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February 18, 2022

Subject:

Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Chiniot Power Limited (CPL)

[Case No. NEPRA/TRF-263/CPL-2014]

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with (Annex-I) (02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff for Chiniot Power Limited (CPL) for the quarter January-March 2022 on account of US CPI, CPI (General), Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-263/CPL-2014.

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

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(Syed Safeer Hussain)

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DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR CHINIOT POWER LIMITED (CPL)

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated January 22, 2016 regarding One-time Adjustment of Upfront Tariff of Chiniot Power Limited ("CPL") notified vide S.R.O 156(I)/2016 dated February 24, 2016 with supersession of previous S.R.O dated June 17, 2014 and corrigendum dated October 31, 2016, the tariff of CPL has been revised for the quarter January-March, 2022, on account of US CPI, CPI (General), exchange rate and KIBOR variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanisms stipulated in the aforementioned decision(s) of the Authority as indicated in **Annex-1**.

- 2. The aforementioned adjusted/indexed tariff mentioned in **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.
- 3. CPPA-G to ensure that all the payments are consistent with tariff determination.

AUTHORITY

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Chiniot Power Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Components	Reference Tariff	Revised Jan-Mar, 2022	
	Rs	Rs./kWh	
Variable O&M - Local	0.1197	0.1627	
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.3393	0.6996	
Fixed O&M - Local	0.3194	0.4340	
Return on Equity	1.0346	1.8121	
Debt Service	3.8970	4.0248	
Working Capital	0.1733	0.1890	
Insurance	0.2204	0.2204	
Total	6.1037	7.5426	
Indexation Values		·	
CPI (General)	198.160	269.270	
US CPI	236.119	277.948	
Exchange Rate	101.60	177.95	
3 Monthly KIBOR	9.50%	10.54%	

^{*} For the purpose of indexation of Fixed O&M (Local) component for Jan-Mar 2022 quarter, CPI for Nov 2021 was required to be used. However, Pakistan Bureau of Statistics has discontinued the publication of CPI for base year 2007-08 w.e.f. July 2020 and replaced it with National CPI for new base year 2015-16.

The Authority vide its decision dated March 10, 2021 replaced CPI Base Year 2007-08 with N-CPI Base Year 2015-16, however, that decision shall be implemented upon Notification in the Official Gazette.

As per relevant provision of the EPA, the latest available CPI of June 2020 for base year 2007-08 has been used for the instant indexation/adjustment. The indexation of Local O&M components is being made on provisional basis, subject to revision upon notification of the Authority's decision of revised index.

