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No. NEPRA/R/ADG(Trf)/TRF-263/CPL-2014/ 793-97

January 17, 2024

Subject: **Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation of Local O&M Component for the Quarters October-December 2020 to July-September 2023 for Chiniot Power Limited [Case No. NEPRA/TRF-263/CPL-2014]**

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with **Annex-I** (total 02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff for Chiniot Power Limited (CPL) for the quarters **October-December 2020 to July-September 2023** on account of N-CPI 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

(Engr. Mazhar Iqbal Ranjha)

Secretary  
Ministry of Energy (Power Division)  
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Copy to: (alongwith copy of subject Decision):

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3. Chief Executive Officer, Central Power Purchasing Agency Guarantee Limited (CPPA-G), Shaheen Plaza, 73-West, Fazl-e-Haq Road, Islamabad
4. Project Director, Chiniot Power Limited, 55-K, Model Town, Lahore

**DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION OF LOCAL O&M COMPONENT FOR THE QUARTERS OCT-DEC 2020 TO JUL-SEP 2023 FOR CHINIOT POWER LIMITED**

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 and corrigendum dated October 31, 2016, and the Authority's decision dated March 10, 2021 notified vide SRO No. 1041(I)/2023 on August 9, 2023 in the matter of Change of Base Year 2007-08 to 2015-16 for Consumer Price Index (CPI), the local O&M components of tariff are required to be adjusted on account of variation in N-CPI in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanisms stipulated in the aforementioned decision(s) of the Authority.

2. The Authority through its decisions approved Local O&M Components of tariff w.e.f. Oct-Dec 2020 to Jul-Sep 2023 quarters based on last available CPI value i.e. 269.270 of June 2020 (Base Year 2007-08) on provisional basis subject to decision of the Authority for change in CPI index and its notification in the Official Gazette.

3. Subsequent to the notification of the decision, CPL requested for revision of Local O&M components based on N-CPI values for Oct-Dec 2020 to Jul-Sept 2023 quarters.

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

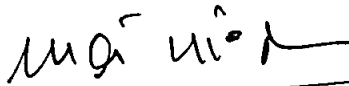
"Local O&M components have been revised on account of N-CPI variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the decision of the Authority dated March 10, 2021. The revised tariff indicated at Annex-I shall be immediately applicable."

5. The instant decision shall supersede the relevant decision of the Authority to the extent of Local O&M components dated Nov 09, 2020, May 06, 2021, Aug 17, 2021, Nov 12, 2021, Feb 18, 2022, June 22, 2022, Aug 11, 2022, Nov 08, 2022, Feb 10, 2023, May 29, 2023 and Aug 09, 2023

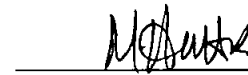
6. The aforementioned adjusted/indexed tariff mentioned in **Annex-I** is to be notified in the official gazette in accordance with the provision of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

7. CPPAGL to ensure that all the payments are consistent with tariff determination.

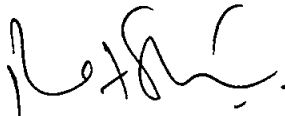
**AUTHORITY**



(Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc)  
Member



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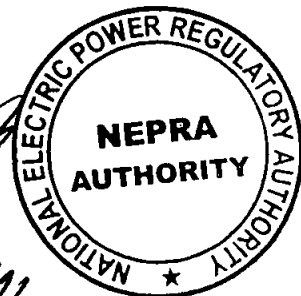


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Member

(Amina Ahmed)  
Member



(Waseem Mukhtar)  
Chairman



**Chiniot Power LTD**  
**Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff**

Description	Reference	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised	Revised
		Oct-Dec 2020	Jan-Mar 2021	Apr-Jun 2021	Jul-Sep 2021	Oct-Dec 2021	Jan-Mar 2022	Apr-Jun 2022	Jul-Sep 2022	Oct-Dec 2022	Jan-Mar 2023	Apr-Jun 2023	Jul-Sep 2023
Local O&M variable	0.1620	0.1685	0.1754	0.1770	0.1796	0.1826	0.1956	0.1986	0.2044	0.2323	0.2423	0.2613	0.2819
Local O&M Fixed	0.4324	0.4496	0.4681	0.4722	0.4793	0.4872	0.5220	0.5301	0.5453	0.6199	0.6465	0.6973	0.7523
NCPI	131.01	136.230	141.83	143.09	145.24	147.61	158.18	160.61	165.23	187.84	195.89	211.28	227.96

*Based on the data declared by Chiniot Power Ltd*

