

Ref: BPCL/Yamunagar GA/FRA/01

To,
The Collector and Chairman (Deputy Commissioner)
District Level Forest Right Committee,
Yamunanagar District,
(Haryana)

Dated: July 10, 2017
11-7-17

Sub:- Yamunanagar CGD Network (Various Pipelines) : Request for issuing NOC under scheduled Tribe and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers.(Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006 (2 of 2007) for diversion of 2.753 ha. Forest lands for laying 200/150/125/90/63 mm dia Steel/MDPE natural gas pipeline in Yamunagar District

Ref.: Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board Authorization letter dtd. 22.07.2016.

Dear Sir,

Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL) is India's best performing Navratna Public Sector Undertaking company of Government of India is engaged in oil refining, exploration and marketing of petroleum products. Bharat Petroleum has expanded its fuel portfolio to include Natural Gas with an objective to providing energy security to millions of Indian citizens.

BPCL is committed to reach out to every possible natural gas user to energize India's natural gas vision. Piped Natural Gas is one of the cleanest fuels which emit less carbon dioxide than either by coal or oil and far fewer pollutants than other hydrocarbon fuels.

Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB), a regulatory body set up by Govt. of India, for laying, building, operating and expending City Gas Distribution (CGD) has authorized BPCL to setup City and Local Gas Distribution (CGD) Network in Yamunagar Geographical Area in Haryana. Copy of authorization is enclosed herewith as Annexure-A.

As per above authorization granted by PNGRB, BPCL propose to lay 200/150/125/90/63 mm dia Steel/MDPE natural gas pipeline in Yamunagar District and surrounding area. Proposed network will be originated from GAIL's existing station in near ISEG and will set up CGD network through various spurlines in whole Yamunagar district and surroundings. The proposed pipeline will be laid along/across the side strips of various roads, nalas, rivers, rail routes declares as protected forest. Pipeline will be laid at depth of 1.2 mtr. below the natural ground level. All precautions shall be followed as per PNGRB Guidelines and safety standards. Description of the area to be diverted by pipeline passing through the forest land in Yamunagar District in Haryana is furnished in Annexure-B enclosed.

Concern route map showing the pipeline alignment is enclosed herewith as Annexure-C

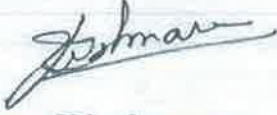
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This is a time bound project contributing to national prosperity for Socio-economic and infrastructure development of natural gas pipeline network. Therefore most expeditious actions are requested to issue NOC under Scheduled Tribe and Other Traditional Forest Dweller (Recognition of Forest Right) Act. 2006.

Thanking You,

Yours sincerely,

For Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited



**Pradeep Waghmare
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Encl.: as above