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No. NEPRA/R/DG(Trf)/TRF-70/NCPL-2007/

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Subject: Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Nishat Chunian Power Ltd. for April-June 2023 Quarter (Case No. NEPRA/TRF-70/NCPL-2007)

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with revised tariff components (Annex-I) (02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Nishat Chunian Power Ltd. for the **April-June 2023** quarter on account of US CPI, CPI (General) Local, Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-70/NCPL-2007.

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),
Government of Pakistan
'A' Block, Pak Secretariat,
Islamabad.

Copy to: (alongwith copy of subject Decision):

- 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, Nishat Chunian Power Limited (NCPL), 31-Q, Gulberg-II, Lahore [Ph: 042 35761730]



<u>DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR NISHAT CHUNIAN POWER LIMITED FOR APRIL TO JUNE 2023 QUARTER.</u>

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated December 31, 2010 in the matter of adjustment at Commercial Operation Date (COD), decision of the Authority dated December 20, 2012 regarding change of index in case of Nishat Chunian Power Limited (NCPL) and decision of the Authority dated April 2, 2021 in the matter of application filed by CPPA-G for adjustment of ROE and ROEDC components of tariff pursuant to the agreement with NCPL, the tariff of NCPL in respect of April to June 2023 quarter has been revised on account of US CPI, CPI (General) Local, Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanisms stipulated in the above referred decisions of the Authority. The revised tariff indicated hereunder shall be immediately applicable:

Tariff Components	Reference Dec 31, 2010, Dec 20, 2012 & Apr 2, 2021	Revised Apr-Jun 2023 Quarter		
Capacity Charge (Rs./kW/Hour)				
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1019	0.4663		
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1186	0.2064		
Cost of Working Capital	0.1909	0.3207		
ROE	0.6968	0.6968		
ROEDC	0.1284	0.1284		
Total	1.2366	1.8186		
Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)				
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.5182	2.3715		
Variable O&M - Local	0.1630	0.2837		
Total	0.6812	2.6552		

The above adjustment of tariff shall be subject to the outcome of pending inquiry/court proceedings.

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.

CPPPA (G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with tariff determination.

AUTHORITY

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NISHAT CHUNIAN POWER LIMITED Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Components	Reference Dec 31, 2010, Dec 20, 2012 & Apr 2, 2021	Revised Apr-Jun 2023 Quarter	Indexation
Capacity Charge (Rs./kW/Hour)			
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1019	0.4663	US CPI & Rs./US\$
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1186	0.2064	CPI Local
Cost of Working Capital	0.1909	0.3207	KIBOR
ROE	0.6968	0.6968	•
ROEDC	0.1284	0.1284	-
Total	1.2366	1.8186	
Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)			
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.5182	2.3715	US CPI & Rs./US\$
Variable O&M - Local	0.1630	0.2837	CPI Local
Total	0.6812	2.6552	
Indexation Values		Source	
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	85.600	284.100	NBP - Revised rate of March 31, 2023
US CPI (All Urban Consumers)	218.178	300.840	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics - Revised value of Feb 2023
CPI (General) - Local	154.720	269.270	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - Revised value of Jun 2020
3 Monthly KIBOR	12.29%	21.98%	SBP - Revised rate of March 31,2023
Hours in the quarter	-	2,184	



⁻ For the purpose of indexation of Local O&M components for Apr-Jun 2023 quarter, CPI for Feb 2023 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. As per relevant provision of the PPA, 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 decision of new reference index value by the Authority.

- The above adjustment of tariff shall be subject to the outcome of pending inquiry/court proceedings.
- Based on the data declared by Nishat Chunian Power Limited.



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