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## National Electric Power Regulatory Authority

#### NOTIFICATION



Islamabad, the 18th day of September, 2025

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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 August 27, 2025 along with revised tariff components attached as Annex-I in the matter of quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of Sapphire Electric Company Limited for July - September 2025 quarter on account of US CPI, N-CPI, Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-125/SECL-2009.

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.

Iftikhar Ali Khan) Registrar



# DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF QUARTERLY INDEXATION/ADJUSTMENT OF TARIFF FOR JULY-SEPTEMBER 2025 QUARTER FOR SAPPHIRE ELECTRIC COMPANY LIMITED.

- 1. Pursuant to the decisions the Authority dated November 23, 2012 in the matter of Motion for Leave for Review filed against the decision of the Authority at Commercial Operation Date (COD), decision of the Authority dated December 20, 2012 regarding change of index in the case of Sapphire Electric Company Limited (hereinafter "SECL"), decisions of the Authority dated April 2, 2021 and May 7, 2021 in the matter of application filed by CPPA-G for adjustment of ROE and ROEDC components of tariff pursuant to the agreement with SECL, 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 and decision of the Authority dated May 27, 2025 in the matter of joint application filed by CPPA-G and SECL for reduction in tariff components notified vide S.R.O. No. 1331(I)/2025 on July 14, 2025, the relevant tariff components are required to be adjusted on account of US CPI, N-CPI, Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation.
- 2. In accordance with the Authority's decision dated May 27, 2025, SECL has submitted request for quarterly indexation/adjustment of relevant tariff components for July-September 2025 quarter. Accordingly, the tariff of SECL in respect of July-September 2025 quarter has been revised on account of US CPI, N-CPI, Exchange Rate and KIBOR variation in accordance with the requisite indexation/adjustment mechanism stipulated in the above decision(s) of the Authority.
- 3. 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-September 2025 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 | Revised<br>Jul-Sep 2025<br>Quarter |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Capacity Charge(Rs./kW/Hour) |           |                                    |  |  |  |
| Fixed O&M - Local            | 0.2569    | 0.2655                             |  |  |  |
| Fixed O&M - Foreign          | 0.4690    | 0.4812                             |  |  |  |
| Cost of Working Capital-Gas  | 0.0558    | 0.0321                             |  |  |  |
| Cost of Working Capital-HSD  | 0.1195    | 0.0688                             |  |  |  |
| ROE (Local)                  | 0.6387    | 0.6387                             |  |  |  |
| ROE (Foreign)                | 0.1805    | 0.1805                             |  |  |  |
| ROEDC (Local)                | 0.1674    | 0.1674                             |  |  |  |
| ROEDC (Foreign)              | 0.0463    | 0.0463                             |  |  |  |
| Total (Gas)                  | 1.8146    | 1.8117                             |  |  |  |
| Total (HSD)                  | 1.8783    | 1.8484                             |  |  |  |
| Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)       |           |                                    |  |  |  |
| Variable O&M - Foreign - Gas | 1.2552    | 1.2878                             |  |  |  |
| Variable O&M - Foreign - HSD | 1.8117    | 1.8587                             |  |  |  |

4. 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 provision of Section 31(7) of the Regulation of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act 1997.

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

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### Sapphire Electric Company Limited

Quarterly Indexation/Adjustment of Tariff

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|--|-----------|------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Tariff Components                        | Reference | Revised<br>Jul-Sep 2025<br>Quarter | Indexation  |  |  |  |  |
| Capacity Charge(Rs./kW/Hour)             |           |                                    |   |  |  |  |  |
| Fixed O&M - Local                        | 0.2569    | 0.2655                             | Lower of 5 % per annum or Average N-CPl                                     |  |  |  |  |
| Fixed O&M - Foreign                      | 0.4690    | 0.4812                             | (i) US CPI (ii) Rs./USD (a) upto 70 % depreciation & (b) 100 % appreciation |  |  |  |  |
| Cost of Working Capital-Gas              | 0.0558    | 0.0321                             | KIBOR   |  |  |  |  |
| Cost of Working Capital-HSD              | 0.1195    | 0.0688                             | KIBOR   |  |  |  |  |
| ROE (Local)                              | 0.6387    | 0.6387                             | -   |  |  |  |  |
| ROE (Foreign)                            | 0.1805    | 0.1805                             | •   |  |  |  |  |
| ROEDC (Local)                            | 0.1674    | 0.1674                             | •   |  |  |  |  |
| ROEDC (Foreign)                          | 0.0463    | 0.0463                             | •   |  |  |  |  |
| Total (Gas)                              | 1.8146    | 1.8117                             |   |  |  |  |  |
| Total (HSD)                              | 1.8783    | 1.8484                             |   |  |  |  |  |
| Variable O&M (Rs./kWh)                   |           |                                    |   |  |  |  |  |
| Variable O&M - Foreign - Gas             | 1.2552    | 1.2878                             | (i) US CPI (ii) Rs./USD (a) upto 70 % depreciation & (b) 100 % appreciation |  |  |  |  |
| Variable O&M - Foreign - HSD             | 1.8117    | 1.8587                             | (i) US CPI (ii) Rs./USD (a) upto 70 % depreciation & (b) 100 % appreciation |  |  |  |  |
| Indexation Values                        |           |                                    | Source  |  |  |  |  |
| N-CPI (Local)                            | 254,780   | 263.320                            | Pakistan Bureau of Statistics - Average value                               |  |  |  |  |
| US CPI (All Urban Consumers)             | 314.069   | 321.465                            | U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics - Revised value of May 2025                 |  |  |  |  |
| Exchange Rate (Rs./USD)                  | 278.800   | 279.730                            | NBP - Average rate  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 Monthly KIBOR                          | 20,24%    | 11.15%                             | SBP - Revised rate of Jun 30, 2025  |  |  |  |  |
| Hours in the Quarter                     | _         | 2,208                              |   |  |  |  |  |

<sup>-</sup> IPP is entitled for 35% of ROE & ROEDC components as part of CPP and remaining ROE & ROEDC components are subject to generation beyond 35% of contract capacity as per the NSA.

- Based on the data declared by Sapphire Electric Company 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 notifications in respect of the following Decisions of the Authority for immediate publication in the official Gazette of Pakistan:

| S.  | Decision   |             |  |
|-----|--|-------------|--|
| No. |  | and Date    |  |
| 1   | Decision of the Authority regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of | 13266-13270 |  |
| -   | Nishat Chunian Power Ltd. for the quarter July - September 2025                  | 27-08-2025  |  |
| 2.  | Decision of the Authority in the matter of quarterly indexation/adjustment of    | 13260-13264 |  |
|     | tariff for November - December 2024 to July - September 2025 quarters for        | 27-08-2025  |  |
|     | Nishat Power Limited   |             |  |
| 3.  | Decision of the Authority regarding quarterly indexation/adjustment of tariff of | 13272-13276 |  |
|     | Saif Power Ltd. for the quarter July - September 2025                            | 27-08-2025  |  |
| 4.  | Decision of the Authority in the matter of quarterly indexation/adjustment of    | 13242-13246 |  |
|     | tariff for November - December 2024 to July - September 2025 quarters for        |             |  |
|     | Liberty Power Tech Limited   |             |  |
| 5.  | Decision of the Authority in the matter of quarterly indexation/adjustment of    | 13248-13252 |  |
|     | tariff for November - December 2024 to July - September 2025 quarters for        | 27-08-2025  |  |
|     | Narowal Energy Limited (formerly Hub Power Company Limited – Narowal)            |             |  |
| 6.  | Decision of the Authority in the matter of quarterly indexation/adjustment of    | 13278-13282 |  |
|     | tariff of Sapphire Electric Company Limited for the quarter                      | 27-08-2025  |  |
|     | July – September 2025  |             |  |

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

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