

National Electric Power Regulatory Authority

NOTIFICATION



Islamabad, the th29 day of August, 2024

S.R.O. 1373 (I)/2024. - 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 dated August 6, 2024 along with revised tariff components regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of ThalNova Power Thar (Private.) Limited for the **July - September 2024** quarter on account of US CPI, N-CPI, KIBOR/LIBOR, Water Charges and Exchange Rate variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-367/TPTPL-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.


(Wasim Anwar Bhinder)
Registrar



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTELY INDEXATION / ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR JULY TO SEPTEMBER 2024 QUARTER FOR THALNOVA POWER THAR (PRIVATE) LIMITED.

1. Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated October 18, 2016 in the matter of approval of upfront Thar coal tariff for 330 MW coal power plant of ThalNova Power Thar (Pvt.) Limited (hereinafter "TNL") 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 are required to be adjusted on account of US CPI, N-CPI, KIBOR/LIBOR, Water Charges and Exchange Rate variation.
2. 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 July to September 2024 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 Oct 18, 2016 & Mar 10, 2021	Revised Jul-Sep 2024 Quarter
Capacity Charge (Rs./kWh)		
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1535	0.5808
Fixed O&M - Local	0.2114	0.4111
Cost of Working Capital	0.1094	0.3028
ROE	1.4075	4.0413
Interest Charges	0.6068	3.4797
Debt Repayment	1.1484	3.2904
Total	3.6370	12.1061
Energy Purchase Price (Rs./kWh)		
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.0684	0.2588
Variable O&M - Local	0.0628	0.1221
Water Charges (Govt. of Sindh)	0.2897	0.4131
Total	0.4209	0.7940

3. TNL also requested quarterly indexation/adjustment with reference components of Ash Disposal, Limestone, Water Charges (Capital Cost), Water Charges (O&M) and Insurance, as these are required to be adjusted as per actual at the time of COD adjustment, therefore, same has not been considered by the Authority in the instant interim tariff relief.
4. Indexation allowed to TNL is on provisional basis till the finalization of its COD tariff decision by the Authority and shall be subject to adjustment/refund, if necessary, in the light of final decision of the Authority in respect to COD tariff adjustment.



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5. 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.
6. CPPA (G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with the tariff determination(s).

AUTHORITY

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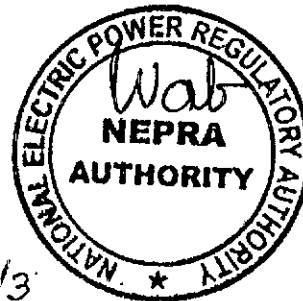
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Chairman



ThalNova Power Thar (Private) Limited
Quarterly Indexation/ Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Components	Reference Oct 18, 2016 & Mar 10, 2021	Revised Jul-Sep 2024 Quarter	Indexation
Capacity Charge (Rs./kWh)			
Fixed O&M - Foreign	0.1535	0.5808	US CPI & Rs./US\$
Fixed O&M - Local	0.2114	0.4111	N-CPI Local
Cost of Working Capital	0.1094	0.3028	KIBOR & Fuel Cost as per respective consumption of Local Coal
ROE	1.4075	4.0413	Rs./US\$
Interest Charges	0.6068	3.4797	LIBOR & Rs./US\$
Debt Repayment	1.1484	3.2904	Rs./US\$
Total	3.6370	12.1061	
Energy Purchase Price (Rs./kWh)			
Variable O&M - Foreign	0.0684	0.2588	US CPI & Rs./US\$
Variable O&M - Local	0.0628	0.1221	N-CPI Local
Water Charges (Govt. of Sindh)	0.2897	0.4131	Price of Water
Total	0.4209	0.7940	
Indexation Values			Source
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	97.100	278.800	NBP - Revised rate of Jun 28, 2024
US CPI (All Urban Consumers)	238.340	314.069	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics - Revised value of May 2024
N-CPI (Local)	131.010	254.780	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - Revised value of May 2024
3 Monthly LIBOR	0.45%	5.586%	Global-rates.com - Revised value of Jun 28 2024
Price of Water (GoS) (Rs./1000 Gallons)	320.00	456.30	Govt. of Sindh notification dated March 30, 2022
Principal Outstanding (USD. Million)	-	328.31	
Hours in the Quarter	-	2,208	

- Based on the data declared by ThalNova Power Thar (Pvt.) Limited.





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

S. No.	Decision	Issuance No. and Date
1.	Decision of the Authority regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Huaneng Shandong Ruyi (Pakistan) Energy Private Limited for the quarter July - September 2024	12328-12332 06-08-2024
2.	Decision of the Authority regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of ThalNova Power Thar (Pvt.) Limited for the quarter July - September 2024	12388-12392 06-08-2024
3.	Decision of the Authority regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Thar Energy Limited for the quarter July - September 2024	12346-12350 06-08-2024
4.	Decision of the Authority regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Lucky Electric Power Company Limited for the quarter July - September 2024	12256-12260 06-08-2024

2. Please also furnish thirty five (35) copies of the Notifications to this Office after its publication.

Encl: 4 Notifications


(Wasim Anwar Bhinder)

CC:

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