

पेट्रोलियम एवं प्राकृतिक गैस विनियामक बोर्ड  
Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board  
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To  
GAIL (India) Limited  
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16, Bhikaiji Cama Place,  
New Delhi - 110066


**Subject: Request made by GAIL (India) Limited to consider HVJ-GREP-DVPL and DVPL-GREP up-gradation pipelines as one single integrated pipeline network.**

Sir,

This has reference to the request made by GAIL (India) Limited to consider HVJ-GREP-DVPL and DVPL-GREP up-gradation pipelines as one single integrated pipeline network. In this regard, the Board has decided that the current proposal cannot be acceded to since there is no provision for merger of two separately authorized natural gas pipelines as per the current Regulations in vogue. The Board further decided to proceed with framing an enabling Regulation in this regard considering that there may be instances where such integration may be desirable for technical reasons for ensuring supply security to a large number of customers.

2. Accordingly, GAIL is advised to submit the updated list of pipelines along with the system capacities separately for both HVJ-GREP-DVPL and DVPL-GREP up-gradation pipelines so that the final terms and conditions for acceptance of Central Government authorization could be issued by the Board for HVJ-GREP-DVPL and DVPL-GREP up-gradation pipelines separately.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Upamanyu Chatterjee)  
Secretary