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National Electric Power Regulatory Authority

NOTIFICATION



Islamabad, the as day of May, 2025

S.R.O. 872(1)/2025.- In pursuance 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 09, 2025 in the matter of Reimbursement of 7.5% Withholding Tax on Dividends for the financial year 2023-24 in respect of Gul Ahmed Wind Power Limited in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-248/GAWPL-2013.

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.

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(Wasim Anwar Bhinder) Registrar



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF REIMBURSEMENT OF 7.5% WITHHOLDING TAX ON DIVIDENDS FOR GUL AHMED WIND POWER LIMITED.

The Authority granted Upfront Tariff to Gul Ahmed Wind Power Limited (GAWPL) vide decision dated April 23, 2014. Later, the Authority issued a decision dated January 22, 2016 regarding one-time adjustment of base amount of debt service for US\$/PKR parity of the Upfront Tariff for GAWPL. In accordance with the decision(s) of the Authority, withholding Tax on Dividend (WHT) is a pass-through and power purchaser shall make payment on account of WHT. GAWPL submitted request for reimbursement of 7.5% of WHT on dividend for approval of the Authority.

2. The Authority in its collective and joint wisdom considering all aspect decided with consensus as under; which will be hereafter called as decision of the Authority in the matter:

"Based on the information provided by the GAWPL, Authority has considered the request of GAWPL and decided to allow WHT on dividend of Rs. 143,520,330 pertaining to financial year 2023-2024 respectively. This approved amount shall be reimbursed by the power purchaser to GAWPL".

3. The instant decision along with Annex-I is 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.

4. CPPA-G to ensure that all the payments are consistent with tariff determination.

AUTHORITY

(Mathar Niaz Rana (nsc)) Member

(Rafique Ahmed Shaikh) Member

(Engr. Maqsood Anwar Khan) Member

(Amina Ahmed)

Member

(Waseem Mukhtar) Chairman



Annex-I

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Gul Ahmed Wind Power Limited Reimbursement of 7.5% witholding tax on dividends

Reimbursement of 7.5% witholding tax on dividends				
Tax Chellan #	Payment Date	Dividend Amount against which Tax is being withheld (Rs.)	WHT @ 7.5% Paid (Rs.)	
For the FY ended June 30, 2024 IT-20231107-0101-1265067 IT-20240507-0101-1166859 IT-20240122-0101-1510342 IT-20240603-0101-1029391 IT-20240624-0101-1623010 IT-20240620-0101-1510783 IT-20240726-0101-1510783 IT-20240807-0101-1166657 Total	Nov 07, 2023 May 07, 2024 Jan 22, 2024 Jun 03, 2024 Jun 24, 2024 Jun 20, 2024 Jul 26, 2024 Aug 07, 2024	354,621,940 225,258,174 195,042,067 123,891,996 265,966,460 168,943,630 354,621,940 225,258,170 1,913,604,377	26,596,640 16,894,363 14,628,155 9,291,900 19,947,48 12,670,775 26,596,64 16,894,36 143,520,33	
Balance brought forward (decision dated June 14, 2024) Entitlement for the FY ended June 30, 2024 WHT allowed for FY ended June 30, 2024 Un-claimable due to exemption of WHT on dividend (from FY Balance carried forward	2020-21 till June 30, 202	24)	Rs 270,766,78 133,221,18 (143,520,33 (38,707,44 221,760,10	

Based on the data declared by the GAWPL

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Subject: NOTIFICATION REGARDING ORDERS OF THE AUTHORITY

In pursuance 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 following Decisions of the Authority as detailed below 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 Adjustment in insurance	5209-5213
	component of Tariff for the period September 16, 2024 to September 15, 2025 for Metro Power Company Limited	09-04-2025
2.	Decision of the Authority in the matter of Reimbursement of 7.5% Withholding Tax on Dividends for the financial year 2023-24 in respect of Gul Ahmed Wind Power Limited	5215-5219 09-04-2025

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

Encl: 02 Notifications

Wasim Anwar Bhinder) Registrar

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