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No. NEPRA/R/ADG(TRF)/TRF-207/SEDPL-2012/ 19884-88

December 26, 2024

Subject:

<u>Decision of the Authority in the matter of Reimbursement of 7.5% Withholding Tax</u> on Dividends for Sachal Energy Development (Pvt.) Ltd.

[Case No. NEPRA/TRF-207/SEDPL-2012]

Please find enclosed herewith the Decision of the Authority (total 02 pages) regarding reimbursement of 7.5% withholding tax on dividends for the FY 2023-2024 in respect of Sachal Energy Development (Pvt.) Ltd. in Case No. NEPRA/R/TRF-207/SEDPL-2012.

2. The Decision is being intimated to the Federal Government for the purpose of notification in the official Gazette pursuant to Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997 within 30 days from the intimation of this Decision. In the event the Federal Government fails to notify the subject tariff Decision within the time period specified in Section 31(7), then the Authority shall notify the same in the official Gazette pursuant to Section 31(7) of the NEPRA Act.

Enclosure: As above

(Wasim Anwar Bhinder)

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

Copy to:

- 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, Sachal Energy Development (Pvt.) Ltd., 1 Ranjha Plaza, Tariq Market, Sector F-10/2, Islamabad Tele: 051-215 3350-1



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF REIMBURSEMENT OF 7.5% WITHHOLDING TAX ON DIVIDEND FOR SACHAL ENERGY DEVELOPMENT (PVT) LTD

- Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated June 01, 2018 in the matter of tariff adjustment of Sachal Energy Development (Pvt.) Limited (SEDPL) at Commercial Operation Date (COD) notified vide S.R.O No 36(1)/2O16 dated on November 06, 2018. SEDPL has requested for reimbursement of WHT on dividend of Rs. 120,000,000.
- The Authority in its collective and joint wisdom considering all aspects decided with consensus as under; which will be hereafter called as decision of the Authority in the matter:

"Based on the information provided by the SEDPL, Authority has considered the request of SEDPL and decided to allow WHT on dividend of Rs. 120,000,000 pertaining to FY 23-24. This approved amount shall be reimbursed by the power purchaser to SEDPL".

- The instant decision along with Annex-I is to be notified in the official Gazette in accordance with the provisions of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.
- CPPA-G to ensure that all the payments are consistent with tariff determination. 4.

AUTHORITY

(Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc))

Member

Member

(Rafique Ahmed Shaikh) Member

(Amina Ahmed) Member

(Waseem Mukhtar) Chairman

Sachal Energy Development Pvt Ltd Reimbursement of 7.5% Witholding Tax on Dividends

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Tax Challan #	Payment Date	Dividend Amount paid	WHT paid on dividend
		Rs.	Rs.
IT-20231013-0101-1542099	13 Oct, 2023	799,999,993	60,000,000
IT-20240628-0101-2037995	28 Jun, 2024	799,999,993	60,000,000
Total		1,599,999,986	120,000,000
			Rs.
Balance brought forward (decision dated June 14, 2024)			302,459,585
Entitlement on WHT for the FY ending June 30, 2024			114,657,577
WHT allowed for FY June 30, 2024			(120,000,000)
Balance carried forward			297,117,162

Based on the data declared by the SEDPL



