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Subject: Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Foundation Wind Energy-I Private Limited (FWEL-I) (Case No. NEPRA/TRF-188/FWEL-I-2011)

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with revised tariff components (Annex-I) (02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff for the quarter July to September 2023 on account of US CPI, CPI (Local), Exchange Rate and KIBOR/LIBOR variations in respect of Foundation Wind Energy-I (Pvt.) Ltd. in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-188/FWEL-I-2011.

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.

Enclosure: As above

(Engr. Mazhar Iqbal Ranjha)

Secretary Ministry of Energy (Power Divisions) '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
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DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR FOUNDATION WIND ENERGY-I LIMITED

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated October 27, 2016 in the matter of tariff adjustment of Foundation Wind Energy-I Limited (FWEL-I) at commercial operation date (COD) and corrigendum decision dated December 2, 2016, the relevant components of tariff of FWEL-I for the quarter Jul-Sep 2023 have been revised on account of US CPI, CPI (Local), exchange rate and KIBOR/LIBOR variations in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the above referred decision of the Authority indicated in Annex-I.

2. The above referred revised tariff components attached **Annex-I** are 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.

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

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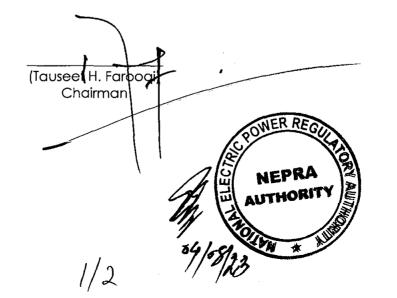
(Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc) Member

(Engr. Maqsood Anwar Khan) Member

(Rafique Ahmed Shaikh) Member

(Amina Ahmed)

Member



Annex-I

Revised Reference Tariff Component Tariff Tariff Indexation Oct 27, 2016 Jul-Sep 2023 Date of decisions Dec 02. 2016 (Rs./kWh) (Rs./kWh) O&M-Local 0.5454 CPI 0.3986 **O&M-Foreign** 1.7093 6.3244 US CPI & Rs./US \$ **Return on Equity** 3.9165 11.1883 Rs./US \$ Return on Equity during Construction 0.8793 2.5119 Rs./US \$ Debt Service-Local (Bi-Annual) 3.5825 4.2177 KIBOR Debt Service-Foreign (Bi-Annual) 17.2672 5.6086 LIBOR & Rs./US \$ Total 16.0948 42.0549 Indexation Values Sources Pakistan Bureau of CPI (General)-Revised value of June 2020 269.270 196.790 Statistics US CPI- Revised value of May 2023 Bureau of Labor 234.812 304.127 Statistics Exchange Rate-Revised rate of June 30, 2023 287.10 NBP 100.50 KIBOR 6-Month- Revised rate of June 30, 2023 9.63% 22.97% SBP LIBOR 6-Month- Revised rate of June 30, 2023 0.330% 5.7623% Global-rates.com Principal Outstanding-Local (PKR) 688,060,000 Principal Outstanding-Foreign (PKR) 1,159,270,000 Benchmark energy (kWh) (Bi-annual) 72.250.000

Foundation Wind Energy-I Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Above indexation is on the basis of the information provided by FWEL-I and verified by NEPRA.

For the purpose of indexation of Fixed O&M (Local) component for Jul-Sep 2023 quarter, CPI for May 2023 was 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.

As per relevant provision of the EPA, the latest available CPI of June 2020 for base year 2007-08 has been used for the instant indexation/adjustment. The indexation of Local O&M components is being made on provisional basis, subject to revision upon notification of the Authority's decision of revised index.

FWEL-I has claimed indexation of local O & M on N-CPI (May 2023) which shall be allowed upon notification of aforementioned decision.

