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Subject:

Decision of the Authority in the matter of Annual Adjustment of Sinosure Component of Capacity Charge Part of Tariff for Port Qasim Electric Power Company (Private) Ltd. [CASE NO. NEPRA/TRF-299/POEPCPL-2015]

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the subject decision of the Authority along with Schedule of Sinosure Fee Component of Capacity Charge (Annex-I) (03 pages) in the matter of Annual Adjustment of Sinosure Component of Capacity Charge Part of Tariff for Port Qasim Electric Power Company (Private) Ltd. for the period November 24, 2021 to November 23, 2022 in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-299/PQEPCPL-2015.

- 2. The Decision is being intimated to the Federal Government for the purpose of notification in the official Gazette pursuant to Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997 within 30 days from the intimation of this Decision. In the event the Federal Government fails to notify the subject tariff Decision or refer the matter to the Authority for reconsideration, within the time period specified in Section 31(7), then the Authority shall notify the same in the official Gazette pursuant to Section 31(7) of NEPRA Act.
- 3. The revised Tariff Schedule attached as Annex-I is to be notified in the official Gazette.

Enclosure: As above

(Syed Safeer Hussain)

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- 1. Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad.
- 2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad.



## DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF ANNUAL ADJUSTMENT OF SINOSURE COMPONNET OF CAPACITY CHARGE PART OF TARIFF FOR PORT QASIM ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY (PRIVATE) LIMITED

- 1. Pursuant to the Decisions of the Authority dated February 13, 2015 in the matter of approval of upfront coal tariff for 2x660 MW coal power plant of Port Qasim Electric Power Company (PQEPCL) and dated September 27, 2019 in the matter of tariff adjustment at Commercial Operation Date (COD) of PQEPCL, the sinosure component of capacity charge part of tariff is subject to annual adjustment on the basis of annual outstanding principal, interest payable and exchange rate. PQEPCL vide its letter No. PQEPC/NEPRA/2022-11 dated March 31, 2022 submitted its request for adjustment of Sinosure fee component. PQEPCL requested Sinsosure fee component of Rs. 0.1297/kW/h for the 4<sup>th</sup> agreement year on the basis of sinosure premium of US\$ 8,007,970.92 (Rs. 1,412,205,671.74).
- 2. PQEPCL calculated the sinosure premium on the basis of outstanding principle as per the loan agreement with its Lender instead of the approved debt schedule. The requested sinosure premium is not in line with the mechanism approved by the Authority and previous decisions in the matter. As per the approved mechanism, sinosure premium for the period November 24, 2021 to November 23, 2022 is calculated as under:

Description	Amount US\$
Outstanding Principal as per Approved Debt Schedule	1,116,470,000
Revised Interest Payable During the Period @ LIBOR 0.156%	38,874,438
Total	1,155,344,438
Premium Rate	0.60%
Sinosure Premium As Per Debt Schedule	6,932,067
Exchange Rate (Rs./US\$)	176.35
Sinosure Premium (Rs.)	1,222,469,950

3. The revised sinosure component of capacity charge part of tariff indicated hereunder shall be immediately applicable:

Period	Revised Sinosure Component	
	Rs./kW/Hour	
November 24, 2021 to November 23, 2022	0.1123	

4. The revised tariff schedule 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. CPPA (G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with the tariff determination(s).

## **AUTHORITY**

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