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January 20, 2025

Subject: <u>Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff</u> for January-March 2025 Quarter for Sapphire Electric Company Limited

Dear Sir,

Please find enclosed herewith the subject Decision of the Authority along with Annex-I (total 02 pages) regarding the quarterly indexation/adjustment of the tariff of Sapphire Electric Company Ltd. for the quarter January-March 2025 on account of US CPI, N-CPI, Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-125/SECL-2009.

2. The Decision is being sent to the Federal Government for intimation under Proviso (ii) of Section 31(7) of the NEPRA Act, before its notification by NEPRA pursuant to the said Proviso of Section 31(7) of NEPRA Act, 1997.

Enclosure: As above

(Masroor Khan)

Secretary,
Ministry of Energy (Power Division),
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Copy to:

- 1. Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad.
- 2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad
- 3. Chief Executive Officer, Central Power Purchasing Agency Guarantee Limited (CPPA-G), Shaheen Plaza, 73-West, Fazl-e-Haq Road, Islamabad
- 4. Chief Executive Officer, Sapphire Electric Company Ltd., 7-A/K, Main Boulevard, Gulberg-II, Lahore 042-111000100



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR JANUARY-MARCH 2025 QUARTER 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), decision of the Authority dated December 20, 2012 regarding change of index in the case of Sapphire Electric Company Limited (hereinafter "SECL"), decisions of the Authority dated April 2, 2021 and May 7, 2021 in the matter of application filed by CPPA-G for adjustment of ROE and ROEDC components of tariff pursuant to the agreement with SECL and the decision of the Authority dated March 10, 2021 notified vide S.R.O. No. 1041(I)/2023 on August 09, 2023 in the matter of change of base year 2007-2008 to base year 2015-16 for Consumer Price Index (CPI) for indexation of fixed and variable O&M (Local) components, the relevant tariff components are required to be adjusted on account of US CPI, N-CPI, Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation.

The Authority in its collective and joint wisdom considering all aspects decided with consensus as under; which will be hereafter called as decision of Authority in the matter:-

"Indexation/adjustment for January-March 2025 quarter has been made in the tariff components in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the decision(s) of the Authority. The revised components are indicated hereunder shall be immediately applicable."

Tariff Components	Reference Nov 23, 2012, Dec 20, 2012, Apr 2, 2021, Mar 10, 2021 & May 7, 2021	Revised Jan-Mar 2025 Quarter		
Capacity Charge(Rs./kW/Hour)				
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1321	0.2677		
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.0965	0.4712		
Cost of Working Capital - Gas	0.0449	0.0435		
Cost of Working Capital - HSD	0.0961	0.0930		
ROE - Local	0.6387	0.6387		
ROE - Foreign	0.0632	0.2114		
ROEDC - Local	0.1674	0.1674		
ROEDC - Foreign	0.0178	0.0596		
Total (Gas)	1.1606	1.8595		
Total (HSD)	1.2118	1.9090		
Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)				
Variable O&M - Foreign -Gas	0.2583	1.2612		
Variable O&M - Foreign -HSD	0.3728	1.8202		

The above decision of the Authority along with 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).

AUTHORITY

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Engr. Rafique Ahmed Shaikh

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Member

Amina Ahmed

Member

Waseem Mukhtar Chairman



Sapphire Electric Company Limited

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Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff					
	Reference	Revised			
Tariff Components	Nov 23, 2012,	Jan-Mar 2025			
	Dec 20, 2012,	Quarter	Indexation		
	Apr 2, 2021,				
	Mar 10, 2021 &				
	May 7, 2021				
Capacity Charge(Rs./kW/Hour)		(
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1321	0.2677	N-CPI Local		
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.0965	0.4712	US CPI & Rs./US\$		
Cost of Working Capital - Gas	0.0449	0.0435	KIBOR		
Cost of Working Capital - HSD	0.0961	0.0930	KIBOR		
ROE - Local	0.6387	0.6387			
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Variable O&M – Foreign -HSD	0.3728	1.8202	US CPI & Rs./US\$		
Indexation Values		Source			
N-CPI (Local)	131.010	265.460	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - Revised value of Nov 2024		
US CPI	216.177	315.493	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics - Revised value of Nov 2024		
Exchange Rate	83.350	278.850	NBP - Revised rate of Dec 31, 2024		
	12.60%	12.14%	SBP - Revised rate of Dec 31, 2024		
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