

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the _____

File No. PNGRB/Auth./CGD/Amd/2018/3 - In exercise of the powers conferred by section 61 of the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board Act, 2006 (19 of 2006), the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board hereby makes the following regulations to amend the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Authorising Entities to Lay, Build, Operate or Expand City or Local Natural Gas Distribution Networks) Regulations, 2008 namely: -

1. Short title and commencement.

(1) These regulations may be called the “Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Authorising Entities to Lay, Build, Operate or Expand City or Local Natural Gas Distribution Networks) Third Amendment Regulations, 2018”.

(2) They shall come into force with effect from their date of publication in the official Gazette.

2. In place of the Proviso to Regulation 7 (1) (a) of the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Authorising Entities to Lay, Build, Operate or Expand City or Local Natural Gas Distribution Networks) Regulations, 2008, the following shall be substituted -

“Provided that in the case of the geographical areas of (i) Bilaspur, Hamirpur and Una Districts; (ii) Panchkula (except area already authorised), Shimla, Solan and Sirmaur Districts, (iii) Barmer, Jaisalmer and Jodhpur Districts, (iv) Darjeeling, Jalpaiguri & Uttar Dinajpur Districts and (v) Nainital and Bijnor Districts, it is not mandatory to supply natural gas through steel-pipes. However natural gas has to reach in all charge areas. The bidding parameters and their respective weightage will, accordingly, be as under –”

Vandana Sharma
Secretary

Foot Note: Principal regulations were notified vide no. G.S.R. 196(E) dated 19th March, 2008 and subsequently amended vide G.S.R. 800 (E) dated 19th November, 2008, G.S.R. 295 (E) dated 30th April, 2009, G.S.R. 478(E) dated 7th June, 2010, G.S.R. 605 (E) dated 19th July, 2010, F.No. PNGRB/ CGD/ REGULATIONS/REVIEW-2011/2012-III dated 21st June, 2013,

F. No. PNGRB/CGD/BID/4/2013-PRE BID dated 7th April, 2014, F.No. L-MISC/VI/ I/2007 dated 1st January, 2015, F.No. PNGRB/ CGD/ Regulations/Amend/2015 dated 13th February 2015, PNGRB/CGD/Amendment/2015/2 dated 11th December 2015, F. No. PNGRB/CGD/Amendment/ 2015/2/SC dated 26th April 2016, F. No. PNGRB/AUTH/CGD/Amd/2018 dated 6th April 2018 and F. No. PNGRB/Auth./CGD/Amd/2018/2 dated 27th April 2018.