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Statutory Notifications (S. R. O.)

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

MINISTRY OF ENERGY (POWER DIVISION)
(Private Power and Infrastructure Board)

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad, the 6th June, 2022

PRIVATE POWER AND INFRASTRUCTURE BOARD (FEE AND CHARGES)
(AMENDMENT) RULES, 2021

S.R.O. 795(I)/2022.— Whereas it is expedient further to amend the Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) Rules 2018, hereinafter referred to as the said Rules, for the purpose hereinafter appearing;

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 23 read with Section 5 of the Private Power & Infrastructure Board Act, 2012 (VI of 2012), Private Power & Infrastructure Board hereby notifies the following amendments in the said Rules, namely:—

1. **Title and Commencement.**— (1) These rules may be called the Private Power & Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) (Amendment) Rules, 2021.
- (2) These amendment rules shall come into force at once.
2. **Insertion of new sub-clause (ee) in Clause 2 of the Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) Rules 2018—**

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In the said Rules, after the sub-clause (e) of Clause 2, following new sub-clause (ee) shall be inserted, namely:

““IGCEP” means indicative generation capacity expansion plan including any amendments thereto as duly approved by NEPRA from time to time.”

3. **Insertion of new sub-clause (8) in Clause 3 of the Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) Rules 2018—**

“(8) Fee and charges payable hereunder in relation to power generation projects shall be calculated on the basis of gross capacity until the COD of such project and on the basis of net capacity on or after the COD.”

4. **Insertion of Clause 3A after Clause 3 of the Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) Rules 2018—**

In the said Rules, after Clause 3, a new Clause 3A shall be inserted, namely:

“3A. Exemption from payment of fee and charges.—From and after the commencement of these Rules, the power companies and sponsors shall be exempt from payment of any fee or charges under these Rules in relation to any extension required in the target date of a specific milestone under the LOI solely due to adjustment of its timelines under the IGCEP.”

5. **Amendment in Clause 4 of the Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) Rules 2018—**

In Clause 4 of the said Rules, for the words “two percent” the words “one percent” shall be substituted.

6. **Insertion of a new Clause 4A in the Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) Rules 2018—**

In the said Rules, after Clause 4, a new Clause 4A shall be inserted, namely:

“Notwithstanding anything contained in these Rules, late payment charges due and payable by any power company under these Rules that remain unpaid upto the commencement date of Private Power & Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) (Amendment) Rules, 2021, shall stand waived.”

7. **Substitution of Schedule to the Private Power and Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) Rules 2018**

In the said Rules, the Schedule shall stand substituted with the revised Schedule to the Private Power & Infrastructure Board (Fee and Charges) (Amendment) Rules, 2021

**SCHEDULE
PART-I
[see rules 2 and 3]**

FEE AND CHARGES PAYABLE IN RELATION TO GENERATION PROJECTS

Sr #	Instances of payment	Fee and Charges in US\$	Timing
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	Registration	300	On or before registration of application
2.	Unsolicited Proposals: Issuance of Pre-Qualification Documents Solicited Proposals: Issuance of Request for Proposals (RFP) documents	300 500	On or before issuance of PQDs/RFP
3.	Bid Processing for ICB Projects from each Bidder	500/MW Min. 10,000 Max. 100,000	On or before submission of bids date
4.	Proposal Processing for Solicited (Non ICB) Projects	300/MW Min. 7,000 Max. 50,000	Before submission of proposal
5.	Issuance of LOI Extension in any of the milestones under LOI (for each extension)	500/MW Min. 10,000 Max. 300,000 250/MW Min. 5,000 Max. 150,000	Before due date of issuance of LOI as notified by PPIB With application for extension
6.	Issuance of LOS Issuance of LOS/LOA for ICB Projects Extension in Financial Close under LOS (for each extension)	800/MW Min. 20,000 Max. 400,000 Same as above 500/MW Min. 10,000 Max. 300,000	Before due date of issuance of LOS as notified by PPIB Before due date of issuance of LOS or LOA as notified by PPIB With the application for extension