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BUSINESS RECORDER

102MW Gulpur Hydropower Project: Nepra approves 30-year tariff of 9.3843 cents/kWh

ISLAMABAD: The NEPRA has approved a levelised tariff of US cents 9.3843 per kWh for a period of 30 years for the 102 MW run-of-the-river Gulpur Hydropower Project, being established by M/s Mira Power Limited (MPL). According to NEPRA's determination, the generation tariff will be Rs 17.3751 per kWh for the first 12 years and Rs 8.2686 per kWh for years 13 to 30, resulting in a levelised tariff of Rs 14.8507 per kWh.

ATIR dismisses appeal against taxpayer

ISLAMABAD: Appellate Tribunal Inland Revenue (ATIR), Lahore Bench, has dismissed an appeal filed by the Commissioner against a taxpayer, while sharply criticising the tax department for pursuing litigation in a "mechanical manner without application of mind."

Makkah Agreement: There's opportunity to build stronger economic partnership: PBF

KARACHI: Pakistan Business Forum (PBF) has welcomed the signing of the Makkah Joint Defence Agreement between Pakistan, Saudi Arabia and Türkiye, saying the new strategic understanding should also be used as an opportunity to build a stronger trilateral economic partnership focused on trade, investment, industrial cooperation, technology transfer and employment.

PKR: marginal gain

KARACHI: The Pakistani rupee posted marginal gain against the US dollar for another week as it appreciated by 0.03 percent in the inter-bank market. The local unit closed at 277.71, a gain of Re0.09 against 277.80 it had closed at against the greenback a week earlier, according to State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) data.

Weekly Cotton Review: Prices remain largely stable

KARACHI: Cotton prices remained largely stable this week, with trading activity continuing at a reasonable pace across the market. New York cotton prices, meanwhile, showed an upward trend, reflecting positive sentiment in international markets.

DAWN NEWSPAPER

Pakistan seeks regional support to shore up energy security

Pakistan is stepping up efforts to strengthen its energy security through regional cooperation, domestic exploration and greater refining capacity, Petroleum Minister Ali Pervaiz Malik said on Sunday, pointing to planned Turkish investment in offshore drilling and a strategy to reduce the country's heavy dependence on imported energy.

Revival of SME credit

Between July and August, things are brought to almost a halt across much of Europe. Italy shuts down for Ferragosto, the French vanish on les grandes vacances, and the German offices empty out. During this window, everything — deadlines, emails, occasional sovereign crisis — can wait.

THE NEWS INTERNATIONAL

Textile exports at risk as goods transport strike disrupts cotton supplies

ISLAMABAD: Pakistan's textile industry has sought urgent government intervention to resolve the indefinite goods transport strike, warning that prolonged disruption in cargo movement could affect export shipments, cotton supplies and mill operations.

Money Matters: Shared transition, shared responsibility

Pakistan's textile mills are caught in a contradiction they did not design. The brands they supply in Europe and North America want renewable energy, lower carbon and verified emissions data. The same brands want lower prices, shorter contracts and last-minute orders. The two demands cancel each other out, and the cost lands on the supplier.

TRIBUNE NEWSPAPER

Is \$10b Pak-Iran trade a pipe dream?

ISLAMABAD: Recently, the joint commitment by the leadership of Iran and Pakistan to raise bilateral trade to \$10 billion has attracted considerable attention. This article provides a historical overview of bilateral trade and argues that achieving this target will require credible solutions for payments, sanctions compliance and transit connectivity.

ایکسپریس نیوز

ملک بھر کے بجلی صارفین کے لیے بڑا ریلیف ختم ہونے کا امکان
تقسیم کار کمپنیوں نے صارفین پر 23 ارب روپے سے زائد کا اضافی بوجھ ڈالنے کی تجویز جمع کرادی
آئل ٹینکرز اور گڈز ٹرانسپورٹرز کی بڑتال جاری، کل وفاق و سندھ حکومت سے
مذاکرات ہوں گے
وزیر پیٹرولیم نے آئل ٹینکرز کنٹریکٹرز ایسوسی ایشن کے وفد کو کل اسلام آباد بلایا ہے
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نقصان کا خدشہ
اگر فیکٹریوں کو مطلوبہ خام مال وقت پر نہیں ملے گا تو پیداواری عمل متاثر ہوگا، صدر سائٹ ایسوسی ایشن
آف انڈسٹری

پیٹرول مہنگا ہے لیکن قلت کہیں آنے نہیں دی، وزیر پیٹرولیم
ترکش پیٹرولیم پاکستان کے سمندروں میں آف شور ڈرلنگ کرنے جا رہی ہے، اس کے بعد ایک بڑی سرمایہ کاری
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