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National Electric Power Regulatory Authority

NOTIFICATION



Islamabad, the 23day of June, 2025

S.R.O. (I)/2025.- 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 May 27, 2025 along with revised tariff components attached as Annex-I in the matter of quarterly indexation/adjustment of Interest Charge Component of tariff for the July - September 2023 to October - December 2024 quarters for Engro Powergen Thar (Pvt.) Limited on account of SOFR and Exchange Rate variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-301/EPTPL-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.

(Wasim Anwar Bhinder) Registrar



DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF INTEREST CHARGE COMPONENT OF TARIFF FOR JULY-SEPTEMBER 2023 TO OCTOBER-DECEMBER 2024 QUARTERS FOR ENGRO POWERGEN THAR (PRIVATE) LIMITED.

- 1. Pursuant to the decision of the Authority dated March 13, 2015 in the matter of application of Engro Powergen Thar (Private) Limited (hereafter "EPTPL") for unconditional acceptance of Upfront Thar Coal tariff for 2x330 MW coal power plant and decisions of the Authority dated December 5, 2024 & December 13, 2024 notified vide S.R.O. No. 73(I)/2025 on January 28, 2025 in the matter of Suo Moto regarding transition from London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR) to Secured Overnight Financing Rate (SOFR), the interest charge component is required to be indexed/adjusted on account of SOFR and Exchange Rate variation.
- 2. The Authority through its decisions dated December 5, 2024 & December 13, 2024 has approved transition from LIBOR to SOFR for generation IPPs w.e.f. July 1, 2023. For EPTPL, the Authority has approved daily simple SOFR + relevant ISDA recommended CAS 0.26161% based on quarterly indexation w.r.t. Interest Component of Debt Servicing (Foreign).
- 3. The power plant has achieved its COD on July 10, 2019. The decision in the matter of COD tariff true-up was issued on June 15, 2022 which was challenged in the Appellate Tribunal. The Petitioner also sought suspension of the operation of the subject decision from the Honorable Sindh High Court, Karachi through its Order dated July 20, 2022. Lately, the Appellate Tribunal on October 6, 2022 passed following Order:
 - "..... Contention heard. Following principle of parity the interim relief dated 07th September 2022 passed in appeal No. 40/NT/2022 (CPGCL appeal) will also be applicable in this case."
- 4. Accordingly, the Authority has decided to extend the provisional approval of tariff indexation/adjustment of reference tariff dated March 13, 2015 till the final decision of Sindh High Court and/or Appellate Tribunal. The said decision is without prejudice to the stance of NEPRA regarding the maintainability and grant of interim relief by Appellate Tribunal and shall be subject to outcome of legal proceedings pending in this regards.
- 5. EPTPL has submitted a request for quarterly indexation/adjustment of interest charge components for July-September 2023 to October-December 2024 quarters. Accordingly, the interest charge components of EPTPL in respect of July-September 2023 to October-December 2024 quarters have been revised on account of SOFR and Exchange Rate variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the above decision(s) of the Authority.
- 6. 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 of interest charge components for July-September 2023 to October-December 2024 quarters have been made in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the decision(s) of the Authority. The revised components indicated as Annex-I shall be immediately applicable."
- The above decision of the Authority shall supersede the previous decisions of the Authority for July-September 2023 to October-December 2024 quarters to the extent of interest charge component.
- 8. The above decision of the Authority along with revised interest charge 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.

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

AUTHORITY

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Waseem Mukhtar Chairman

Engro Powergen Thar (Private) Limited Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

Tariff Components	Revised Jul-Sep 2023 Quarter	Revised Oct-Dec 2023 Quarter	Revised Jan-Mar 2024 Quarter	Revised Apr-Jun 2024 Quarter	Revised Jul-Sep 2024 Quarter	Revised Oct-Dec 2024 Quarter	Indexation
Capacity Charge (Rs./KW/h)						2 1071	SOFR & Rs./US\$
Interest Charge	2.5864	2.5794	2.4726	2.3408	2.2187	2.1071	301K & N3/03#
Total	2.5864	2.5794	2.4726	2.3408	2.2187	2.1071	
							Source
Indexation Values		200.10	202.40	270 50	278.80	278.05	NBP - Revised rates of relevant Months
Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)	287.10	. 289.10	-			276.05	A lorge volves of relevant Ouarters
Daily SOFR + CAS	5.22842%	5.49585%	5.58422%	5.57645%		 	www.newyorkfed.org - Average values of relevant Quarters
Principal Outstanding (USD. Million)	245.55	236.70	227.74	218.67	209.49		
Hours in the quarter	2,208	2,208	2,184	2,184	2,208	2,208	

⁻ Based on the data declared by Engro Powergen Thar (Private) Limited.







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NOTIFICATION REGARDING DECISIONS OF THE AUTHORITY

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 details 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 quarterly indexation/adjustment of	7194-7198 27-05-2025					
	Interest Charge Component of tariff for the July - September 2023 to October - December 2024 quarters for Engro Powergen Thar (Pvt.) Limited						
2.	Decision of the Authority in the matter of quarterly indexation/ adjustment of	7164-7168					
	Interest Charge Component of tariff for the July - September 2023 to	27-05-2025					
	October - December 2024 quarters for Huaneng Shandong Ruyi (Pakistan)						
	Energy Private Limited						
3.	Decision of the Authority in the matter of Quarterly Indexation/ Adjustment of	7158-7162					
	Local Variable & Fixed Q&M Components of tariff for January-March 2023	27-05-2025					
	to April-June 2023 Quarters and Interest Charge Component of tariff for						
	July-September 2023 to October-December 2024 Quarters for Thar Coal						
	Block-1 Power Generation Company (Private) Limited						
4,	Decision of the Authority in the matter of quarterly indexation/adjustment of	7170-7174					
	Interest Charge Component of tariff for the July - September 2023 to	27-05-2025					
	October - December 2024 quarters for Thar Energy Limited						

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

Encl: 04 Notifications

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