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No. NEPRA/TRF-125/SECL-2009/5638-5640 April 21, 2017

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 components (Annex-I) (02 pages) regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Sapphire Electric Company Ltd. for the quarter April – June 2017 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. The Revised Tariff Components attached as Annex-I are to be notified in the official Gazette.

Enclosure: As above

(Syed Safeer 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 23rd 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^{rh} December 2012 regarding change of index in the case of Sapphire Electric Company Limited (hereinafter "SECL"), the tariff of SECL in respect of April -June 2017 quarter has been revised on account of US CPI, CPI (Local), exchange rate and K1BOR 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 Component	Revised April-June 2017
Capacity Charge(Rs./kW/Hour)		
Fixed O&M – Local	0.0762	0.1042
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.0965	0.1368
Cost of Working Capital-Gas	0.0449	0.0249
Cost of Working Capital-HSD	0.0961	0.0533
Return on Equity	0.3964	0.4987
Return on Equity During Construction	0.1061	0.1335
Debt Servicing	1.3145	1.0874
Total (Gas)	2.0346	1.9855
Total (HSD)	2.0858	2.0139
Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)		
Variable O&M Foreign -Gas	0.2583	0.3662
Variable O&M – Foreign -HSD	0.3728	0.5285

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(4) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

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Sapphire Electric Company Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

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Indexation Values		
CPI (General)	154.720	211.540
US CPI	216.177	243.603
Exchange Rate	83.350	104.850
KIBOR	12.60%	6.12%
Principal Outstanding (Rs. in Million)	12,268	6,493
Hours in the Quarter		2,184



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