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Subject: Decision of the Authority in the Matter of Fuel Price Adjustment Based on RLNG for Sapphire Electric Company Ltd. [Case No. NEPRA/TRF-125/SECL-2009]

Enclosed please find herewith subject decision of the Authority along with Schedule of Fuel Cost Part of Energy Charge, applicable w.e.f. July 1, 2019, July 8, 2019, July 15, 2019 and July 22, 2019 at Annex-I (02 pages) regarding the adjustment in fuel portion of energy charge part of tariff on account of fuel price variation for **RLNG** in respect of Sapphire Electric Company Ltd.

Enclosure: As above

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CC:

- 1. Secretary Ministry of Energy (Power Division), 'A' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad
- 2. Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad
- 3. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad.
- 4. Chief Executive Officer, Central Power Purchasing Agency Guarantee Limited, Shaheen Plaza, 73-West, Fazl-e-Haq Road, Islamabad.



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DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF FUEL PRICE ADJUSTMENT BASED ON RLNG FOR SAPPHIRE ELECTRIC COMPANY LIMITED

- 1. Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated 21st September 2011 and 3rd May 2016 in the matter of Fuel Price Adjustment (FCA), the fuel portion of energy charge part of tariff of Sapphire Electric Company Limited (hereinafter "SECL") is required to be adjusted for variation in fuel price.
- 2. Oil & Gas Regulatory Authority (OGRA) vide its decision dated July 10, 2019, has determined provisional RLNG weighted average price for SNGPL for July 2019. Based on OGRA's notification the fuel cost component on RLNG has been revised. The revision has been made on provisional basis and final fuel cost component shall be made after notification of final RLNG price by OGRA and submission of fuel invoice by SECL.
- 3. The revised fuel cost component indicated hereunder shall be immediately applicable on unit delivered basis:

| Period | Revised Fuel Cost Component | | | | |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| | (Rs/kWh) | | | | |
| W.e.f. July 1, 2019 | 11.8403 | | | | |
| W.e.f. July 8, 2019 | 11.9623 | | | | |
| W.e.f. July 15, 2019 | 12.0722 | | | | |
| W.e.f. July 22, 2019 | 12.0722 | | | | |

- 4. In case RLNG price is not changed or not determined by the OGRA for the next period/month, Fuel Cost Component effective from 22nd July 2019 shall remain applicable.
- 5. The above referred revised fuel cost component of energy charge part of tariff attached as **Annex-I** is to be notified in the official gazette, in accordance with the provisions of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.
- 6. CPPA(G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with the tariff determinations.

Authority Saif Ullah Chattha 🤈 Rafique Ahmed Shaikh 8.254 Member Member Engr. Bahadur Shah OWER Rehmatullah Balb Vice Chairman Member

Sapphire Electric Company Limited Schedule of Fuel Cost Part of Energy Charge Adjustment on account of Fuel Price Variation for RLNG

| Period | Reference Gas Price LHV | Previous (June-19) RLNG price | Reference Fuel Cost Component | Previous (June-19) Fuel Cost Component | Revised Provisional RLNG Price July 2019 | | | Revised Fuel Cost Component | |
|----------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| | LHV | LHV | LHV | LHV | нну | Exchange Rate | нну | LHV | LHV |
| | Rs./MMBTU | Rs./MMBTU | Rs./kWh | Rs./kWh | US\$/MMBTU | *Rs./USD | Rs./MMBTU | **Rs./MMBTU | Rs./kWh |
| W.e.f. July 1, 2019 | 368.11 | 1,627.6012 | 2.4538 | 10.8495 | 10.2026 | 157.1902 | 1,603.7487 | 1,776.2367 | 11.8403 |
| W.e.f. July 8, 2019 | 368.11 | 1,688.1528 | 2.4538 | 11.2531 | 10.2026 | 158.8105 | 1,620.2800 | 1,794.5460 | 11.9623 |
| W.e.f. July 15, 2019 | 368.11 | 1,722.4305 | 2.4538 | 11.4816 | 10.2026 | 160.2696 | 1,635.1666 | 1,811.0337 | 12.0722 |
| W.e.f. July 22, 2019 | 368.11 | 1,722.4305 | 2.4538 | 11.4816 | 10.2026 | 160.2696 | 1,635.1666 | 1,811.0337 | 12.0722 |

*Exchange Rates applied by the Fuel Supplier i.e. SNGPL and communicated by SECL.

**RLNG price is adjusted for LHV-HHV factor of 1.107553

