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PART II

Statutory Notifications (S. R. O.)

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

NATIONAL ELECTRIC POWER REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, the 20th July, 2022

S. R. O. 1223(I)/2022.— 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 in the matter of Approval of Fuel Cost Component during pre-COD period for Karachi Nuclear Power Plant Unit-3 (K-3) in Case No. NEPRA/TRF-579/K3-2022.

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.

[No. NEPRA/TRF-579/13344-46.]

SYED SAFEER HUSSAIN,
Registrar.

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[8710 (2022)/Ex. Gaz.]



Decision of the Authority in the Matter of Approval of Fuel Cost Component During Pre-COD period for K-3

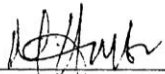
DECISION OF THE AUTHORITY IN THE MATTER OF APPROVAL OF FUEL COST COMPONENT DURING PRE-COD PERIOD FOR KARACHI NUCLEAR POWER PLANT UNIT-3 (K-3)

1. Karachi Nuclear Power Plant Unit 3 (K-3) is the third power plant of Pakistan Atomic Energy Commission (PAEC) at Karachi Nuclear Power Generating Station (KNPGS), having net power generation capacity of 1100 MW. K-3 is in pre COD Phase and has started generation of electricity and connected to National Grid on March 04, 2022. K-3 obtained Generation License No. GL/27/2021 on February 16, 2021.
2. PAEC submitted application for interim tariff vide its letter dated March 07, 2022 for its K-3 power facility and requested to allow fuel cost component of Rs. 0.9340/kWh, as fixed single-part tariff, on "Take and Pay" basis for the period from grid connection i.e. March 04, 2022 to COD under Rule 6 Sub-Rule 2 of the NEPRA Generation Licensing Rules 2000.
3. The Authority has considered the PAEC request for interim tariff. In the case of Karachi Nuclear Power Plant Unit -2 (K-2) the Authority vide its decisions dated May 07, 2021 allowed fuel cost component for sale of electricity during the pre-COD period subject to adjustment as per actual on the basis of documentary evidence. In line with the referred decision, the Authority has decided to allow fuel cost component of Rs. 0.9064/kWh for sale of electricity w.e.f grid connection i.e. March 04, 2022 to COD for the subject power plant. The approved fuel cost component shall be subject to adjustment as per actual on the basis of verifiable documentary evidence.

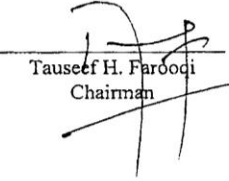
ORDER

4. Karachi Nuclear Power Plant Unit 3 (K-3) is hereby allowed to charge Rs. 0.9064/kWh on account of fuel cost component for sale of electricity from grid connection i.e. March 04, 2022 to COD. The approved fuel cost component shall be subject to adjustment as per actual on the basis of verifiable documentary evidence.
5. The above Order of the Authority shall be notified in the Official Gazette in terms of Section 31(7) of the Regulations of Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electric Power Act, 1997.

AUTHORITY


Engr. Maqsood Anwar Khan
Member


Engr. Rafique Ahmed Shaikh
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Chairman

