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## National Electric Power Regulatory Authority

#### NOTIFICATION



Islamabad, the 22day of August, 2025

- S.R.O. 1623 (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 July 30, 2025 along with revised tariff components attached as Annex-I in the matter of quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff for Malakand-III Hydropower Project of Pakhtunkhwa Energy Development Organization for July September 2025 quarter on account of US CPI, N-CPI and exchange rate variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-81/SHYDO-2007.
- 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.

(Wasim Anwar Bhinder) Registrar



# DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR THE MALAKAND-III HYDRO POWER PROJECT

Pursuant to the decision of the Authority on September 09, 2010, notified vide SRO 1117(1)/2010 dated December 09, 2010, in the matter of adjustment at the commercial operation date, and the decision of the Authority dated March 10, 2021 notified vide S.R.O. No. 1041(1)/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, Exchange Rate variation as per the stipulated mechanism.

Accordingly, the Authority in its collective and joint wisdom decided with consensus as under; which will be hereafter called as the decision of the Authority in the matter:

"The Fixed O&M local, Fixed & Variable O&M Foreign, Water Use Charge (WUC), Return on Equity (ROE) and Return on Equity During Construction (ROEDC) components have been indexed for July – September 2025 quarter on account of exchange rate variation, N-CPI local and US CPI. The revised tariff indicated in the attached Annex-I shall be immediately applicable."

The revised tariff 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.

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

#### AUTHORITY

Engr. Rafique Ahmed Shaikh Member Amina Ahmed Member

Engr. Maqsood Anwar Khan Member

Waseem Mukhtar Chairman



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#### Malakand-III Hydro Power Project

Adjustment on Account of Quarterly Indexation

Tariff Components	Reference Rs/kWh	Revised Tariff Jul - Sept 2025 Rs/kWh	Indexation
Fixed O&M Local	0.2112	0.4249	N-CPI Local
Fixed O&M Foreign	0.2169	1.5835	US\$ & US CPI
ROE	1.0651	3.7128	US\$
ROEDC	0.8938	3.1157	US\$
Variable Charges		ļ	
Variable O&M (foreign)	0.1000	0.7301	US\$ & US CPI
Water Use Charge*	0.3757	0.7484	N-CPI Local
Total	2.8627	10.3154	
Indexation Values			
US(CPI)	208.4900	321.4650	U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
N-CPI - Local for O&M Local	131.0100	263.6000	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics
Rs/US\$ For O&M	60.0000	284.1000	NBP
Rs/US\$ For Equity	81.5000	284.1000	NBP
N-CPI for WUC	131.010	260.9600	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics

<sup>\*</sup>Based on the information provided by PEDO



<sup>\*</sup>Water Use Charge (WUC) is subject to indexation on annual basis and the first such adjustment shall be due after one year of COD. Since Malakand-III commenced its COD in the month of November, accordingly WUC has been indexed w-e-f Nov, 2024 which will be valid till October 2025.



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### NOTIFICATION REGARDING DECISION 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 a notification in respect of the following Decision of the Authority 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 tariff for Malakand-III Hydropower Project of Pakhtunkhwa Energy	11652-11656 30-07-2025
	Development Organization for July - September 2025 quarter	

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

Encl: 01 Notification

(Wasim Anwar Bhinder)

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