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Subject: <u>Interim Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of</u>
Tariff for Din Energy Limited (Case No. NEPRA/TRF-488/DEL-2019)

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with revised tariff components at **Annex-I** (total 02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Din Energy Limited for the **April to June 2023** quarters on account of US CPI, CPI (Local), Exchange Rate (PKR/USD) and LIBOR variations in Case No. NEPRA/ TRF-488/DEL-2019.

2. The decision is being sent to the Federal Government for intimation and action, if any, by the Federal Government under Proviso (ii) of Section 31(7) of NEPRA Act, before its notification by NEPRA pursuant to the said Proviso of Section 31(7) of NEPRA Act, 1997.

(Engr. Mazhar Iqbal Ranjha)

Enclosure: As above

Secretary,
Ministry of Energy (Power Division),
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'A' Block, Pak Secretariat,
Islamabad.

Copy to: (alongwith copy of subject Decision):

- 1. Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad
- 2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad.
- 3. Chief Executive Officer, Central Power Purchasing Agency Guarantee Limited (CPPA-G), Shaheen Plaza, 73-West, Fazl-e-Haq Road, Islamabad
- 4. Chief Executive Officer, Din Energy Ltd. Din House, 35-A/1, Lalazar Area, Opposite Beach Luxury Hotel, Karachi



INTERIM DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLYINDEXATION/ ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR DIN ENERGY LTD

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated November 19, 2018 and July 23, 2020 in the matter of tariff decisions of DIN Energy Limited (DEL) and decision dated May 17, 2021 on motion for leave for review filed by DEL notified vide S.R.O No 679(1)/2022 dated May 27, 2022, the relevant tariff components are required to be indexed/adjusted according to the stipulated mechanism therein.

- 2) DEL filed request for interim relief which has been granted on account of quarterly indexation till finalization of COD.DEL submitted request for quarterly indexation of April-June 2023. Accordingly, the relevant tariff components in respect of quarter from April-June 2023, have been revised on account of US CPI, CPI (Local), exchange rate (PKR/USD), LIBOR variations in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the above referred decision(s) of the Authority indicated in Annex-I.
- 3) The indexation allowed is on interim basis and shall be subject to adjustments, if necessary, in the light of the final decision of the Authority with respect to DEL COD tariff adjustment.
- 4) The adjusted/indexed tariff attached as Annex-I is to be notified in the official gazette in accordance with the provision of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

5) CPPA-G to ensure that all the payments are consistent with tariff determination.

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Annex-

Din Energy Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Component	Reference Tariff	Revised April- June 2023	Indexation
(Rs. / kWh)			
O&M–Local	0.4146	0.4869	CPI
O&M-Foreign	0.4146	1.1711	US CPI & Rs./US \$
Return on Equity	1.2901	3.0543	Rs./US \$
Return on Equity during Construction	0.1163	0.2753	Rs./US \$
Debt Servicing-Foreign	1.8757	6.4564	LIBOR & Rs./US \$
Debt Servicing-Local	2.6775	2.6775	-
Total	6.7889	14.1216	-
Indexation Values			Sources (Websites)
CPI (General)	229.270	269.270	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics
US CPI	252.146	300.840	US Bureau of Labor Statistics
Exchange Rate	120.00	284.10	NBP
Libor 3-Month	0.20913%	5.19271%	Global-rates.com or moneycafe.com
Principal outstanding Foreign (USD.)		23,693,913	
Principal outstanding Local (USD.)		22,367,069	Tariff Determination
Benchmark Energy		41,610,000	

The above indexation is on the basis of information provided by DEL and verified by NEPRA. The SBP local loan debt serving component for the quarters from Jan - Dec 2022 shall be read as Rs. 2.7743/kWh insatead of Rs. 2.9073/kWh and for the quarter Jan-Mar 2023 shall be read as Rs. 2.6775/kWh instead of Rs. 2.7967/kWh. The exchange rates and LIBOR rates of last working day of previous quarter have been applied for calculation. Insurance has not been considered because it is allowed as per actual on annual basis. For the purpose of indexation of O&M (Local) component for the quarters Apr-Jun 2023 Feb 2023 were required to be used. However, Pakistan Bureau of Statistics has discontinued the publication of CPI for base year 2007-08 w.e.f. July 2020 and replaced it with National CPI for new base year 2015-16.

The Authority vide its decision dated March 10, 2021 replaced CPI Base Year 2007-08 with N-CPI Base Year 2015-16, however, that decision shall be implemented upon Notification in the Official Gazette.

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