Licence.

#### Article 2 Definitions

Unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context and save as expressly defined hereinafter, words and expressions used in this Licence bear the respective meanings given thereto in the Act or in the Rules.

# Article 3 Grant of Licence

- 3.1 The location, size (capacity in MW), technology, interconnection arrangements, technical limits, technical functional specifications and other details specific to the generation facilities of the licensee are set out in Schedule 1 to this Licence.
- 3.2 The net capacity of the licensee's generation facilities is set out in Schedule II hereto.

### Article 4 Licence fee

After the grant of the Generation Licence, the licensee shall pay to the Authority the Licence fee, in the amount and manner and at the time set out in National Electric Power Regulatory Authority (Fees) Rules, 2002

# Article 5 Term and renewal of Licence

This Licence is granted for a term of Eighteen (18) years.

# Article 6 Tariff

The licensee shall charge from its consumers only such tariff which is either approved or specified by the Authority.







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# Article 7 Distribution Facilities of Licensee

Not Applicable

#### Article 8

Connection to Transmission System, Compliance with Grid Code, Pooling and Settlement Arrangement

Not Applicable

# Article 9 Generating Capacity Reserve Requirements

The installed generating capacity of the licensee shall not fall below (95% in the case of single consumer on a distribution feeder) of the connected load and generating capacity of the largest installed unit at the time of application for generation Licence.

### Article 10 Compliance with Performance Standards

The licensee shall conform to the relevant NEPRA rules on Performance Standards as may be prescribed by the Authority from time to time.

# Article 11 Compliance with Environmental Standards

The licensee shall conform to the environmental standards as may be prescribed by the relevant competent authority.

#### Article 12 Maintenance of record

12.1 The licensee shall keep complete and accurate record and the data in respect of all aspects of the generation business and the second-tier supply business, in their original as well as in electronic form.





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- 12.2 Without prejudice to the provisions of sub-rule 15(3) of the Rules, unless provided otherwise under the law or the applicable documents, all record and data shall be maintained for a period of 5 years after the creation of such record or data. The licensee shall not destroy or dispose off any such record or data after the aforesaid period without thirty days prior written notice to the Authority. The licensee shall also not dispose off or destroy any record or data which the Authority directs the licensee to preserve.
- 12.3 All record and data maintained in an electronic form shall, subject to just claims of confidentiality, be accessible to the staff authorized by the Authority.

# Article13 Provision of information

- 13.1 The obligation of the licensee to provide information to the Authority shall be in accordance with Section 44 of the Act.
- 13.2 The licensee shall be subject to such penalties as may be specified in the relevant rules made by the Authority for failure to furnish such information as may be required from time to time by the Authority and which is or ought to be or have been in the control or possession of the licensee.

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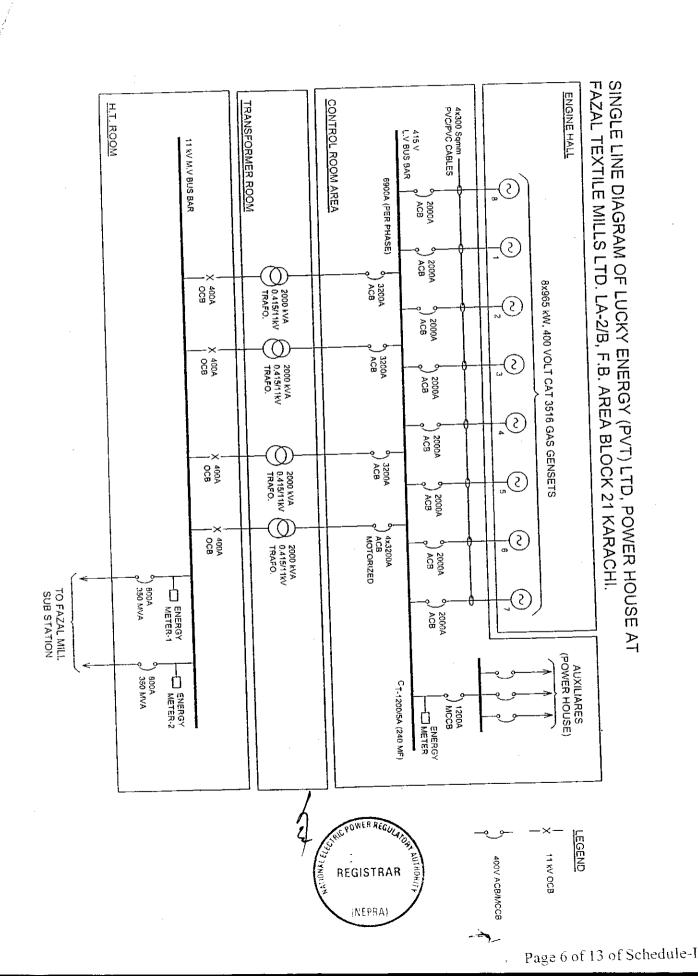
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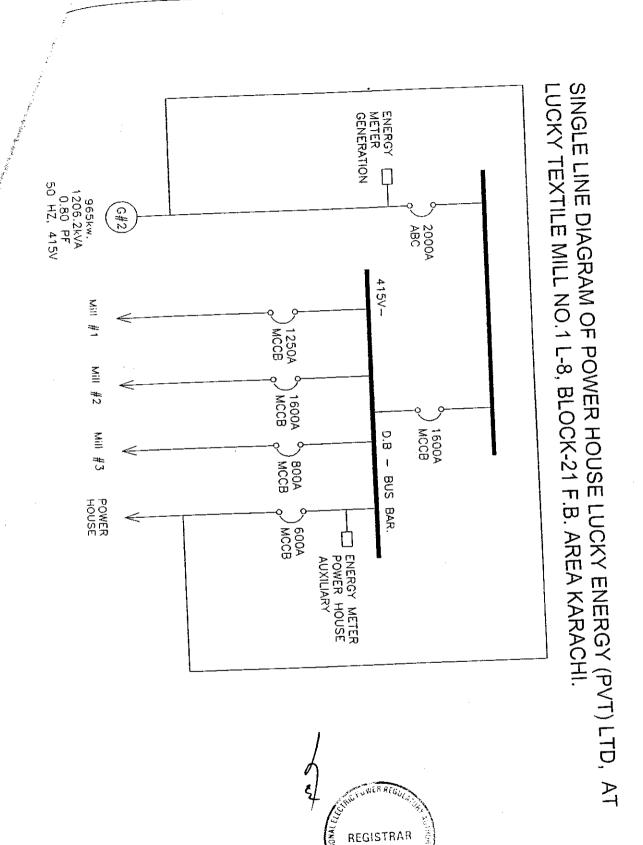


# **SCHEDULE-I**

The location, size (capacity in MW) technology interconnection arrangements, technical limits technical functional specifications and other details specific to the generation facilities of the licensee

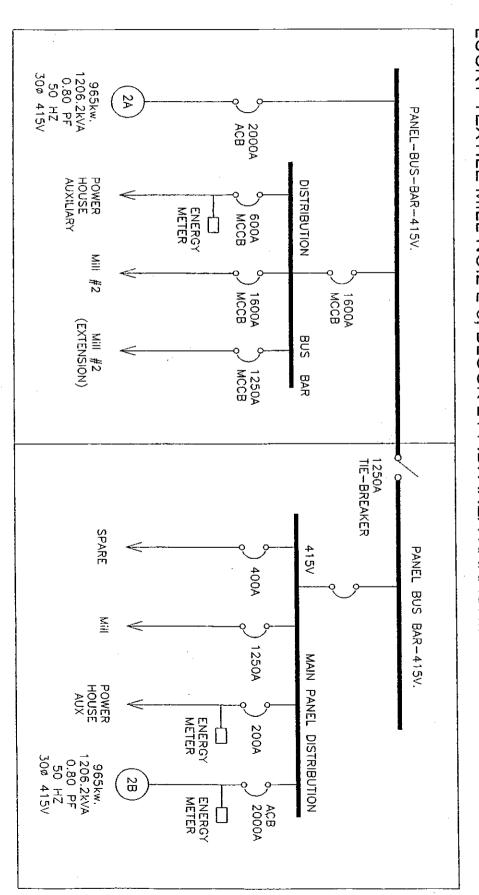






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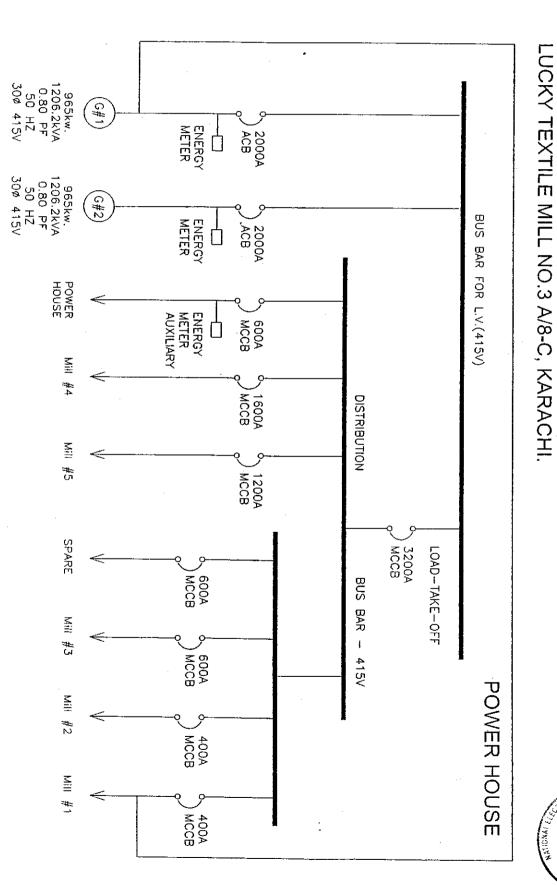
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LUCKY TEXTILE MILL NO.2 L-8, BLOCK-21 F.B. AREA KARACHI. SINGLE LINE DIAGRAM OF POWER HOUSE LUCKY ENERGY (PVT) LTD, AT

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SINGLE LINE DIAGRAM OF POWER HOUSE LUCKY ENERGY (PVT) LTD, AT

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## PLANT DETAILS

1.	Name of Applicant	Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Ltd.
2.	Registered Office	L-8, Block 21, Federal "B" Area, Karachi.
3.	Plant Location	Plant-1: L/A2/B, Block 21, Federal "B" Area, Karachi. Plant-2: L-8, Block 21, Federal "B" Area, Karachi. Plant-3: L-3, Block 21, Federal "B" Area, Karachi. Plant-4: Plot # A/8-C, S.I.T.E., Karachi.
4.	Type of Facility	Thermal Generation(Gas Turbine)

# **Plant Configuration**

5.a 5.b	Plant size  Type of Technology	Plant 1 7.72 MW Spark Ignited Turbo Charged After Cooled	Plant 2 0.965MW Spark Ignited Turbo Charged After Cooled	Plant 3 1.93 MW Spark Ignited Turbo Charged After cooled	Charged
5.c	Number of Units	Eight	One	Two	After cooled Two
5.d	Unit Size	0.965 MW	0.965 MW	0.965 MW	0.965 MW
5.e	Unit Make and Model	Caterpillar G 3516 LE	Caterpillar G 3516 LE	Caterpillar G 3516 LE	Caterpillar G 3516 LE
5.f	Date of Commissioning	Units 1-8 11-10-94	4-7-95	Unit 1: 26-10-95	Units 1-2 23-4-95
				Unit 2: 21-7-98	
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6.a.	Fuel Type	Natural Gas	Natural Gas	Natural Gas	Natural Gas
6.b	Fuel (imported/ indigenous)	Indigenous	Indigenous	Indigenous	Indigenous
6.c	Fuel Supplier	SSGC	SSGC	SSGC	SSGC
6.d	Supply Agreement	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes



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6.e	No. of Tanks	NA	NA	NA	NA
			Plant 2	Plant 3	Plant 4
6.f	Storage Capacity/Tank	NA	NA	NA	NA
6.g	Gross Storage	NA	NA	NA	NA
6.h	Total Storage Capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA
Emiss	sion Values(Load 100%)				
7.a.	NOx(g/bhp-hr)	Plant 1 0.8	Plant 2 0.8	Plant 3 0.8	Plant 4 0.8
7.b	CO(g/bhp-hr)	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
7.c	HC(Non Methane), g/bhp-hr	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
8	Cooling Water Source	Muncipal Supply. Tube wells	/ Muncipal Supply/ Tube wells	Muncipal Supp Tube wells	oly/ Muncipal Supply/ Tube well
9	Installed Capacity	7.72 MW	0.965 MW	1.93 MW	1.93 MW
10	Derated Capacity	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL
11	Expected Remaining Life of the Facility	14 Years	14 Years	14 Years	14 Years
12	Operational Record	Provided	Provided	Provided	Provided
13.a 13.b 13.c	roject Cost (Rupees) Equity Debt Total Project Cost (Million) ant Characteristics	Million 356.740 0.150 356.890			
14.a	Generation Voltage	400V	400V	400V	400V
14.b	Frequency	50Hz	50Hz	50Hz	50Hz
14.c	Power Factor		0.95 lagging	0.95 lagging	0.95 lagging
14.d	Automatic Generation Control	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
14.e	Alternative Fuel	None	None	None	None
14.f	Auxiliary Consumption	0.52 MW	0.066 MW	0.131 MW	0.131 MW
14.g	Time Required to	Not applicable since not connected to DISCO/ Grid.			CO/ Grid.
	Synchronize to Grid	1			



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# Licenses-Performa for Information regarding Distribution issues

# PART A

	Network Facts	
A	No. of Feeders	Plant 1: Two 11Kv Feeders for Fazal Textile Mills Ltd. Plants 2,3,4: Power is directly supplied to consumers from LEPL main distribution panel at 415 volts
В	Length of Each Feeder	Plant 1: Feeder 1: 50 meters Feeder 2: 50 meters Plants 2,3,4: Power is directly supplied to consumers from LEPL main distribution panel at 415 volts
С	Length of Each Feeder to Consumer	Same as above
D	In respect of all the feeders, describe the property (streets, farms, agri land, etc.) through, under or over which they pass right up to the customer's premises, whether they cross-over or pass near the DISCO lines	(i) Within consumer's premises (ii) Feeders/ Power Cables do not cross over or pass near KESC Lines
Е	Whether owned by LEPL, consumer or KESC (deal with each Feeder Separately)  If owned by KESC, please furnish particulars of contractual arrangement  Operation and maintenance responsibility for each Feeder	<ul> <li>Owned by LEPL consumers</li> <li>N/A</li> <li>Operation and maintenance responsibility on LEPL consumers</li> </ul>
F	Whether connection with KESC's network exists (whether active or not) – If yes, provide details of connection arrangements (both technical and contractual)	<ul><li>(i) LEPL has no network connection with KESC.</li><li>(ii) Only Fazal Textile Mills Ltd. is connected with KESC network</li></ul>
	other network information deemed vant for disclosure to or consideration by RA	N/A



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# Licenses-proforma for Information regarding Distribution issues

# PART B

	nsumers Facts	
	No. of Consumers	Plant 1: One Consumer Plant 2: One Consumer
A	No. of Consumers	Plant 3: One Consumer Plant 2: One Consumer Plant 4: One Consumer
В	Location of consumers distance and/or identity of premises) Length of Each Feeder	<ol> <li>Fazal Textile Mills Ltd.         L/A 2/B, Block 21, Federal "B" Area,         Karachi.         Length of Feeder 1: 50 meters         Length of Feeder 2: 50 meters         Lucky Textile Mills No. 01         L-8, Block 21, Federal "B" Area,         Karachi.         Lucky Textile Mills No. 02         L-3, Block 21, Federal "B" Area,         Karachi.         Lucky Textile Mills No. 03         Plot # A/8-C, S.I.T.E.,         Karachi.</li> </ol>
С	Contracted Capacity and Load Factor for consumer	Plant 1         Plant 2         Plant 3         Plant 4           5.5 MW         0.7 MW         1.3 MW         1.5 MW           0.71         0.72         0.78         0.78
D	Specify Whether  i) the consumer is an associate undertaking of the LEPL, if yes, specify percentage ownership of equity;  ii) There are common directorship;  iii) Either can exercise influence or control over the other	The consumers are an associated undertaking of the LEPL with common directorship.
E.	Specify nature of contractual relationship:  i) Between consumers and LEPL  ii) Consumers and KESC	<ul><li>(i)The consumers are an associated undertaking of the LEPL.</li><li>(ii) Only Fazal Textile Mills Ltd. is on KESC billing panel.</li></ul>
F	Capacity originally sanctioned by Provincial Government - If subsequently enhanced, evidence of permissions for enhancement	Plant 1 Plant 2 Plant 3 Plant 4 5.5 MW 0.7 MW 1.3 MW 1.5 MW
rel	ny other network information deemed evant for disclosure to or consideration by EPRA	NA



# SCHEDULE -II

The net capacity of the licensee's generation facilities



### **SCHEDULE II**

1.	GROSS INSTALLED CAPACITY (MW)	 Plant −1	7.72 MW
		Plant −2	0.965 MW
		Plant-3	1.93MW
		Plant-4	1.93 MW
		=	12.545MW

#### (Total of Thirteen Units at Four Plants)

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2.	DERATED CAPACITY (MW)	=	NIL	
3.	AUXILIARY CONSUMPTION (MW)	=	Plant-1	0.52MW
			Plant –2	0.066MW
			Plant-3	0.131MW
			Plant-4	0.131MW
			=	0.848 MW
4.	NET CAPACITY OF THE PLANT (MW	) =	Plant-1	7.2MW
			Plant −2	0.899 <b>M</b> W
	·		Plant-3	1.799MW
			Plant-4	1.799MW
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		Total	= 11.6	697MW



#### Authorization by National Electric Power Regulatory Authority NEPRA TO

M/s Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Ltd.

Incorporated under the Companies Ordinance, 1984 Under Certificate of incorporation No.K-04740 dated 24-7-1993 NEPRA Generation Licence No. SGC/03 0/2005

For
Sale to Bulk Power Consumers

Pursuant to Section 22 of the Act and Rule 7 of the NEPRA Licensing (Generation) Rules-2000, the Authority hereby authorizes M/s Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Limited (Licensee) to engage in second-tier supply business, limited to the following consumers also mentioned in Schedule I of Generation Licence No. SGC/030/2005.

Subject to NEPRA rules and regulations, the Licensee shall charge its consumers only the second-tier supply charge in terms of the Authority approved bilateral agreements attached herewith.

- Fazal Textile Mills Ltd.
   L/A 2/B, Block 21, Federal "B" Area, Karachi.
- 2. Lucky Textile Mills No. 01 L-8, Block 21, Federal "B" Area, Karachi.
- 3. Lucky Textile Mills No. 02 L-3, Block 21, Federal "B" Area, Karachi.
- 4. Lucky Textile Mills No. 03
  Plot # A/8-C, S.I.T.E.,
  Karachi.
- 1. Mr. Fazlullah Qureshi, Vice Chairman
- 2. Mr. Abdul Rahim Khan, Member
- 3. Mr. Nasiruddin Ahmed, Member

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#### POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made on this 1st day of January 1995 between Fazal Textile Mills Ltd., a public limited company incorporated under the Companies Ordinance, 1984 having its Registered Office at L-A 2/B. Block 21, Federal "R" Area Karachi (hereinafter referred to as the "FAZAL" which expression shall include its successors in interest and assignees) of the First Part.

#### AND

Lucky Energy Limited a public limited company incorporated under the Companies Ordinance 1984 having its registerd office at L-8, Block 21, Federal "B" Area Karachi (hereinafter referred to as "LUCKY" which expression shall include its successors in interest and assignees) of the Second Part.

Whereas the Fazal in order tomeet its Electrical Energy requirement decided to enter into an agreement with Lucky whereby the Fazal will purchase its power requirement from Lucky, which is around 5.50 MWH.

And, whereas the Lucky has enough resources to generate power by using the Natural Gas.

IT IS THEREFORE AGREED THAT :-

a) The Fazal to purchase its power requirement around 5.50 NWH which is about 65 % of the total generation capacity of Lucky.

b) The Lucky assures and undertakes that it will supply smooth, uninterupted and continuous electrical energy of 5.50 MWH subject to regular supply of natural gas by Sui Southern Gas Company Limited Mormal breakdown and maintagance.

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- c) In consideration of various facilities provided by Fazal to Lucky, Lucky will supply power to Fazal at concessional rate and this rate would not increase the rate as charged by KESC for Industrial unit.
- d) The bills for supply of power will be raised on monthly basis by the Lucky and the same shall be payable by Fazal on or before 25th day of the subsequent month.

This Agreement will continue to be operative until either party, after giving suffecient prior notice to the other decides to terminate the agreement; or after due notice suggest alteration or additions to the existing terms.

In witness whereby, this agreement is duly executed on the day and the date first mentioned above and will be effective from the date of supply of power by Lucky to Fazal i.e. 10th November 1994

For Fazal Textile fills Ltd.

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For : Fazal Textile Mills Ltd. (Director)

For LUCKY ENERGY LTD.

Director.

For : Lucky Energy Ltd. (Director)

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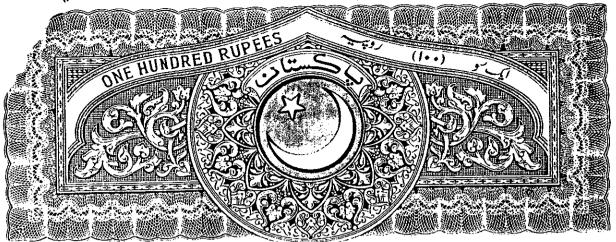
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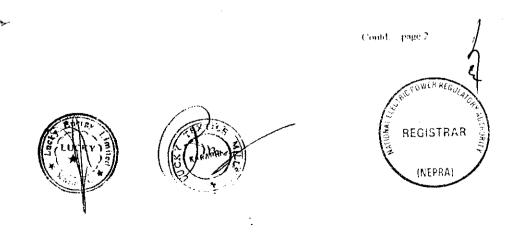
This agreement is made on 1st day of January 1995 between Lucky Energy Ltd a public Limited company incorporated under the Companies Ordinance 1984 having its registered office at L-8, Block 21, Federal B. Area Karachi (hereinafter referred to as the LUCKY ENERGY which expression shall include its successors in interest and assignees) of the First Part

#### AND

Lucky Textile Mills 3 an integristered from having its office at L-A Gordbands Market M.A. Jinnah Road, Karachi (hereinafter referred to as EUCKY TEXTILE MILLS # 3 which expression shall include its successor in interest and assignces) of the Second Part

Whereas the Lucky Textile #3 in order to meet its Flectrical Energy requirement decided to enter into an agreement with Lucky Energy. Whereby Lucky Textile will purchase its power requirement for its unit number 3 which is around 1.5 Mega Watt. Hours (MWH)

And whereas the Lucky Energy has 2 M.W Capacity to generate power by using Natural Gas



#### IT IS THEREFORE AGREED THAT:-

- a) The Lucky Textile to purchase its power requirement of around 1.5 MWH which is about 77% of the total generation capacity of Lucky Energy at unit #3
- b) The Lucky Energy assures and undertakes that it will supply smooth, uninterrupted and continuous electrical energy of 1.5 MWH subject to regular supply of natural gas by Sui Southern Gas Company Limited, normal breakdown sand maintenance.
- c) In consideration of various facilities provided by Lucky Textile unit 3 to Lucky Energy, Lucky Energy will supply power to Lucky Textile at concessional rate and this rate would not be increase the rate as charged by KESC for industrial units
- d) The bill for supply of power will be raised on monthly basis by Lucky Energy and the same shall be payable by Lucky Textile on or before 25<sup>th</sup> of the subsequent month

This agreement will continue to be operative until either party, after giving sufficient prior notice to the other decides to terminate the agreement or after due notice suggest alteration or additions to the existing terms.

In witness whereby, this agreement is duly executed on the day and the date first mentioned above and will be effective from the date of supply of power by Lucky Energy Limited to Lucky Textile Mills No. 3

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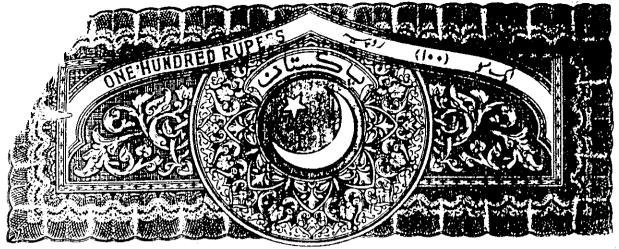
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# **POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENT**

This agreement is made on 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1995 between Lucky Energy Limited a public limited company incorporated under the Companies Ordinance, 1984 having its registered office at L-8, Block 21, Federal "B" Area, Karachi (hereinafter referred to as the LUCKY ENERGY which expression shall include its successors in interest and assignees) of the First Part

#### AND

Lucky Textile Mills an unregistered firm having its office at 1-A Gordhandas Market M.A. Jinnah Road, Karachi (hereinafter referred to as LUCKY TEXTILE which expression shall include its successors in interest and assignces) of the Second Part

Whereas the Lucky Textile in order to meet its Electrical Energy requirements decided to enter into an agreement with Lucky Energy wherehy Lucky Textile will purchase its power requirement for its Unit Number -1 and for Unit Number - 2 v high is around 2.00 Mega Watt Hours (MWH).

And, whereas the Lucky Energy has enough resources to generate power by using Natural Gas.

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For LUCKY EDECAGY LTD,

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# IT IS THEREFORE AGREED THAT: -

- a) The Lucky Textile to purchase its power requirement of around 2.00 MWH which is about 20% of the total generation capacity of Lucky Energy.
- b) The Lucky Energy assures and undertakes that it will supply smooth, uninterrupted and continuous electrical energy of 2.00 MWH subject to regular supply of natural gas by Sui Southern Gas Company Limited normal breakdown and maintenance.
- c) In consideration of various facilities provided by Lucky Textile to Lucky Energy, Lucky Energy will supply power to Lucky Textile at concessional rate and this rate would not increase the rate as charged by KESC for Industrial units
- d) The bills for supply of power will be raised on monthly basis by Lucky Energy and the same shall be payable by Lucky Textile on or before 25<sup>th</sup> of the subsequent month.

This agreement will continue to be operative until either party, after giving sufficient prior notice to the other decides to terminate the agreement: or after due notice suggest alteration or additions to the existing terms.

In witness whereby, this agreement is duly executed on the day and the date first mentioned above and will be effective from the date of supply of power by Lucky Energy Limited to Lucky Textile Mills.

For LUCKY EMERGY LTD.

Chief Executiva.

For : Lucky Energy Ltd.

For : Lucky Textile Mills.

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Following documents have been received along with the 2 Nos Copies of Original Licence to M/s Lucky Energy Ltd.

Determination (Original)
 Term of the Licence (Original)
 Second-Tier Supply Authorization (Original)
 Nos.

One set of Item No. 3 has been sent to M/s Lucky Energy Ltd. along with the Original Generation Licence. Both sets of Item No. 1 & 2 above have been retained and placed along with the Second Original Generation Licence of M/s Lucky Energy Ltd. that has been forwarded to Central Record Section of Registrar Office.

(Muhammad Abdul Ghafoor)

## Determination in the matter of

# for the Grant of Generation Licence to

# Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Ltd (LEPL)

Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Ltd. (LEPL) was incorporated in 1993 as a private limited company for setting up Four (4) Nos. Power Stations located at Federal "B" Area & S.I.T.E., Karachi having a total installed capacity of 12.545 MW. LEPL made an application to National Electric Power Regulatory Authority (NEPRA) on 21 April 2001 for a generation licence which NEPRA admitted for consideration on 18 October 2004.

- 2. Following Regulation 8 of the NEPRA Licensing (Application and Modification Procedure) Regulations 1999, the Authority on 21 October 2004 advertised about the LEPL application for a generation licence and invited comments from the public. After considering those comments, the Authority held a conference on 29 November 2004 which was attended by the applicant and representatives of other organizations including KESC, S.I.T.E Association of Industry and Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, Government of Sindh.
- 3. The LEPL Generation facilities have been established at the 04 sites, three Power Stations namely P1 (7.72 MW; 8x0.965 MW), P2 (0.965MW; 1x0.965 MW) and P3 (1.93 MW; 2x0.965 MW) are located in the Federal 'B' Area, Karachi where as the fourth Power Station namely P4 (1.93 MW; 2x0.965 MW) is located in the S.I.T.E., Area, Karachi. All four Power Stations have gas engines and generate power at 400 V and supply to their consumers namely Fazal Textile Mills Ltd. (FTML), Lucky Textile Mills No. 01 (LTM1), Lucky Textile Mills No. 02 (LTM2) and Lucky Textile Mills No. 03 (LTM3) through feeders/underground cables. The feeders/cables run from the Power Plants to their consumers within the same premises. Only one LEPL's consumer namely FTML is also on KESC billing panel whereas the other 3 LEPL consumers have been disconnected from the KESC system since long.

#### **Environmental Issues**

4. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Government of Sindh stated that the Industries were supposed to comply with the Environmental Protection Act, 1997,



National Environmental Quality Standards and the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations. The EPA submitted that in order to ensure compliance of the Environmental Law, LEPL and its consumers should conduct Environmental Audit through a reputable Consultant. The LEPL stated that its plants are operating on Natural Gas which was considered to be a clean fuel. It does not have the concentration of Sulphur. The LEPL shall conform to the Performance and Environmental Standards as stipulated in the Generation Licence.

- 5. Ministry of Industries & Production supported the application of LEPL for the grant of Generation Licence subject to the fulfillment of environmental compliance. Mr. Arif Balwani, S.I.T.E Association of Industry also supported the grant of Generation Licence to LEPL.
- 6. Engr. Ansari Bashir Ahmed of Bakht Business House Karachi showed concern about the environment degradation of Karachi. He further commented that in comparison to other industries, Power Plants contribute more towards environment degradation. The LEPL stated that keeping in view the environmental pollution in Karachi, LEPL had purchased a natural gas operated power plant instead of a diesel fired one. The emission values of the Caterpillar engines were well within the limits of the international norms. LEPL had maintained 6 to 8% free oxygen in the engine smoke, which was a key to ensure NOx level remains within limits(less than 500mg/N cubic meter).
- 7. The Authority considers that the Environmental issues raised are important in the context of their impact on the surroundings and atmosphere. However, the applicant will be under obligation to conform to the environmental standards as are prescribed by the relevant competent Authority. The applicant appears to be fully aware of its obligation to protect the environment and will be monitored through the Federal and Provincial Environmental Protection Agencies.

#### **Consumers of LEPL**

8. KESC stated that presently one LEPL's consumer namely FTML is on their billing panel. According to KESC, FTML reduced its load from 1500 KW to 1000KW in

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- 1993 however recent reading shows its demand at 1573 MW. KESC maintained that due to this unauthorized extension in load FTML have outstanding dues against it and requested NEPRA to assist in its clearance. KESC also claimed that as per the NEPRA Act, 1997, FTML shall have to give 3 years notice before switching over to other Generation. KESC further stated that LEPL's other 3 consumers namely LTM1, LTM2 and LTM3 were disconnected and are on Self Generation since long.
- 9. It was observed by the Authority that FTML continues to be a consumer of KESC; hence the 3 years notice as stipulated in the NEPRA Act, 1997 would not be applicable in the instant case. The Authority also observes that as FTML is still a KESC consumer so extension in load as claimed by KESC should be a matter to be settled between KESC and consumer.
- 10. LEPL stated that its consumers namely LTM1, LTM2 and LTM3 as backup would manage Rental Generators in case of total power house supply failure. LEPL further stated that according to the agreement between LEPL and its consumers, LEPL had assured and undertook that it would supply smooth, uninterrupted and continuous power to its consumers.
- 11. Reliability of electric power is of prime concern to NEPRA. The Authority considers that such backup arrangement is not in consonance with the standard practice. It is not sufficient to merely say that LEPL in its agreement assured a reliable supply; hence the Authority directs LEPL to submit a concrete backup power supply arrangement plan, which should also include relevant certification of its consumers.

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#### **TARIFF**

14. The Authority considers that the matter of rates, charges and terms and conditions of tariff between LEPL and its two consumers does not affect any other consumer or third



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party. Rather, if the isolated status is considered to constitute an absence of transmission and distribution system, then the generation and supply can be considered a competitive mode of generation as envisaged in the NERPA Act (Section 21 and 22).

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17. The term of a Generation Licence under NEPRA Generation Rules is to be determined by the remaining useful life of the plant. Since gas engines based power plants generally have a useful life of around 25 years and LEPL engines were commissioned in 1994-98 hence LEPL is being granted a licence for remaining useful life which corresponds to a period of 18 years.

WITH THIS, the Authority hereby grants the Generation Licence to Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Ltd. in the terms and form as annexed to this determination. The grant of such a Licence would be subject to the provisions contained in the NEPRA Act and the relevant Rules framed there under.

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# Term of the Licence (Article 5 of the Licence)

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The rule 5 of the Licensing (Generation) Rules - 2000 stipulates that the term of Licence shall be commensurate with the maximum expected useful life of the units comprised in a generation facility demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Authority unless the applicant consents to a shorter period.

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#### **AUTHORITY DECISION**

The Authority agrees with the Licensing Group recommendations about the term of Licence. The Licence is granted for a term of 18 years.

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## Determination in the matter of

# for the Grant of Generation Licence to

### Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Ltd (LEPL)

Lucky Energy (Pvt.) Ltd. (LEPL) was incorporated in 1993 as a private limited company for setting up Four (4) Nos. Power Stations located at Federal "B" Area & S.I.T.E., Karachi having a total installed capacity of 12.545 MW. LEPL made an application to National Electric Power Regulatory Authority (NEPRA) on 21 April 2001 for a generation licence which NEPRA admitted for consideration on 18 October 2004.

- 2. Following Regulation 8 of the NEPRA Licensing (Application and Modification Procedure) Regulations 1999, the Authority on 21 October 2004 advertised about the LEPL application for a generation licence and invited comments from the public. After considering those comments, the Authority held a conference on 29 November 2004 which was attended by the applicant and representatives of other organizations including KESC, S.I.T.E Association of Industry and Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, Government of Sindh.
- 3. The LEPL Generation facilities have been established at the 04 sites, three Power Stations namely P1 (7.72 MW; 8x0.965 MW), P2 (0.965MW; 1x0.965 MW) and P3 (1.93 MW; 2x0.965 MW) are located in the Federal 'B' Area, Karachi where as the fourth Power Station namely P4 (1.93 MW; 2x0.965 MW) is located in the S.I.T.E., Area, Karachi. All four Power Stations have gas engines and generate power at 400 V and supply to their consumers namely Fazal Textile Mills Ltd. (FTML), Lucky Textile Mills No. 01 (LTM1), Lucky Textile Mills No. 02 (LTM2) and Lucky Textile Mills No. 03 (LTM3) through feeders/underground cables. The feeders/cables run from the Power Plants to their consumers within the same premises. Only one LEPL's consumer namely FTML is also on KESC billing panel whereas the other 3 LEPL consumers have been disconnected from the KESC system since long.

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4. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Government of Sindh stated that the Industries were supposed to comply with the Environmental Protection Act, 1997,



National Environmental Quality Standards and the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations. The EPA submitted that in order to ensure compliance of the Environmental Law, LEPL and its consumers should conduct Environmental Audit through a reputable Consultant. The LEPL stated that its plants are operating on Natural Gas which was considered to be a clean fuel. It does not have the concentration of Sulphur. The LEPL shall conform to the Performance and Environmental Standards as stipulated in the Generation Licence.

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#### **Consumers of LEPL**

8. KESC stated that presently one LEPL's consumer namely FTML is on their billing panel. According to KESC, FTML reduced its load from 1500 KW to 1000KW in



1993 however recent reading shows its demand at 1573 MW. KESC maintained that due to this unauthorized extension in load FTML have outstanding dues against it and requested NEPRA to assist in its clearance. KESC also claimed that as per the NEPRA Act, 1997, FTML shall have to give 3 years notice before switching over to other Generation. KESC further stated that LEPL's other 3 consumers namely LTM1, LTM2 and LTM3 were disconnected and are on Self Generation since long.

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#### NATIONAL ELECTRIC POWER REGULATORY AUTHORITY

## MINUTES OF THE AUTHORITY REGULATORY MEETING 05-060 HELD ON 19 APRIL 2005

SUBJECT: GRANT OF GENERATION LICENCE TO LUCKY ENERGY (PVT) LIMITED

A meeting of the Authority was held on 19 April 2005 to discuss the grant of Generation Licence to Lucky Energy (Pvt) Limited. The following attended the meeting:

(1)	Mr. Fazlullah Qureshi	Vice Chairman
(2)	Mr. Nasiruddin Ahmed	Member (Licensing)
(3)	Mr. Abdul Rahim Khan	Member (Privatization)
(4)	Mr. Abdul Rashid Kakar	Senior Adviser (Licensing)
(5)	Mr. Mahjoob Ahmad Mirza	Registrar
(6)	Mr. Amer Zia	Director (Coordination)
(7)	Ms. Ameena Sohail	Legal Advisor
(8)	Mr. Ahsan Maqbool	Deputy Director (Licensing)
(9)	Syed Safeer Hussain	Assistant Director (Licensing)

2. The Licensing Division's Report on the subject and the proposed draft Generation Licence to Lucky Energy (Pvt) Limited, were presented before the Authority. The Authority discussed the case in detail particularly the location of the consumers with respect to the power stations, consumers' status with respect to supply from KESC, sufficiency of generation available to feed the consumers and the back-up supply arrangements of the consumers. After thorough discussion the Authority agreed to grant generation licence to Lucky Energy (Pvt) Limited. The bilateral agreement between the generating company and its consumers (1) Fazal Textile Mills Limited (2) Lucky Textile Mills No.1 (3) Lucky Textile Mills No. 2 (4) Lucky Textile Mills No.3 was also presented.

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# DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF GRANT OF GENERATION LICENCE TO LUCKY ENERGY (PVT) LIMITED (LEPL)

(REGULATORY MEETING 05-060 HELD ON 19 APRIL 2005)

The Authority considered the record of proceedings in the case, the evidence proffered and the arguments made orally and in writing. The draft Generation Licence, Second Tier Supply Authorization and term of the licence as proposed by the Licensing Division, and the matter of the bilateral agreement between the Applicant and the bulk power consumers to which the applicant desires to sell under Second Tier Supply Authorization were also considered. The Authority decided:

- 1. To grant Generation Licence to the Applicant, Lucky Energy (Pvt) Limited (LEPL).
- 2. To approve the term of Licence to be 18 years from the date of grant of the Generation Licence.
- 3. To approve as the specified tariff, the supply charges agreed between LEPL and its consumers (1) Fazal Textile Mills Limited (2) Lucky Textile Mills No.1 (3) Lucky Textile Mills No. 2 (4) Lucky Textile Mills No.3 as per the agreement made between the parties and directs that it should be annexed to the Second Tier Supply Authorization.
- 1. Mr. Nasiruddin Ahmed, Member
- 2. Mr. Abdul Rahim Khan, Member
- 3. Mr. Fazlullah Qureshi, Vice Chairman

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