Glossary of Terms

The following terms have the following meaning in this Annual Report, unless otherwise required by the context.

Available hours for a specified period, the numbers of hours in that

period that a generator is available for generation

BIPDIC Beijing International Power Development and

Investment Company, a state-owned enterprise established and controlled by Beijing Municipal

Government

BTT Area Beijing, Tianjin and northern areas of Hebei Province

BTT Power Grid The power transmission network covering Beijing,

Tianjin, and northern areas of Hebei Province

Capacity factor for a specified period, the ratio (expressed as a

percentage) of the number of utilisation hours of a power plant to the total number of hours in such period

Domestic Shares Ordinary shares with a face value of RMB1.00 issued by

the Company to be subscribed or credited as fully paid

in RMB

Equivalent availability factor for a specified period and a given power plant, the ratio

(usually expressed as a percentage) of the number of available hours in that period (reduced, in the case of hours in which the attainable generating capacity of such plant is less than the installed capacity, by the proportion of installed capacity not so attainable) to the

total number of hours in that period

Foreign Shares Ordinary shares issued by Chinese companies with a

face value denominated in RMB but traded in currencies

other than the RMB

Gross generation for a specified period, the total amount of electrical

power produced by a power plant in that period including electrical power consumed in the operation

of the power plant

Group Company North China Power Group Company, a state-owned

enterprise established and controlled by the Ministry of Electric Power and currently controlled by the State

Power Company

Hong Kong Stock Exchange The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

H Shares Foreign Shares with a face value of RMB1.00 each

issued by the Company to be subscribed and traded in Hong Kong Dollars which have been approved for listing and trading on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong and accepted by the London Stock Exchange into our

formal register of listed companies

HCIC Hebei Construction and Investment Company, a state-

owned enterprise established and controlled by Hebei

Provincial Government

Installed capacity the highest level of electrical output which a power

plant is designed to be able to maintain continuously

without causing damage to the plant

Load factor for a specified period, the ratio (usually expressed as a

percentage) of the number of utilisation hours to the number of operational hours of a power plant for such

period

Major Serviced Area BTT Area

North China Power Grid The power transmission network covering Beijing,

Tianjin, Hebei Province, Shanxi Province and Inner

Mongolia Autonomous Region

Operational hours for a specified period, the number of hours that a power

plant supplies any amount of electrical energy to a grid or, for power plants with multiple generating units, the weighted average of the number of hours that each generating unit supplies any amount of electrical energy to a grid, weighted by the installed capacity of the

generating units

Shares Ordinary shares with a face value of RMB1.00 each

issued by the Company, including Domestic Shares and

H Shares

TJIC Tianjin Jinneng Investment Company, a state-owned

enterprise established and controlled by Tianjin

Municipal Government

Total on-grid power The a

generation

The amount of power transmitted to the a power network from a power plant as measured by the grid

meter

Utilisation hours for a specified period, the number of hours it would take

for a power plant operating at installed capacity to generate the amount of electricity actually produced in

that period

KWh A unit of power generation equivalent to the output

generated by 1,000 watts of power in one hour

MW 1,000,000 watts

MWh A unit of power generation equivalent to the output

generated by 1,000,000 watts of power in one hour