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Subject: **Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Quaid-e-Azam Solar Power Private Limited for the Quarter January-March 2024 (Case No. NEPRA/TRF-303/QASPL-2015)**

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the subject decision of the Authority along with revised tariff components at **Annex-I** (total 02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Quaid-e-Azam Solar Power Private Ltd. for the quarter **January-March 2024** on account of US CPI, N-CPI, KIBOR and Exchange Rate variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-303/QASPL-2015.

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)

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4. Chief Executive Officer, Quaid-e-Azam Solar Power (Pvt.) Limited, 83-A, E/1, 3rd Floor, Main Boulevard, Gulberg III, Lahore.

**DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/
ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR QUAID-E-AZAM SOLAR POWER (PRIVATE) LIMITED FOR
THE QUARTER JAN-MAR 2024**

Pursuant to the Decision of the Authority dated June 2, 2016 in the matter of tariff adjustment of Quaid-e-Azam Solar Power (Pvt.) Limited (QASPL) at commercial operation date (COD) and review motion Decision dated Nov 29, 2016 and the Decision dated Feb 18, 2021, in the matter of petition for revision of Upfront Tariff Determination filed by QASPL for reduction of ROE component,

2) QASPL vide letter dated Jan 15, 2024 requested the Authority for indexation of relevant tariff components. Accordingly the tariff of QASPL for the quarter Jan-Mar 2024 has been revised on account of US CPI, N-CPI, KIBOR and exchange rate variations in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanisms stipulated in the above referred decisions of the Authority.

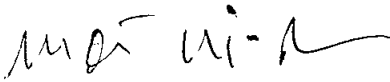
3) The Authority in its collective and joint wisdom considering all aspects decided with consensus as under; which will be hereafter called as decision of the Authority in the matter;

“Indexation/adjustment for Jan-Mar 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.”

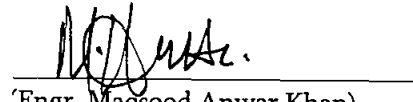



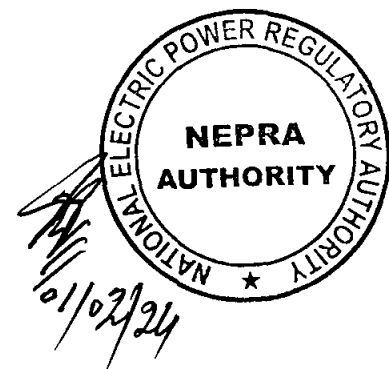
4) The above revised tariff components attached as **Annex-I** are to be notified in the official gazette in accordance with the provision of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

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

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(Amina Ahmed)
Member
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Chairman

Quaid-e-Azam Solar Power (Pvt.) Limited
Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Component	Reference Tariff	Revised Tariff	Indexation
Date of decisions	Jun 02, 2016 Nov 29, 2016 Feb 18, 2021	Jan-Mar 2024	
	(Rs./kWh)	(Rs./kWh)	
Fixed O&M-Local	0.4624	0.8935	N-CPI
Fixed O&M-Foreign	2.0709	7.3990	US CPI & Rs./US \$
Return on Equity	3.2473	9.0171	Rs./US \$
Principal repayment of debt-Local	10.1669	10.1669	-
Interest-Local	1.8051	4.1831	KIBOR
Total	17.7526	31.6596	
Indexation Values			Sources (Website)
CPI (General)-Revised value of Nov 2023	131.010	253.150	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics
US CPI- Revised value of Nov 2023	238.638	307.051	US Bureau of Labor Statistics
Exchange Rate-Available on Dec 31, 2023	101.70	282.40	NBP
KIBOR 3 Month- Available on Dec 31, 2023	7.01%	21.46%	SBP
Principal outstanding Local (Rs./MW)		25,228,473	
Quarterly Benchmark Energy (kWh)		38,325,000	

Based on the data declared by the QASPL

