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April 26, 2024

## Subject: Decision of the Authority in the Matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Sapphire Wind Power Company Limited for the Quarter April-June 2024 (Case No. NEPRA/TRF-247/SWPCL-2013)

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 Sapphire Wind Power Company Ltd. (SWPCL) for the quarter **April-June 2024** on account of US CPI, Exchange Rate and LIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-247/SWPCL-2013.

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.

Encl: As above

(Engr. Mazhar Iqbal Raniha)

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

## Copy to:

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## DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR SAPPHIRE WIND POWER COMPANY LIMITED FOR THE QUARTER APRIL-JUNE 2024

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated November 21, 2013 in the matter of application of Sapphire Wind Power Company Limited (SWPCL) opting for Upfront Tariff, revised decision dated May 2, 2014 to the extent of change in the financial close deadline for Upfront Tariff and decision of the Authority dated May 26, 2015 in matter of revised installed capacity from 49.5 MW to 52.8 MW of SWPCL.

2. SWPCL vide its letter dated April 02, 2024 submitted a request for quarterly indexation for the quarter of April-June 2024, accordingly the tariff of SWPCL in respect of quarter April-June 2024 has been revised on account of US CPI, exchange rate and LIBOR variation in accordance with the requisite indexation mechanisms stipulated in the above referred decision(s) of the Authority.

3. 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:

"Indexation/adjustment for April-June 2024 quarter has been made in the tariff components in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the decision(s) of the Authority. The revised components are indicated in Annex-1 shall be immediately applicable".

4. The above referred revised tariff components attached as **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.

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

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(Rafique Ahmed Shaikh)	-	(Amina Ahmed)
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	(Waseem Mukhtar) Chairman	

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## Sapphire Wind Power Company Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Components	Reference Tariff May 02, 2014 May 26, 2015	Revised Tariff	Indexation
Date of decisions		April-June 2024	
	(Rs./kWh)		
O&M	1.6040	6.1862	US CPI & Rs./US \$
Return on Equity	4.6902	13.3834	Rs./US \$
Principal Repayment of Debt	7.8190	22.3114	Rs./US \$
Interest	0.6637	3.7216	LIBOR & Rs./US \$
Insurance	0.7833	0.7833	-
Total	15.5602	46.3859	
Indexation Values			Sources
US CPI- Revised value of Feb 2024	229.601	310.326	Bureau of Labor Statistics
Exchange Rate- rate available on March 31, 2024	97.60	278.50	NBP
LIBOR 3 month rate available on March 31, 2024	0.3010%	5.5598%	Global-rates.com
Principal Outstanding (US\$)		17,893,655	<u> </u>
Quarterly Benchmark Energy (kWh)		35,845,920	

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