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Dated: 29th February 2020

PAYMENT OF FCA TO K-ELECTRIC (COURT ORDER)

Dear Members,

Please find herewith Order of the honourable High Court of Sindh at Karachi in the matter of CPs filed regarding Fuel Charges Adjustment, charged by K-Electric in the energy bills.

The Order contains two options for payment of FCA and being circulated among Members of the Association for information.

Best regards,

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ORDER SHEET IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH AT KARACHI C.P. No.D-476 of 2020 a/w C.P. Nos. D-431, 597, 603 and 607 of 2020

Date

Order With Signature Of Judge

1.For hg of CMA No.1990/20 2.For hg of main case 26.02.2020.

Mr. Muhammad Umar Akhund, advocate for petitioners in C.P. Nos.D-476 & 431 of 2020.

Ms. Erum Riaz, advocate for petitioner in C.P. No. D-607/2020.

Mr. Naeem Suleman, advocate for petitioner in C.P. No. D-597/2020.

Mr. Umair Qazi, advocate for petitioner in C.P. No.D-603/2020.

Ms. Durdana Tanvir, Asstt: Attorney General.

Mr. Irfan Gill, Legal Advisor NEPRA.

M/s. Abid S. Zuberi and Ayan Mustafa Memon, advocates for respondent No. 3 a/w Amir Ghaziani, CFO, KE & Ayaz Jaffar Ahmed, Director Finance of K-Electric.

Learned counsel for the petitioners present in the Court makes a proposal that the petitioners are ready and willing to pay the electricity bills, minus the impugned arrears of FCA charges.

Learned counsel for the respondent No. 3 and Legal Advisor of NEPRA take the proposal to a new level and offer that petitioners who choose to even pay FCA arrears component also, K-Electric will adjust the same in future bills, if any orders are passed by this Court against K-Electric in this petition regarding the FCA issue.

Resultantly, the petitioners are given two options, either to deposit the electricity bills without FCA arrears component to K-Electric within three days and the balance amount of FCA arrears be deposited with the Nazir of this Court within a period of ten days from today, or they pay full K-Electric bills with understanding that in case a decision comes in favour of the petitioners as per above, K-Electric will adjust the FCA arrears' deposit towards its future bills.

The petitioners agreed to pay the K-Electric bill amounts as per any of the two above mentioned ways within three days' time. The petitioners undertake that they will pay the future electricity bills and the fuel adjustment charges as per the bills issued by the respondent No. 3, minus the FCA arrears.

Let these petitions are to be fixed on 04.03.2020 at 12:00 p.m.

JUDGE JUDGE

