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Subject: -

<u>Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for October-December 2022 Quarter (Pre-Cod Period) for Thar Coal Block-I</u> Power Generation Company (Private) Limited.

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the Decision of the Authority along with revised tariff components at **Annex-I** (total 03 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Thar Coal Block-I Power Generation Company (Private) Limited for the quarter **October-December 2022** on account of US CPI, N-CPI KIBOR and Exchange Rate variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-360/TCB-I-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 the 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,
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- 1. Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad
- 2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'O' 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. Chief Executive Officer, Thar Coal Block-1 Power Generation Company (Pvt.) Limited, No. A-1, Navy Housing Scheme, Zam Zama Link Road, Clifton Block-9, Karachi



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR OCTOBER TO DECEMBER 2022 QUARTER (PRE-COD PERIOD) FOR THAR COAL BLOCK-1 POWER GENERATION COMPANY (PRIVATE) LIMITED.

- 1. Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated June 10, 2016 in the matter of approval of upfront Thar coal tariff for 2x660 MW coal power plant of Thar Coal Block-1 Power Generation Company (Private) Limited (hereafter "TCB-1") and decision of the Authority dated March 10, 2021 notified vide S.R.O. No. 1041(I)/2023 on August 9, 2023 in the matter of change of base year 2007-08 to base year 2015-16 for Consumer Price Index for indexation of fixed & variable O&M (Local) components, the relevant tariff components are required to be adjusted on account of US CPI, N-CPI, KIBOR and Exchange Rate variations.
- 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 Authority in the matter:-

"Indexation/adjustment for October to December 2022 quarter has been made in the tariff components in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the decision(s) of the Authority."

3. The revised components are indicated hereunder shall be immediately applicable.

	Reference	Revised
Tariff Components	June 10, 2016 &	Oct-Dec 2022
	Mar 10, 2021	Quarter
Capacity Charge (Rs./KWh)		
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1435	0.4223
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1435	0.2835
Cost of Working Capital	0.1038	0.2887
Insurance	0.1021	0.1021
Total	0.4929	1.0966
Energy Purchase Price (Rs./KWh)		
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.0684	0.2013
Variable O&M - Local	0.0456	0.0900
Ash Disposal	0.2200	0.2200
Limestone	0.0900	0.0900
Water Charges (O&M)	0.0600	0.0900
Water Charges (Capital Cost)	0.1574	0.1574
Water Charges (Government of Sindh)	0.2897	0.2897
Total	0.9311	1.1084

- 4. The above components shall be applicable during the Pre-COD period as per PPA on unit delivered basis. TCB-1 also informed that its testing period commenced from 26th December 2022, therefore, test energy price as per PPA shall be applicable during the testing period.
- 5. The indexation/adjustment in these components shall be subject to adjustment, if necessary, in the light of decision of the Authority in the COD tariff adjustment.

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- 6. The above referred 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 (XL of 1997).
- 7. CPPA (G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with the tariff determination(s).

AUTHORITY

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Engr. Rafique Ahmed Shaikh Member

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Waseem Mukhtar Chairman

Thar Coal Block-1 Power Generation Company (Private) Limited Quarterly Indexation/ Adjustment of Tariff

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Tariff Components	June 10, 2016 &	Oct-Dec 2022	Indexation		
	Mar 10, 2021	Quarter			
Capacity Charge (Rs./KW/h)		-			
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1435	0.4223	US CPI & Rs./US\$		
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1435	0.2835	N-CPI Local		
Cost of Working Capital	0.1038	0.2887	KIBOR & Fuel Cost		
Insurance	0.1021	0.1021			
Total	0.4929	1.0966			
Energy Purchase Price (Rs./KWh)					
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.0684	0.2013	US CPI & Rs./US\$		
Variable O&M - Local	0.0456	0.0900	CPI Local		
Ash Disposal	0.2200	0.2200			
Limestone	0.0900	0.0900			
Water Charges (Government of Sindh)	0.2897	0.2897	-		
Water Charges (Capital Cost)	0.1574	0.1574			
Water Charges (O&M)	0.0600	0.0600			
Total	0.9311	1.1084			
Indexation Values		Source			
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	97.10	229.950	NBP - Revised rate of Sep 30, 2022		
US CPI (All Urban Consumers)	238.343	296.171	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics - Revised value of Aug 2022		
CPI (General) - Local	194.74	-	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - CPI value of Jun 2014		
CPI (General) - Local (May 2020)	268.25	_	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - CPI value of May 2020		
N-CPI (Local)	131.01	187.840	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - N-CPI value of Aug 2022		
3 Monthly KIBOR	11.91%	15.77%	SBP - Revised rate of Sep 30, 2022		

⁻ Based on the data declared by Thar Coal Block-1 Power Generation Company (Private) Limited.



