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February 10, 2023

Subject: **Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for Uch-II Power (Pvt.) Ltd. for January-March 2023 Quarter [Case No. NEPRA/TRF-122/UCH-II-2008]**

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 Uch-II Power (Pvt.) Ltd. for January-March 2023 quarter on account of US CPI, CPI Local, Exchange Rate, LIBOR and EURIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-122/Uch-II-2008.

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

Enclosure: As above


(Engr. Mazhar Iqbal/Ranjha)

Secretary
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Copy to: (alongwith copy of subject Decision):

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2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad.
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DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR UCH-II POWER (PRIVATE) LIMITED FOR JANUARY TO MARCH 2023 QUARTER.

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated April 24, 2018 in the matter of Motion for Leave for Review filed by Uch-II Power (Pvt.) Limited (Uch-II) against the decision of the Authority at COD dated July 3, 2017, the tariff of Uch-II in respect of January to March 2023 quarter has been revised on account of US CPI, CPI Local, Exchange Rate, LIBOR and EURIBOR variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the decision of the Authority. The revised tariff indicated hereunder shall be immediately applicable:

Tariff Components	Reference Apr 24, 2018	Revised Jan-Mar 2023 Quarter
Capacity Charge (Rs./kW/Hour)		
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1820	0.5010
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1130	0.1613
ROE	0.5501	1.1854
ROEDC	0.1586	0.3418
Debt Servicing (US \$)	0.8629	2.0967
Debt Servicing (Euro)	0.5598	1.0129
Total	2.4264	5.2992
Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)		
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.1686	0.4641
Variable O&M - Local	0.0408	0.0582
Total	0.2094	0.5223

The 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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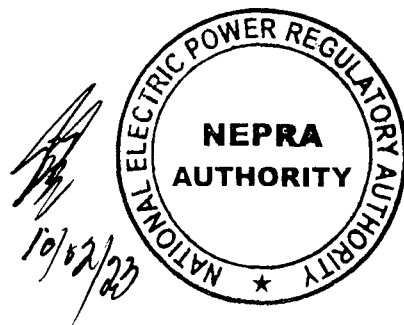
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Uch-II Power (Private) Limited
Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Components	Reference Apr 24, 2018	Revised Jan-Mar 2023 Quarter	Indexation
Capacity Charge (Rs./kW/h)			
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1820	0.5010	US CPI & Rs./USD
Fixed O&M - Local	0.1130	0.1613	CPI Local
ROE	0.5501	1.1854	Rs./USD
ROEDC	0.1586	0.3418	Rs./USD
Debt Servicing (US \$)	0.8629	2.0967	LIBOR & Rs./USD
Debt Servicing (Euro)	0.5598	1.0129	EURIBOR & Rs./EUR
Total	2.4264	5.2992	
Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)			
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.1686	0.4641	US CPI & Rs./USD
Variable O&M - Local	0.0408	0.0582	CPI Local
Total	0.2094	0.5223	
Indexation Values			Source
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	105.30	226.90	NBP - Revised rate of Dec 30, 2022
Exchange Rate (Rs./Euro)	143.44	242.33	NBP - Revised rate of Dec 30, 2022
US CPI (All Urban Consumers)	233.049	297.711	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics - Revised value of Nov 2022
CPI (General) Local	188.68	269.270	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - Revised value of Jun 2020
3 Months LIBOR	0.2466%	4.72986%	Korea Eximbank - Revised rate of Dec 28, 2022
3 Months EURIBOR	0.2930%	2.20200%	Korea Eximbank - Revised rate of Dec 28, 2022
Principal Outstanding (USD. Million)	-	60.65	
Principal Outstanding (EURO. Million)	-	28.85	
Hours in the quarter	-	2,160	

- For the purpose of indexation of Local O&M components for Jan-Mar 2023 quarter, CPI for Nov 2022 was required to be used. However, Pakistan Bureau of Statistics has discontinued the publication of CPI for base year 2007-08 w.e.f. July 2020 and replaced it with National CPI for new base year 2015-16. As per relevant provision of the PPA, the latest available CPI of June 2020 for base year 2007-08 has been used for the instant indexation/adjustment. The indexation of Local O&M components is being made on provisional basis, subject to revision upon decision of new reference index value by the Authority.

- The Authority vide its decision dated March 10, 2021 replaced CPI Base Year 2007-08 with N-CPI Base Year 2015-16. The decision shall be implemented upon Notification in the Official Gazette.

- Based on the data declared by Uch-II Power (Private) Limited.