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Subject: - Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for October - December 2024 Quarter for Thar Coal Block-I 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 2024 on account of US CPI, N-CPI KIBOR/LIBOR 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

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- 3. Chief Executive Officer, Central Power Purchasing Agency Guarantee Limited (CPPA-G), Shaheen Plaza, 73-West, Fazi-e-Haq Road, Islamabad
- 4. Chief Executive Officer, Thar Coal Block-I 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-DECEMBER 2024 QUARTER 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/LIBOR and Exchange Rate variation.
- 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-December 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."

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

Tariff Components	Reference June 10, 2016 & Mar 10, 2021	Revised Oct-Dec 2024 Quarter		
Capacity Charge (Rs./KWh)				
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1435	0.5427		
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1435	0.3959		
Cost of Working Capital	0.1038	0.2528		
ROE	1.5062	4.3131		
Interest Charges	0.5771	2.9889		
Debt Repayment	1.0921	3.1597		
Total	3.5662	11.6531		
Energy Purchase Price (Rs./KWh)				
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.0684	0.2587		
Variable O&M - Local	0.0456	0.1257		
Water Charges (Government of Sindh)	0.2897	0.2897		
Total	0.4037	0.6741		

- 4. TCB-1 also requested quarterly indexation/adjustment with reference components of Ash Disposal, Limestone, Insurance, Water Charges (Capital Cost) and Water Charges (O&M), as these are required to be adjusted as per actual at the time of COD adjustment, therefore, same has not been considered by the Authority in the instant interim tariff relief.
- 5. Indexation allowed to TCB-1 is on provisional basis till the finalization of its COD tariff decision by the Authority and shall be subject to adjustment/refund, if necessary, in the light of final decision of the Authority in respect to COD tariff adjustment.





- 6. The above decision of the Authority along with 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).

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

	Reference	Revised	Indexation	
Tariff Components	June 10, 2016 &	Oct-Dec 2024		
<del>-</del>	Mar 10, 2021	Quarter		
Capacity Charge (Rs./KWh)				
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1435	0.5427	US CPI & Rs./US\$	
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1435	0.3959	N-CPI Local	
Cost of Working Capital	0.1038	0.2528	KIBOR & Fuel Cost	
ROE	1.5062	4.3131	Rs./US\$	
Interest Charges	0.5771	2.9889	LIBOR & Rs./US\$	
Debt Repayment	1.0921	3.1597	Rs./US\$ COWER RA	
Total	3.5662	11.6531	Stip.	
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Water Charges (Government of Sindh)	0.2897	0.2897	-	
Total	0.4037	0.6741	No.	
Indexation Values		Source		
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	97.10	278.050	NBP - Revised rate of Sep 30, 2024	
US CPI (All Urban Consumers)	238.343	314.796	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics - Revised value of Aug 2024	
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 Jun 2020	
N-CPI (Local)	131.01	262.320	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - N-CPI value of Aug 2024	
3 Monthly KIBOR	11.91%	16.13%	SBP - Revised rate of Sep 30, 2024	
3 Monthly LIBOR	0.45%	4.854%	Global-rates.com - Revised rate of Sep 30, 2024	
Variable Coal Price (Rs./MT)	1,393.44	5,317.71	Weighted Average Variable Price of Coal Consumed during Jul-Sep 2024	
Fixed Coal Price (Rs./MT)	3,528.12	7,867.23	Weighted Average Fixed Price of Coal Consumed during Jul-Sep 2024	
Coal Calorific Value (BTU/Kg)	11,005.00	10,710.37	Weighted Average CV of Coal Consumed during Jul-Sep 2024	
Principal Outstanding (USD. Million)	-	615.60		
Hours in the Quarter	-	2,208		

