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Subject: <u>Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff</u> for Zephyr Power (Private) Limited for the Quarter January-March 2025

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the subject Decision of the Authority along with **Annex-I** (total 03 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff for the quarter **January-March 2025** on account of US CPI, SOFR/KIBOR and Exchange Rate variations in respect of Zephyr Power (Private) Ltd. (ZPPL) in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-353/ZPPL-2016.

2. The Decision is being sent to the Federal Government for intimation 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

(Wasim Anwar Bhinder)

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DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR ZEPHYR POWER LIMITED FOR THE QUARTER JAN-MAR 2025

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated July 08, 2019 in the matter of tariff adjustment of Zephyr Power Limited (ZPL) tariff at commercial operation date (COD) notified vide S.R.O. No 1200(I)/2019 dated September 26, 2019, the relevant tariff components of ZPL in respect of quarter Jan-Mar 2025 have been revised on account of US CPI, SOFR/KIBOR and exchange rate variations in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the above referred decision(s) of the Authority. The Authority vide decisions dated December 05, 2024 and December 13, 2024 has approved transition from London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR) to Secured Overnight Financing Rate (SOFR) with effect from July 01, 2023 for generation IPPs which is notified vide SRO 73(I)/2025 dated January 28, 2025 in the official Gazette.

- 2. 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 Jan-Mar 2025 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-I which shall be immediately applicable. The company is further directed to submit the debt servicing adjustment requests as per applicability of decision from July 01, 2023 to December 31, 2024 immediately. Failure to do so, may result in holding the next quarterly indexations".
- 3. 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.
- 4. CPPA-G to ensure that all the payments are consistent with tariff determination.

AUTHORITY

(Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc) Member (Eng. Maqsood Anwar Khan) Member

(Rafique Ahmed Shaikh) Member

> (Waseem Mukhtar) Chairman

(Amina Ahmed) Member



Zephyr Power Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Component	Reference Tariff	Revised Tariff	Indexation
Date of decisions	Jul 08,2019	Jan-Mar 2025	
	(Rs./kWh)	(Rs./kWh)	
O&M	1.5039	5.5775	US CPI & Rs./US \$
Return on Equity	3.6897	10.1367	Rs./US \$
Principal repayment of debt-Foreign	2.8702	7.8853	Rs./US \$
Interest-Foreign	0.5381	2.9353	SOFR & Rs./US \$
Principal repayment of debt-Local	3.2231	3.2231	<u>-</u>
Interest-Local	1.5883	2.1895	KIBOR
Total	13.4133	31.9474	
Indexation Values			Sources (Websites)
US CPI - Revised value of Nov 2024	233.707	315.493	US Bureau of Labor Statistics
Exchange Rate-available on Dec 31, 2024	101.50	278.85	NBP
Term SOFR 3 months rate available on Dec 31, 2024 (4.3051 % + 0.2616 %)	0.2706%	4.5667%	cmegroup.com
KIBOR 3 month- available on Dec 31, 2024	8.22%	12.14%	SBP
Quarterly Benchmark Energy (kWh)		38,325,000	
Principal Outstanding Foreign (USD)		372,892	
Principal Outstanding Local (Rs)		47,022,369	

Above indexation is on the basis of the information provided by ZPL.

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