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No. NEPRA/ADG(Trf)/PAR-147/SNPCL-2015///62-66

January 24, 2025

(Wasim Anwar Bhinder)

Subject:

<u>Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for January-March 2025 Quarter for Sindh Nooriabad Power Company</u> (Private) Limited

Please find enclosed herewith the subject Decision of the Authority along with **Annex-I** and Decision of Mr. Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc), Member (NEPRA) (total 03 pages) in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff for **January-March 2025** Quarter for Sindh Nooriabad Power Company (Pvt.) Limited on account of US CPI, N-CPI, KIBOR and Exchange Rate variation in Case No. NEPRA/PAR-147/SNPCL-2015.

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

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

Copy to:

1. Secretary, Cabinet Division, Cabinet Secretariat, Islamabad

2. Secretary, Ministry of Finance, 'Q' Block, Pak Secretariat, Islamabad

3. Chief Executive Officer, K-Electric Limited (KEL), KE House, Punjab Chowrangi, 39-B, Sunset Boulevard, Phase-II, Defence Housing Authority Karachi

4. Chief Executive Officer, Sindh Nooriabad Power Company (Pvt.) Ltd. # 23-A/II, Mohammad Ali Jauhar Memorial Cooperative Housing Society, Karachi



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTELY INDEXTION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR JANUARY-MARCH 2025 QUARTER FOR SINDH NOORIABAD POWER COMPANY (PRIVATE) LIMITED.

Pursuant to the Authority's decision dated August 4, 2017 notified vide S.R.O No. 26(I)/2018 dated January 5, 2018 in the matter of Motion for Leave for Review and decision of the Authority dated September 21, 2021 notified vide S.R.O. No. 727(I)/2022 on May 31, 2022 in the matter of fuel cost & capacity charge components adjustments on account of approval of capacity and heat rate on June 4, 2021 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 of Sindh Nooriabad Power Company (Private) Limited (hereinafter "SNPCL") are required to be adjusted on account of US CPI, N-CPI, KIBOR and Exchange Rate 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 Aug 4, 2017, Mar 10, 2021 & Sep 21, 2021	Revised Jan-Mar 2025 Quarter	
Capacity Charge (Rs./kW/h)			
Fixed O&M - Local	0.4562	0.9244	
Insurance	0.1077	0.1077	
ROE	0.3943	1.0809	
ROEDC	0.0444	0.1217	
Debt Servicing (Debt + Interest)	1.6055	1.8656	
Total	2.6081	4.1003	
Energy Charge ((Rs./kWh)			
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.3410	1.2438	
Variable O&M - Local	0.3682	0.7460	
Total	0.7092	1.9898	

Indexation allowed to SNPCL is purely on provisional basis and shall be subject to adjustment/refund, if necessary, in the light of COD tariff true-up decision and pending court case in Islamabad High Court. The Authority further decided to allow ROE and ROEDC components (with indexation) for a period of three years i.e. July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2027.

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 provisions of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997.

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

AUTHORITY

Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc)

Member

Engr. Rafique Ahmed Shaikh Member

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Engr. Magsood Anwar Khan

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Sindh Nooriabad Power Company (Pvt.) Ltd. Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

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Indexation Values			Source
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	101.72	278.85	NBP - Revised rate of Dec 31, 2024
US CPI (All Urban Consumers)	237.111	315.493	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics - Revised value of Nov 2024
N-CPI (Local)	131.01	265.46	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - Revised value of Nov 2024
3 Monthly KIBOR	6.00%	12.14%	SBP - Revised rate of Dec 31, 2024
Principal Outstanding (Rs. Million)		1,873.07	
Hours in the Quarter		2,160	

⁻ Based on the data declared by Sindh Nooriabad Power Company (Pvt.) Limited.





DECISION OF MEMBER (TARIFF) ON

QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR JANUARY-MARCH 2025 QUARTER FOR SINDH NOORIABAD POWER COMPANY (PRIVATE) LIMITED (CASE NO, NEPRA/PAR-147/SNPCL-2015)

Given the ongoing proceedings at the Islamabad High Court, it is prudent for us to only allow reference tariff already granted, subject to adjustment based on approval and final decision by the Honorable Court.

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Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc) Member (Tariff)

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