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National Electric Power Regulatory Authority

NOTIFICATION



Islamabad, the day of February, 2023

S.R.O. (1)/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 along with revised tariff components regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Quaid-e-Azam Thermal Power Private Ltd. for the quarter January-March 2023 on account of US CPI, CPI (General), Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-347/QATPL-2016.

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)



AUTHORITY DECISION THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY OF THE IN INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT ON RLNG FOR QUAID-E-AZAM POWER (PRIVATE) LIMITED FOR JANUARY TO MARCH 2023 QUARTER.

Pursuant to the Authority's decision dated April 14, 2016 in the matter of Tariff Petition filed by Quaid-e-Azam Thermal Power (Private) Limited (hereinafter "QATPL") and decision of the Authority dated February 24, 2021 in the matter of reduction of return on equity component, the relevant tariff components of QATPL in respect of January to March 2023 quarter have been revised on account of US CPI, CPI (General), Exchange Rate and KIBOR 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 14, 2016 & Feb 24, 2021	Revised Jan-Mar 2023 Quarter
Capacity Charge (Rs./kW/h)		
Fixed O&M - Local	0.0647	0.0858
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1453	0.3942
Cost of Working Capital	0.0970	0.8134
Insurance	0.0574	0.0574
ROE	0.3117	0.6736
Debt Servicing (Debt + Interest)	0.9281	1.3396
Total	1.6042	3,3640
Energy Charge ((Rs./kWh)		
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.3169	0.8598

Indexation allowed to QATPL is purely on provisional basis till Notification of its COD tariff and shall be subject to adjustment/refund, if necessary, in the light of COD tariff decision of the Authority.

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

Quaid-e-Azam Thermal Power Private Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Components	Reference Apr 14, 2016 & Feb 24, 2021	Revised Jan-Mar 2023 Quarter	
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Indexation Values			
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	105.000	226.900	
US CPI (All Urban Consumers)	237.111	297.711	
CPI (General) - Local	202.980	269.270	
3 Monthly KIBOR	6.36%	17.00%	
Principal Outstanding (USD. Million)	-	38,654.35	
RLNG Fuel Price (Rs./MMBTU)	735.00	3,333.27	
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.

^{***} Based on the data declared by Quaid-e-Azam Thermal Power Private Limited.



^{**} 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.



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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), enclosed please find herewith "Decision of the Authority along with revised tariff components regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Quaid-e-Azam Thermal Power Private Ltd. for the quarter January-March 2023 on account of US CPI, CPI (General), Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation" for immediate publication in the official gazette of Pakistan. Please also furnish thirty five (35) copies of the Notification to this Office after its publication.

Encl: Notification [03 pages & CD]

(Engr. Mazhar Iqbal Ranjha)

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