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No. NEPRA/TRF-125/SECL-2009/1032-1034  
January 23, 2015

Subject: **Decision of the Authority in the Matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Sapphire Electric Company Ltd. (Case No. NEPRA/TRF-125/SECL-2009)**

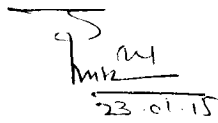
Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the decision of the Authority along with revised tariff (Annex-I) (02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Sapphire Electric Company Ltd. for the quarter January-March 2015 on account of US CPI, CPI (Local), Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-125/SECL-2009.

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. Please note that revised tariff component attached as Annex-I is to be notified in the official Gazette.

Enclosure: As above

  
( Syed Safer Hussain )

Secretary,  
Ministry of Water & Power,  
Government of Pakistan  
Islamabad.

CC:

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



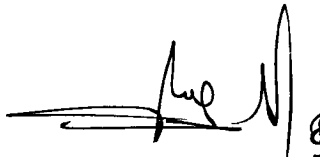
**DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/  
ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR SAPPHIRE ELECTRIC COMPANY LIMITED**

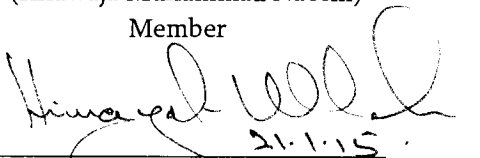
Pursuant to the decisions the Authority dated 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2012 in the matter of motion for leave for review filed against the decision of the Authority at Commercial Operation Date (COD) and decision of the Authority dated 20<sup>th</sup> December 2012 regarding change of index in the case of Sapphire Electric Company Limited (hereinafter "SECL"), the tariff of SECL in respect of for January to March 2015 quarter has been revised on account of US CPI, CPI (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:

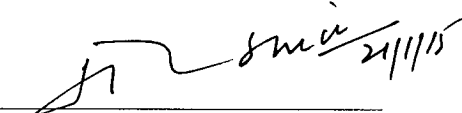
Tariff Components	Reference 23rd Nov. 2012	Revised Jan-Mar 2015
<b>Capacity Charge(Rs./kW/Hour)</b>		
Fixed O&M – Local	0.0762	0.0979
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.0965	0.1272
Cost of Working Capital-Gas	0.0449	0.0356
Cost of Working Capital-HSD	0.0961	0.0763
Return on Equity	0.3964	0.4784
Return on Equity During Construction	0.1061	0.1281
Debt Servicing	1.3145	1.1660
<b>Total (Gas)</b>	<b>2.0346</b>	<b>2.0332</b>
<b>Total (HSD)</b>	<b>2.0858</b>	<b>2.0739</b>
<b>Variable O&amp;M (Rs./kWh)</b>		
Variable O&M – Foreign -Gas	0.2583	0.3406
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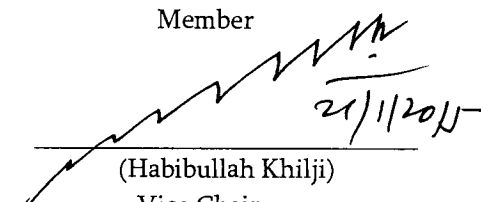
The above referred revised tariff components attached as **Annex-I** is to be notified in the official gazette, in accordance with the provision of Section 31(4) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

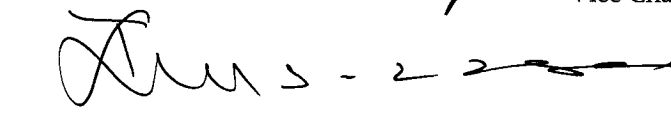
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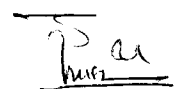
  
(Khawaja Muhammad Naeem)  
Member

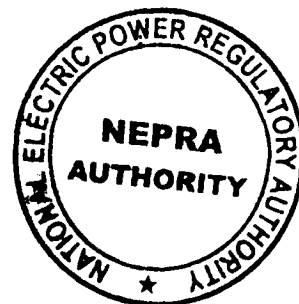
  
(Himayat Ullah Khan)  
Member

  
(Maj (R) Haroon Rashid)  
Member

  
(Habibullah Khilji)  
Vice Chairman

  
Brig (R) Tariq Saddozai  
Chairman

  
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## Annex-I

**Sapphire Electric Company Limited**  
**Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff**

Tariff Components	Reference 23rd Nov. 2012	Revised Jan-Mar 2015
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<b>Indexation Values</b>		
CPI (General)	154.720	198.800
US CPI	216.177	236.151
Exchange Rate	83.350	100.600
KIBOR	12.60%	9.63%
Principal Outstanding (Rs. in Million)	12,268	9,162
Hours in the Quarter		2,160

**Note:-** Insurance component of capacity charge is not part of quarterly indexation. It is adjusted annually on actual basis as per mechanism stipulated in the decision of the Authority.



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