

**National Electric Power Regulatory Authority**

**NOTIFICATION**



Islamabad, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023

**S.R.O.** 1133 (I)/2023.- In pursuance of Proviso-ii of Sub-Section 7 of Section 31 of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997 (XL of 1997), NEPRA hereby notifies the Decision of the Authority regarding quarterly indexation/ adjustment of tariff of Thal Industries Corporation Limited (Layyah Sugar Mills) for the July to September 2023 quarter in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-325/TICL-2015.

2. While effecting the Decision, the concerned entities including Central Power Purchasing Agency Guarantee Limited (CPPAGL) shall keep in view and strictly comply with the orders of the courts notwithstanding this Decision.

  
(Engr. Mazhar Iqbal Ranjha)  
Registrar

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**DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY FOR QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF OF THAL INDUSTRIES CORPORATION LIMITED (TICL)**

The Authority issued its decision in the matter of application of Thal Industries Corporation Limited ("TICL") opting for upfront tariff on August 07, 2015. The Authority then issued its decision regarding one-time adjustment in the upfront Tariff of TICL on March 09, 2018. Later, the Authority vide decision dated April 09, 2021 in the matter of application filed by Central Power Purchasing Agency Guarantee Ltd. (CPPAGL) adjusted the aforesaid decision dated March 09, 2018 which has been notified through S.R.O 712(I)/2021 dated June 04, 2021.

2. Pursuant to the aforesaid decisions of the Authority, the tariff of TICL for the quarter Jul-Sep, 2023 has been adjusted. The revised tariff for the quarter Jul-Sep, 2023 is attached herewith as Annex-I.
3. The adjusted/ indexed tariff attached as **Annex-I** is 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.
4. CPPAG to ensure that all the payments are consistent with tariff determination.

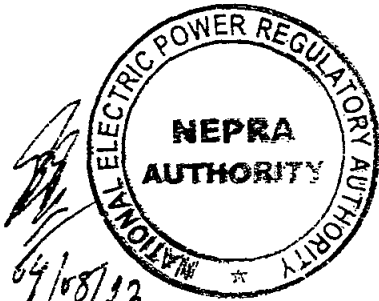
**AUTHORITY**

(Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc)  
Member

(Engr. Maqsood Anwar Khan)  
Member

(Rafique Ahmed Shaikh)  
Member

(Amina Ahmed)  
Member



(Tauseef H. Farooqi)  
Chairman

**Thal Industries Corporation Limited (Layyah Sugar Mills)**  
**Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff**

Tariff Components	Reference Tariff	Revised	Indexation
Date of decisions	Aug 07, 2015 Mar 09, 2018 Apr 09, 2021	Jul-Sep 2023	
	Rs./kWh		
Variable O&M - Local	0.1078	0.1465	CPI
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.3054	1.1116	US CPI & Rs./US \$
Fixed O&M - Local	0.2875	0.3907	CPI
Return on Equity	0.7327	2.0705	Rs./US \$
Debt Service	3.8970	5.6605	KIBOR
Working Capital	0.1733	0.3754	KIBOR
Insurance	0.1543	0.1543	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.6580</b>	<b>9.9095</b>	
<b>Indexation Values</b>			<b>Sources (Website)</b>
CPI (General)-Revised value of June 2020	198.160	269.270	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics
US CPI- Revised value of May 2023	236.119	304.127	US Bureau of Labor Statistics
Exchange Rate- Revised rate of June 30, 2023	101.600	287.1	NBP
3 Month KIBOR- Revised rate of June 30, 2023	9.50%	22.91%	SBP
Principal Outstanding (Rs./MW)		47,824,000	
Quarterly Benchmark Energy (kWh)		37,274,904	
<p>Above indexation is on the basis of the information provided by TICL and verified by NEPRA.</p> <p>For the purpose of indexation of Fixed O&amp;M (Local) component for the quarter Jul-Sep, 2023 , CPI for May 2023 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.</p> <p>The Authority vide its decision dated March 10, 2021 replaced CPI Base Year 2007-08 with N-CPI Base Year 2015-16, however, that decision shall be implemented upon Notification in the Official Gazette.</p> <p>As per relevant provision of the EPA, the latest available CPI of June 2020 for base year 2007-08 has been used for the instant indexation/adjustment.</p> <p>The indexation of Local O&amp;M components is being made on provisional basis, subject to revision upon notification of the Authority's decision of revised index.</p>			

