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August 06, 2024

Subject: Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Gharo Solar Limited for the Quarter July-September 2024

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 Gharo Solar Limited for the Quarter July-September 2024 on account of US CPI, N-CPI (General), Exchange Rate and LIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-534/GSL-2020.

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

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(Wasim Anwar Bhinder)

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

Copy to:

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- 2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad
- 3. Chief Executive Officer, K-Electric Limited (KEL), KE House, Punjab Chowrangi, 39-B, Sunset Boulevard, Phase-II, Defence Housing Authority, Karachi
- 4. Company Secretary, Gharo Solar Limited, 1485/C-2A, Asad Jan Road, Lahore



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR GHARO SOLAR LIMITED FOR THE QUARTER JUL-SEP 2024

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated April 9, 2021 in the matter of tariff adjustment of Gharo Solar Limited (GSL) at Commercial Operation Date (COD) notified vide S.R.O. 867(I)/2021 dated July 7, 2021. The relevant tariff components of tariff if GSL are required to be adjusted quarterly.

2. GSL vide letter dated Jul 05, 2024 requested the Authority for quarterly indexation of relevant tariff components for the quarter Jul-Sep 2024. Accordingly, relevant tariff components of GSL for the quarter Jul-Sep, 2024 have been revised on account of US CPI, N-CPI (General), exchange rate and LIBOR variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the above referred decision 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 Jul-Sep 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-I** which shall be immediately applicable"

4. 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.

5. K-Electric to ensure that all the payments are consistent with tariff determination.

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Gharo Solar Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Components	Referenc e Tariff	Revised Tariff	Indexation
Date of decision	Apr 09,2021	Jul-Sep 2024	
	(Rs./kWh)	(Rs./kWh)	
O&M–Local	0.4688	0.9487	N-CPI
O&M-Foreign	0.6358	1.3848	US CPI & Rs./US \$
Return on Equity	2.4554	4.3686	Rs./US \$
Return on Equity during Construction	0.2693	0.4791	Rs./US \$
Debt Servicing (Foreign)	3.5853	7.8054	LIBOR & Rs./US \$
Debt Servicing (Local)	2.4316	2.4316	-
Total	9.8462	17.4182	
Indexation Values			Sources(websites)
N-CPI (General)-Revised value of May 2024	125.90	254.7800	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics
US CPI - Revised value of May 2024	256.560	314.0690	Bureau of Labor Statistics
Exchange Rate- available on June 30, 2024	156.70	278.80	NBP
LIBOR 3 month- available on June 30, 2024	2.08513%	5.5862%	Global-rates.com
Principal Outstanding Foreign Loan (USD)		14,215,854	
Principal Outstanding Local Loan (Rs.)		1,227,475,724	
Quarterly Benchmark Energy (kWh)		24,319,950	

Above indexation is on the basis of the information provided by GSL

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