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

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 July – September 2020 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 (7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997.

3. The revised Tariff Components attached as Annex-I are to be notified in the official Gazette.

Enclosure: <u>As above</u>

(Syed Safeer Hussain)

Secretary, Ministry of Energy, (Power Division) Government of Pakistan 'A' Block, Pak Secretariat Islamabad.

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Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad.

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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 November 23, 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 December 20, 2012 regarding change of index in the case of Sapphire Electric Company Limited (hereinafter "SECL"), the tariff of SECL in respect of July-Sep 2020 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<br>Component | Revised<br>July-Sep 2020<br>Quarter |  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Capacity Charge(Rs./kW/Hour)         |                        |                                     |  |
| Fixed O&M – Local                    | 0.0762                 | 0.1321                              |  |
| Fixed O&M - Foreign                  | 0.0965                 | 0.2317                              |  |
| Cost of Working Capital - Gas        | 0.0449                 | 0.0286                              |  |
| Cost of Working Capital - HSD        | 0.0961                 | 0.0611                              |  |
| Return on Equity                     | 0.3964                 | 0.8025                              |  |
| Return on Equity During Construction | 0.1061                 | 0.2148                              |  |
| Debt Servicing                       | , 1.3145               | 1.2977                              |  |
| Total (Gas)                          | 2.0346                 | 2.7074                              |  |
| Total (HSD)                          | 2.0858                 | 2.7399                              |  |
| Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)               | ,                      | •                                   |  |
| Variable O&M – Foreign -Gas          | 0.2583                 | 0.6202                              |  |
| Variable O&M – Foreign -HSD          | 0.3728                 | 0.8952                              |  |

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.

CPPA (G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with the tariff determination(s).

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## Annex-I

| Tariff Components                      | Reference<br>Component | Jul-Sep 2020 |
|--|------------------------|--------------|
| Capacity Charge(Rs./kW/Hour)           |                        |              |
| Fixed O&M – Local                      | 0.0762                 | 0.1321       |
| Fixed O&M - Foreign                    | 0.0965                 | 0.2317       |
| Cost of Working Capital-Gas            | 0.0449                 | 0.0286       |
| Cost of Working Capital-HSD            | 0.0961                 | 0.0612       |
| Return on Equity                       | 0.3964                 | 0.8025       |
| Return on Equity During Construction   | 0.1061                 | 0.2148       |
| Debt Servicing                         | 1.3145                 | 1.2977       |
| Total (Gas)                            | 2.0346                 | 2.7074       |
| Total (HSD)                            | 2.0858                 | 2.7400       |
| Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)                 |                        |              |
| Variable O&M – Foreign -Gas            | 0.2583                 | 0.6202       |
| Variable O&M – Foreign -HSD            | 0.3728                 | 0.8952       |
| Indexation Values                      | ····                   |              |
| CPI (General)                          | 154.720                | 268.250      |
| US CPI                                 | 216.177                | 256.394      |
| Exchange Rate                          | 83.350                 | 168.750      |
| KIBOR                                  | 12.60%                 | 7.26%        |
| Principal Outstanding (Rs. in Million) | 12,268                 | 588          |
| Hours in the Quarter                   |                        | 2,208        |

# Sapphire Electric Company Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

