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Subject: Decision of the Authority in the Matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff of 102 MW Gulpur Hydro Power Project of Mira Power Limited.

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the subject decision of the Authority along with revised tariff components at **Annex-I** (total 02 pages) regarding indexation/adjustment of tariff for **October-December 2024** quarters on account of US CPI, N-CPI Local, LIBOR and Exchange Rate Variation in respect of Gulpur Hydro Power Project in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-116.

2. The Decision is being sent to the Federal Government for intimation 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

(Syed Zawar Haider)

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Ministry of Energy (Power Division),
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Copy to:

- 1. Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad
- 2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' 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, M/s. Mira Power Limited (Gulpur Hydropower Project), Mezzanine Floor, 15-East, Rehmat Centre, Jinnah Avenue, Blue Area, Islamabad



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF OF 102 MW GULPUR HYDRO POWER PROJECT OF MIRA POWER LIMITED.

Pursuant to the decisions of the Authority dated August 3rd, 2015, October 28th, 2015 and March 09, 2021, in the matter of request filed by Central Power Purchasing Agency for procurement of power from Mira Power Ltd.'s 102 MW Gulpur Hydropower Project and the decision of the Authority dated March 10, 2021 notified vide S.R.O. No. 1041(1)2023 on August 09, 2023 in the matter of change of base year 2007-2008 to base year 2015-16 for Consumer Price Index (CPI) for indexation of fixed and variable O&M (Local) components, the relevant tariff components of MPL are required to be indexed as per stipulated mechanism.

Accordingly, the Authority in its collective and joint wisdom after examining from all aspects decided with consensus as under; which will be hereafter called as decision of the Authority in the matter:

"The Local Variable & Fixed O&M, Foreign Fixed O&M, Water Use Charge (WUC), Debt Servicing, Return on Equity (ROE) and Return On Equity During Construction (ROEDC) components have been indexed for Oct - Dec 2024 quarter provisionally to the extent of applicable exchange rate variation, N-CPI local, US CPI and LIBOR. The revised tariff indicated in the attached Annex-I shall be immediately applicable."

The indexation allowed shall be subject to adjustment in the light of the final decision of the Authority w.r.t MPL's COD tariff adjustment.

The above referred revised tariff components attached as **Annex-I** is to be notified in the official Gazette, in terms of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

AUTHORITY

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Engr. Rafique Ahmed Shaikh Member

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			Annexure - I	
Mira Power Limited 102 MW Gulpur Hydropower Plant Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment				
Tariff Components	Revised Reference Mar 09, 2021 & Mar 10, 2021	Oct-Dec 2024	Indexation	
Variable Charge (Rs/kWh)				
Variable O&M - Local	0.0601	0.1197	N-CPI Local	
Fixed Charge (Rs/kW/M)				
Fixed O&M- Local	212.1041	422.7212	N-CPI Local	
Fixed O&M- Foreign	298.2613	708.0239	US CPI & Rs./ US\$	
Debt Servicing	3,546.5560	8,293.8287	LIBOR & Rs./ US\$	
Return on equity	1,762.9250	3,106.0815	Rs./ US\$	
Return on equity during construction (ROEDC)	403.2107	710.4133	Rs./ US\$	
Indexation values			Sources	
Exchange Rate Quarterly	158.2500	278.8192	NBP	
Exchange Rate Semi Annual (for debt servicing only)	158.2500	279.3115	NBP	
US CPI (Quarterly) - O&M Foreign	233.7070	314.8790	www.bls.gov	
N-CPI (Quarterly) - O&M Local - Fixed and variable	131.2267	261.5333	www.pbs.gov.pk	
LIBOR % (Interest)	5.3500%	10.6670%	Global-rates.com	
Outstanding Loan USD Million		165.98		
Capacity Net MW		100.98		

Tariff Component	Reference	Indexed Tariff Mar 10, 2024 to 09 Mar, 2025	Source
Water Use Charge (WUC)*	0.1500	0.2963	
N-CPI (Yearly) - Water Use Charge	131.6400	260.0100	<u>www.pbs.gov.pk</u>

Based on the data declared by Mira Power Limited.

*MPL has achieved COD on Mar 09, 2020 and WUC subject to indexation on annual basis after one year of COD. Thus the WUC is indexed annually.

The above indexation is on provisional basis and will be subject to adjustment in the light of final decision of the Authority w.r.t. MPL's COD tariff adjustment.





