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No. NEPRA/R/ADG(Trf)/TRF-354/AJPPL-2016/ 36402-06

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Subject:

<u>Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation / Adjustment of Tariff of AJ Power (Private) Ltd. (AJPPL) [Case No. NEPRA/TRF-354/AJPPL-2016]</u>

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with **Annex-I** (total 02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of AJ Power (Pvt.) Ltd. for the quarter **October-December 2023** on account of US CPI, N-CPI (Local), Exchange Rate and LIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-354/AJPPL-2016.

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 Division) '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. Company Secretary, AJ Power (Pvt.) Ltd., 127-S, Quaid-e-Azam Industrial Estate, Township, Kotlakhpat, Lahore



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION OF TARIFF FOR AJ POWER (PRIVATE) LIMITED FOR THE QUARTER OCT-DEC 2023

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated July 08, 2019 in the matter of tariff adjustment of AJ Power (Private) Limited at Commercial Operation Date (COD) notified vide S.R.O. 1157(I)/2019 on September 19, 2019. Thereafter, the Authority approved the Application/Review Motion for Revision of Upfront Tariff Determination of AJPPL filed by CPPA-G for Reduction of ROE and O&M Component and Decision of the Authority was issued on April 9, 2021. The relevant tariff components of AJPPL in respect of quarter Oct-Dec, 2023 have been revised on account of US CPI, N-CPI (Local), exchange rate, and LIBOR variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the above referred decision(s) of the Authority.

2. The Authority in its collective and joint wisdom decided with consensus as under; which will be hereafter called as decision of the Authority in the matter;

"Indexation/adjustment for Oct-Dec 2023 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."

- 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

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Member

(Engr. Maqsood Anwar Khan)

Member

(Rafique Ahmed Shaikh)

Member

(Amina Ahmed)

Member

(Waseem Mukhtar) Chairman



AJ Power (Private) Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Component Date of Decisions	Jul 08, 2019 Apr 09, 2021	Oct-Dec 2023	Indexation
	Rs./kWh		
Fixed O&M–Local	1.4815	2.7057	CPI
Fixed O&M-Foreign	0.4772	1.6903	US CPI & Rs./US \$
Return on Equity	3.0023	8.2663	Rs./US \$
Principal repayment of debt-Foreign	3.3142	9.1251	Rs./US \$
Interest-Foreign	0.7674	3.8538	LIBOR & Rs./US \$
Principal repayment of debt-Local	3.6840	3.6840	-
Interest-Local	0.8871	0.8871	-
Total	13.6137	30.2124	
Indexation Values			Sources (Websites)
CPI (General) of June 2020	131.010	239.270	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics
US CPI of May 2023	238.654	307.026	Bureau of Labor Statistics
Exchange Rate of June 30, 2023	105.000	289.100	NBP
LIBOR 3 month available on June 30, 2023	1.2906%	5.6571%	Global-rates.com
Principal Outstanding Foreign Loan (US\$/MW)		205,376	
Principal Outstanding Local Loan (Rs./MW)		24,048,967	
Quarterly Benchmark Energy (kWh)		372,300	

Above indexation is on the based on the data declared by AJPPL.



