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**National Electric Power Regulatory Authority**

**NOTIFICATION**



Islamabad, the <sup>11</sup>23 day of April, 2025

S.R.O. 795 (I)/2025.- 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 April 22, 2025 along with revised fuel cost component attached as **Annex-I** in the matter of Fuel Price Adjustment for the month of **March 2025** for Thal Nova Power Thar (Private) Limited in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-367/IP1PL-2016.

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

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Registrar



**DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF FUEL PRICE ADJUSTMENT FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2025 FOR THALNOVA POWER THAR (PVT.) LIMITED**

1. Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated October 18, 2016 notified vide S.R.O. No. 728(I)/2017 on June 14, 2017, in the matter of approval of Thar Coal Upfront Tariff for 330 MW Coal Power Plant of ThalNova Power Thar (Pvt.) Limited (TNL), the variable and fixed fuel cost components are subject to adjustment on the basis of coal price determined by Thar Coal Energy Board (TCEB) and notified in the Official Gazette.
2. 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 evidences and information submitted by TNL, the variable and fixed fuel cost components of energy charge part of TNL’s tariff for the month of March 2025 are adjusted for variation in Thar coal price(s). The revisions in fuel cost components are provisional and subject to further adjustment, in the light of applicable indexations decision(s) by TCEB for Phase-II of Block-II.”

3. The revised energy charge part of TNL’s tariff relating to fuel indicated hereunder shall be immediately applicable to the units delivered during the month:

| Period     | Fuel Cost Component      |                    |                      |                    |
|------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
|            | Reference (Oct 18, 2016) |                    | Revised              |                    |
|            | Variable<br>Rs. /kWh     | Fixed<br>Rs./ kW/h | Variable<br>Rs. /kWh | Fixed<br>Rs./ kW/h |
| March 2025 | 1.1677                   | 2.5132             | 4.9118               | 5.6324             |

4. This decision along with **Annex-I** are to be notified in the official Gazette in accordance with Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997 (XL of 1997).
5. CPPA(G) to ensure that all payments are consistent with tariff determination(s).

**AUTHORITY**

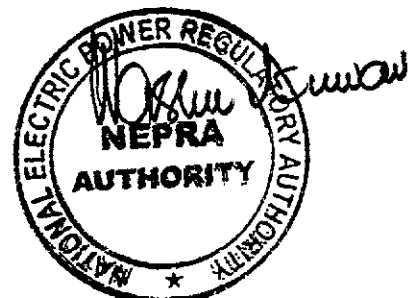
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**ThalNova Power Thar (Pvt.) Limited**  
**Schedule of Fuel Cost Part of Energy Charge**  
**Adjustment on Account of Thar Coal Price Variation for the month of March 2025**

| Fixed Fuel Price                      |                      |                  |                            |                 |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Description                           | Invoyced Price       | Fixed Coal Price |                            |                 |
|                                       | Rs.                  | US\$/ Ton        | Exchange Rate<br>Rs./ US\$ | Rs. /Ton        |
| Fixed Fuel Price For 158,333.334 Tons | 1,258,404,680        | 28.38            | 280.05                     | 7,947.82        |
| <b>Total</b>                          | <b>1,258,404,680</b> | <b>28.38</b>     | <b>278.95</b>              | <b>7,947.82</b> |

| Variable Fuel Price                              |                |                     |                            |                 |
|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Description                                      | Quantity       | Variable Coal Price |                            |                 |
|                                                  | Tons           | US\$/Ton            | Exchange Rate<br>Rs./ US\$ | Rs./Ton         |
| <b>Coal Consumption:</b>                         |                |                     |                            |                 |
| Consumption from Purchases During February 2025* | 69,661         | 20.40               | 279.35                     | 5,698.74        |
| Consumption from Purchases During March 2025*    | 63,967         | 20.40               | 280.05                     | 5,713.02        |
| <b>Total Consumption:</b>                        | <b>133,628</b> | <b>20.40</b>        | <b>279.69</b>              | <b>5,705.58</b> |

\*Variable coal prices are including transportation charge of US\$ 0.51/ton as per TCEB decision dated May 6, 2024.

| Fuel Cost Component                           |           |                          |                       |                       |                       |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Description                                   | Units     | Reference (Oct 18, 2016) |                       | Revised               |                       |
|                                               |           | Variable                 | Fixed                 | Variable              | Fixed                 |
| Avg. price of stock consumed/Fixed Fuel Price | Rs./ Ton  | 1,393.44                 | 3,528.12              | 5,705.58              | 7,947.82              |
| Heat Rate                                     | Btu/kWh   | 9,222                    | 9,222                 | 9,222                 | -                     |
| Heating Value of Thar Coal                    | MMBTU/Ton | 11.005                   | 11.005                | 10.7124               | -                     |
| Capacity for the month                        | Gwh       | -                        | -                     | -                     | 223.4232              |
| <b>Fuel Cost Component</b>                    |           | <b>Rs. 1.1677/kWh</b>    | <b>Rs. 2.5132/kWh</b> | <b>Rs. 4.9118/kWh</b> | <b>Rs. 5.6324/kWh</b> |

Reference heating value as per TCEB determination dated May 6, 2024, for years 1- 8 is 11.30 MJ/KG (LHV).

Reference heating value shall be adjusted annually as per TCEB determination.

The Coal Consumption is for the period of 1<sup>st</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025.

As per the TCEB's decision dated May 6, 2024 for commercial operation stage tariff of phase-II for 7.6 MPTA capacity of Block-II of Thar coalfield, notified in the official Gazette on May 16, 2024, TCEB allow the transportation charges of US\$ 0.51/ton to the mine-mouth coal power plant(s), therefore, US\$ 0.51/ton has been included in the price(s) of coal purchases from June 2024 onwards.

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





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Subject: **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 detailed hereunder for immediate publication in the official Gazette of Pakistan:

| S. No. | Decision                                                                                                                                                                | Issuance No. and Date   |
|--------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1.     | Decision of the Authority in the matter of Fuel Price Adjustment for the month of <b>February 2025</b> for Thar Coal Block-I Power Generation Company (Private) Limited | 3906-3910<br>22-04-2025 |
| 2.     | Decision of the Authority in the matter of Fuel Price Adjustment for the month of <b>March 2025</b> for Thal Nova Power Thar (Private) Limited                          | 3912-3916<br>22-04-2025 |
| 3.     | Decision of the Authority regarding Fuel Price Adjustments in the Tariff of Chashma Nuclear Power Plant Unit-3 for <b>Reload-6, Cycle-7</b>                             | 3900-3904<br>22-04-2025 |

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

Encl: 03 Notifications

  
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