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Subject: Decision of the Authority in the Matter of Reimbursement of 7.5% Withholding Tax on Dividends for Saif Power Ltd. (Case No. NEPRA/TRF-80/SPL-2007)

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with schedule (Annex-I) (02 pages) regarding reimbursement of 7.5% withholding tax on dividends for the period from 1st November 2015 to 31st October 2016 in respect of Saif Power Ltd. in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-80/SPL-2007.

- 2. The decision is being intimated to the Federal Government for the purpose of notification of adjustment in the approved tariff through the official Gazette pursuant to Section 31 (4) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act (XL of 1997) and Rule 16(11) of the National Electric Power Regulatory Authority Tariff (Standards and Procedure) Rules, 1998.
- 3. The Schedule attached as Annex-I is to be notified in the official Gazette.

Enclosure: As above

(Syed Safeer Hussain)

Secretary
Ministry of Water & Power,
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CC: 1. Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad.

2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad.



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF REIMBURSEMENT OF 7.5% WITHHOLDING TAX ON DIVIDENDS FOR SAIF POWER LIMITED

Pursuant to the order of the Authority dated 20th June 2011 in the matter of adjustment at commercial operation date in the case of Saif Power Limited (SPL), withholding tax on dividend is a pass through item and the power purchaser shall make payment on account of withholding tax at the time of actual payment of dividend as hourly payment spread over a period of 12 months. In accordance with the decision referred above, the Authority approved following component for withholding tax on dividend for immediate application:

Period	7.5% Withholding tax on Dividend Rs./kW/Hour	
1st November, 2015 to 31st October, 2016	0.0096	

The schedule attached as Annex-I are to be notified in the official gazette in accordance with the provisions of Section 31(4) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

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SAIF POWER LIMITED REIMBURSEMENT OF 7.5% WITHHODING TAX ON DIVIDENDS

Tax Challan #	payment Date	Dividend Amount agst. which Tax is Being Withheld	Tax A	Amount
Tax Shahan II	payment Date		Rs.	Equivalent USD*
IT-20151019-0882-1154615	19th October, 2015	207,430,067	15,557,255	149,159
IT-20151019-0882-1154613	19th October, 2015	27,614,583	2,070,339	19,850
Total		235,044,650	17,627,594	169,009

^{*}NBP TT & OD Selling Rate of USD as on 19th October, 2015 was $\,$ Rs. 104.30 $\,$

Calculation of Hourly Rate:

Withholding Tax on dividend	Rs.	17,627,594
Capacity	kW	209,786
Hours in a year	No.	8,784
Tariff Component of withholding tax on dividend	Rs/kW/Hour	0.0096
Reimbursement Period of 12 Months	1st November, 2015 to 31st October, 2016	

Carry Forward of Unclaimed Dividend Tax:	
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Balance brought Forward from 6th agreement Year 2,449,903

(NEPRA/TRF-80/SPL-2007/9144-9146)

Less

Balance Carried Forward	2,241,482
unclaimable due to exemption of withholding tax on dividends*	(39,412)
2st Interim Dividend	(169,009)
Claimed during 6th agreement year((01-11-2015 to 31-10-2016)	
Less:	

*Out of 386.471 million paid-up Shares, 73.078 million shares of Habib Bank Limited, Allied Bank Limited & other Mutual Funds/Trustees were exempt from withholding tax on dividend. Accordingly, the carry forward of unclaimed withholding tax on dividends has been reduced to the extent of dividends paid to them.

