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National Electric Power Regulatory Authority

NOTIFICATION



Islamabad, the o3 day of July 2024

- S.R.O. /o/l (I)/2024.- In pursuance of Proviso-iv 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 dated 27th June 28, 2024 along with Annex-I, II & III for the month of May 2024 regarding the adjustment in the fuel portion of energy charge part of tariff for variation in Coal prices in respect of Port Qasim Electric Power Company (Private) Limited in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-299/PQEPCPL-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 IN THE MATTER OF FUEL PRICE ADJUSTMNET FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2024 FOR PORT QASIM ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY (PRIVATE) LIMITED.

- 1. Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated February 13, 2015 in the matter of approval of upfront coal tariff for coal power plant of Port Qasim Electric Power Company (Private) Limited (PQEPCL), decision dated September 23, 2016 regarding Suo Moto Review Proceedings in the Fuel Price Adjustment Mechanism determined in Upfront Coal Tariff, decision dated September 27, 2019 in the matter of tariff adjustment at Commercial Operation Date of PQEPCL and decision dated March 3, 2020 in the matter of Motions for Leave for Review regarding fuel price adjustments, the fuel portion of the energy charge part of PQEPCL's tariff has been adjusted for variation in coal price(s). PQEPCL requested weighted average coal price of Rs. 33,891/Ton for the coal consumed during the month of May 2024. PQEPCL requested Fuel Cost Component (FCC) of Rs. 13.9751/kWh for May 2024.
- 2. It has been observed that Argus/McCloskey's published coal price index also specifies price differentials to API 4. It has been provided in the index report that to calculate a fixed price, apply the differential to the API 4 contract. Following differentials are applicable for the month of December 2023:

Description	Heat kcal/kg	Unit	December 2023 Average	
5,500 differential	5,500	US\$/ton	(8.14)	

3. In accordance with the above differentials, the API 4 price for the shipment from Richards Bay has been calculated and fixed as under:

Shipment No.	API 4 Price (US\$/ton)	Differential (US\$/ton)	Fixed Price (US\$/ton)	Heat (kcal/kg)	Actual Heat (kcal/kg)	Heat Adjusted Price (US\$/ton)	Requested Price (US\$/ton)	Difference (US\$/ton)
202301	100.32	(8.14)	92.18	5.500	5,312	89.18	88.97	0.21

- 4. Since the requested coal price is less than the calculated coal price as per price differentials, therefore, the requested price has been considered.
- 5. The Authority in its collective and joint wisdom considering all aspects decided with consensus as under which shall be hereafter called as decision of the Authority in the matter:
 - "Based on the documentary evidence and information submitted by PQEPCL, the fuel cost component of energy charge part of PQEPCL's tariff is adjusted for variation in coal price for the month of May 2024."
- 6. The revised FCC of energy charge part of PQEPCL's tariff indicated hereunder shall be immediately applicable to the units delivered during the month:



	Fuel Cost Component (Rs./kWh)			
Period	Reference (Sep 27,2019)	Revised		
May 2024	4.6936	13.9594		

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- 7. The above referred revised fuel cost component along with revised coal price and revised marine freight charges attached as **Annex-I**, **Annex-II** & **Annex-III**, respectively, are to be notified in the official Gazette, in accordance with the Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997 (XL of 1997).
- 8. CPPA(G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with the tariff determination(s).

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Port Qasim Electric Power Company (Private) Limited Schedule of Fuel Cost Part of Energy Charge

Adjustment on Account of Coal Price(s) Variation for the Month of May 2024

Description	Quantity	Net CV	Coal Price		Exchange Rate
Description	Ton	kCal/Kg.	US\$/Ton	Rs/Ton	Rs/US\$
Coal Consumed from Stock:			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Consumption from Shipment No. 202301	30,300	5,321	119.22	33,853	283.95
Total Consumption:	30,300	5,321	119.22	33,853	283.95

Description	Unit	Reference Sep 27, 2019	Previous	Revised
Avg. Price of stock consumed during the month	Rs./Ton	9,672	34,729	33,853
Avg. Net Calorific Value of stock consumed during the month	kCal/kg	4,521	5,483	5,321
Avg. Net Calorific Value of stock consumed during the month	BTU/kg	17,942	21,757	21,115
Net Heat Rates	BTU/kWh	8,707	8,707	8,707
Revised Fuel Cost Component	Rs./kWh	4.6936	13.8980	13.9594

- The above adjustment of fuel cost component on coal shall be subject to verification by a consultant/Independent third party to be appointed for the purpose by the Authority. In case the verified delivered coal price is different, the fuel cost component shall be revised accordingly.
- The coal consumption is for the period May 01, 2024 to May 31, 2024
- Based on data declared by Port Qasim Electric Power Company (Private) Limited.

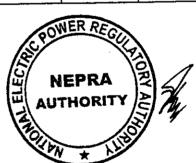
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Port Qasim Electric Power Company (Private) Limited Details of Shipments

For the Month of May 2024

Shipment Number	Unit	202301
Vessel Name		TRIDENT STAR
Bill of Lading Date (B/L)		26-Dec-23
L/C Number		-
		South Africa
Origin API-4 Coal Price Index for the month of B/L Date	US\$/Ton	100.32
Base Calorific Value	kCal/Kg	6,000
Actual Calorific Value	kCal/Kg	5,321
	MT	51,943
Quantity FOB Coal Price Index as per B/L month Adjusted for CV	US\$/Ton	88.97
	US\$/Ton	19.85
Marine Freight Charges	US\$/Ton	0.09
Marine Insurance	US\$/Ton	108.91
CIF Coal Price	US\$/Ton	-
Handling Loss 1% of CIF Coal Price or actual whichever is minimum	US\$/Ton	108.91
CIF Coal Price with losses at Karachi	US\$/Ton	10.32
Other Charges:	US\$/Ton	3.47
(i) Port Handling Charges	US\$/Ton	2,36
(a) PQA Royalty Charges	US\$/Ton	0.12
(b) Wharfage Charges	US\$/Ton	0.54
(c) Port Disbursement Account Charges at Load Port	US\$/Ton	0.45
(d) Port Disbursement Account Charges at Discharge Port		6:75
(ii) Custom Duties & Cess	US\$/Ton	0.06
(iii) Custom Clearness Charges	US\$/Ton	0.00
(iv) Draft Survey, Sampling, Sample preparation & Analysis Charges	US\$/Ton	
Delivered Coal Price at Power Plant	US\$/Ton	119.22
Average Exchange Rate for the month of B/L	Rs./US\$	283.95
Delivered Coal Price at Power Plant	Rs./Ton	33,853



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Annex-III

Port Qasim Electric Power Company (Private) Limited Marine Freight

For the Month of May 2024

	RBCT
	South Africa
Days	27.04
Days	2.23
Days	2.20
Days	31.47
US\$/Day	15,159
US\$	477,059
Ton	878.72
Ton	22.16
Ton	900.88
US\$/Ton	615.00
US\$	554,043
US\$	1,031,102
Tons	51,943
US\$/Ton	19.85
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*PDA Charges both at load and discharge ports have been included in Port Handling Charges.

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NOTIFICATION REGARDING DECISIONS OF THE AUTHORITY

In pursuance of Proviso (iv) to 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 the following Decisions of the Authority as per following detail for immediate publication in the official Gazette of Pakistan:

Decision	Issuance
	No. and
	Date
Decision of the Authority in the matter of Fuel Price Adjustment for the month of	9686-9690
May 2024 for Nishat Chunian Power Limited	27-06-2024
Decision of the Authority in the matter of Fuel Price Adjustment based on RLNG	9704-9708
for the month of May 2024 for Saif Power Limited	27-06-2024
Decision of the Authority in the matter of Adjustment on Account of Coal Price	9692-9696
Variation for the month of May 2024 in respect of Port Qasim Electric Power	27-06-2024
Company (Private) Limited	
Decision of the Authority in the matter of Adjustment on Account of Coal Price	9698-9702
Variation for the month of May 2024 in respect of Engro Powergen Thar (Pvt.)	27-06-2024
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Pagision of the Authority in the matter of Adjustment on Account of Coal Price	9710-9714
Variation for the month of May 2024 in respect of Huangeng Shandong Ruyi	27-06-2024
Energy (Private) Company Limited	
Decision of the Authority in the matter of Adjustment on Account of Coal Price	9680-9684
Variation for the month of May 2024 in respect of China Power Hub Generation	27-06-2024
Company Private Limited	
Decision of the Authority in the matter of Fuel Price Adjustment based on RLNG	9674-9678
for the month of May 2024 for Quaid-e-Azam Thermal Power (Private) Limited	27-06-2024
Design of the Authority in the matter of Adjustment on Account of Coal Price	9716-9720
Variation for the month of May 2024 in respect of ThalNova Power Thar (Pvt.)	27-06-2024
Limited	
Design of the Authority regarding the adjustment in the fuel part of energy	3830-3835
charge on account of fuel price variation in respect of Karachi Nuclear Power	21-03-2024
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2. Please also furnish thirty five (35) copies of the Notifications to this Office after its publication.

Encl: 09 Notifications

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