

July 5, 2011

The Secretary
Petroleum & Natural Gas Regulatory Board
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Dear Sir,

Sub:-Implementation of dedicated pipeline for our upcoming 1600 MW Natural Gas-based Power Project, DGEN at Dahej.

We would like to thank PNGRB for its efforts in the development of various regulations for Natural Gas marketing and distribution in India. Such efforts of the Board will facilitate the growth of competitive natural gas market in the interest of all stakeholders including end users and customers.

Sir, we are pleased to inform the Board that Torrent Energy Limited (subsidiary of Torrent Power Limited) is in advance stage of setting up 1600 MW Power Project (DGEN) at Dahej in Gujarat. The EPC for the implementation of the said Project has been awarded to M/s. Siemens AG in June, 2010. The approximate completion time of the said Project is expected during the FY 2012-13.

The DGEN Project requires almost 8 MMSCMD of gas. This gas can be sourced from –

- For RLNG - PLL's Dahej Terminal
- Domestic Gas from -
 - RIL KG D-6
 - GSPC KG
 - ONGC KG & Mahanadi

Implementing DGEN Project at Dahej has the benefit of relative easy access to Natural Gas / RLNG. Following Natural Gas pipelines / LNG terminals are in the close vicinity of DGEN:

- The Petronet LNG's Dahej receiving terminal is just few kilometers away from the project (please refer Annexure - 1).

- RIL's KG D6 Gas being transported by RGTIL's East-West Pipeline is terminating at Bhadbhut (near Bharuch), which is approximately 35 - 40 Kms. away from the location of DGEN (please refer Annexure - 2).
- GSPL Natural Gas Pipeline at GACL, apprx. 2 Kms. (please refer Annexure - 3).

Sir, as all the pipelines are in the vicinity of up to 40 Kms., we propose that these gas pipelines / Petronet LNG's Dahej Receiving Terminal is connected to DGEN through dedicated pipeline. This will result in a lower tariff of gas transportation. As cost of fuel including its transportation is recoverable from beneficiaries of Power Plant, this will ultimately benefit the end user of power generated from DGEN.

We reiterate our thanks for your valuable support and look forward to your kind guidance in the afore-mentioned request.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
For **Torrent Energy Limited**



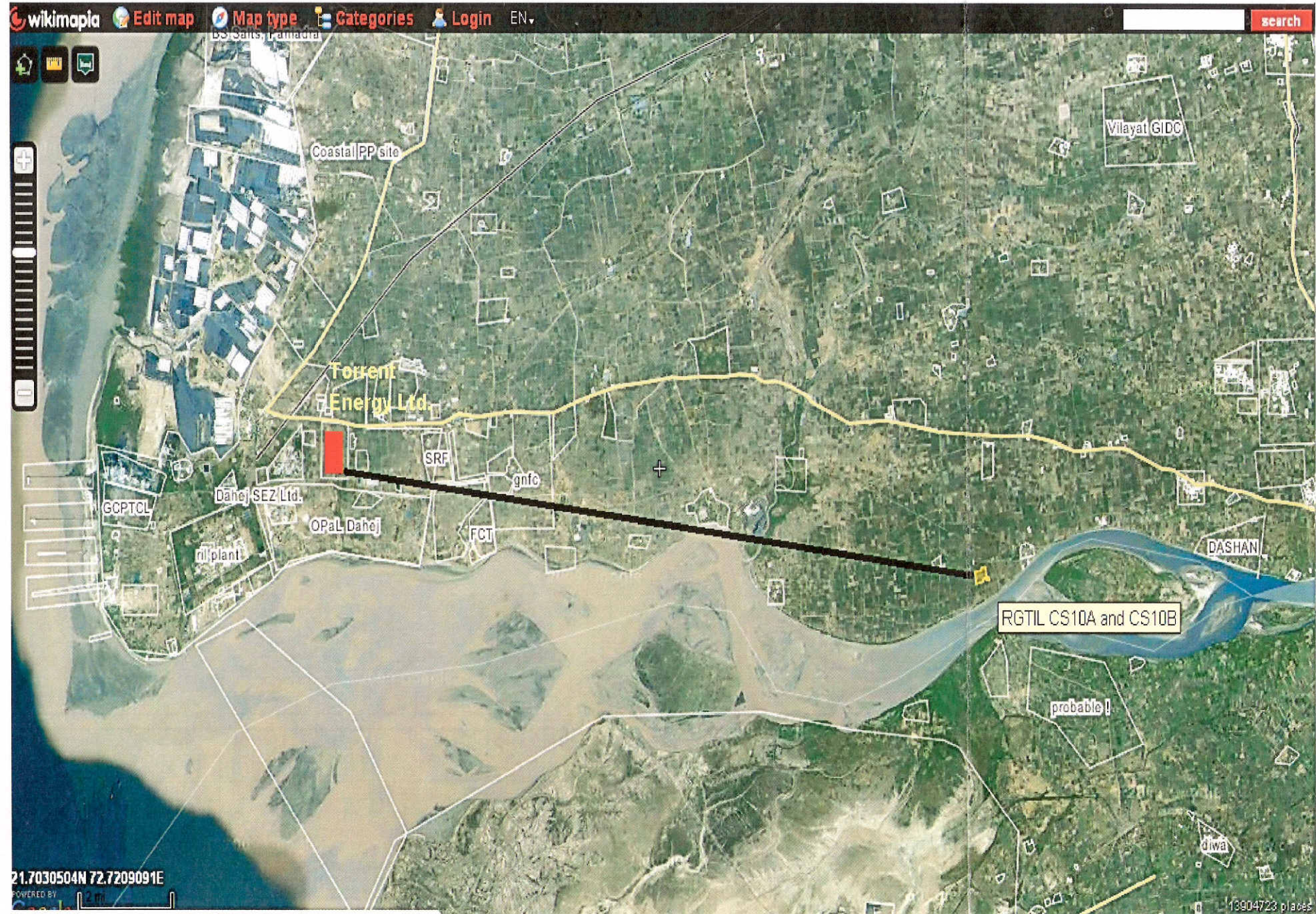
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Executive Director

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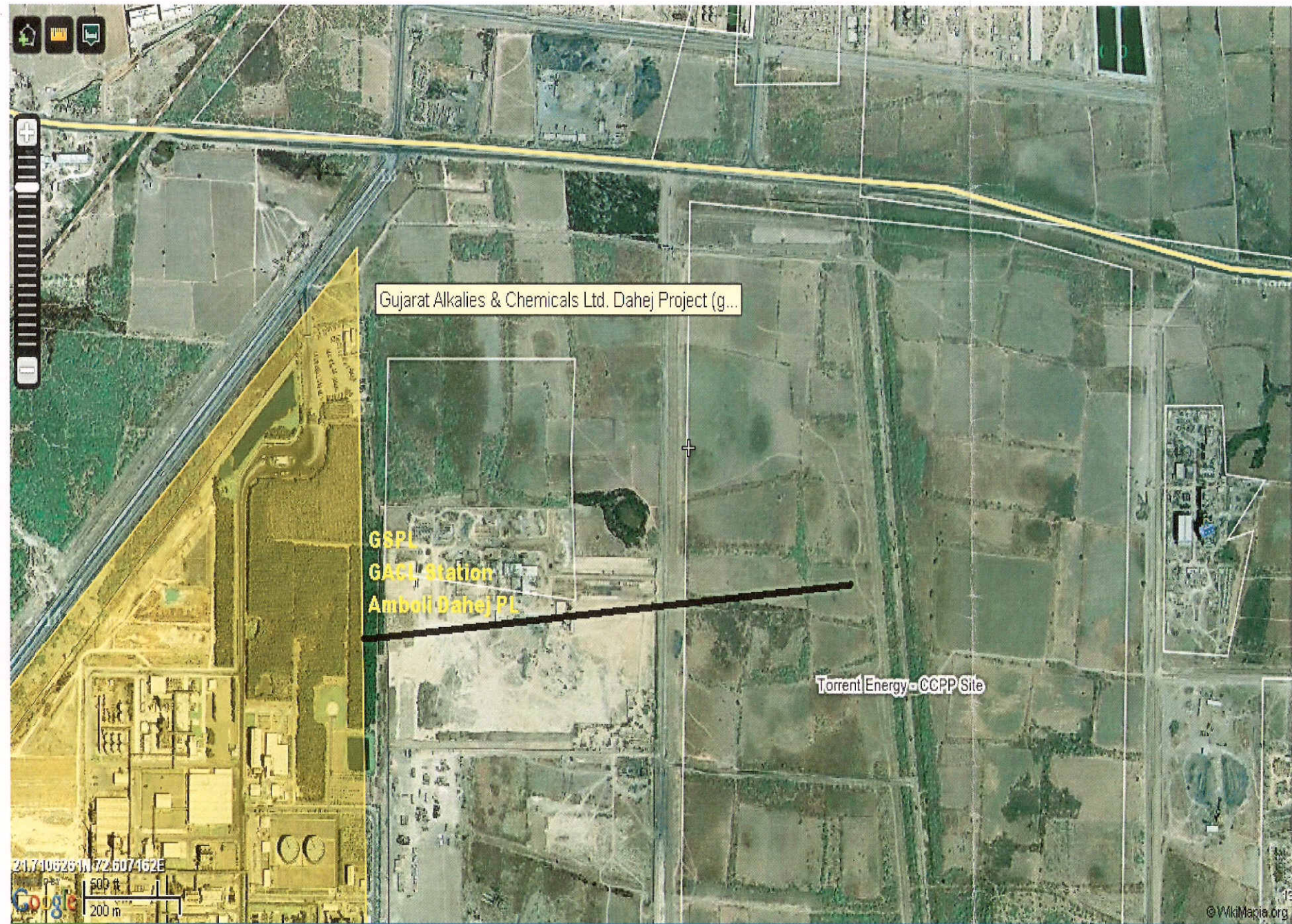
ANNEXURE - 1 DGEN to PLL Dahej



ANNEXURE – 2 DGEN to Bhadbhut RGTL EWPL Compressor Station



ANNEXURE - 3 DGEN to GSPL GACL Station





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Information regarding application for dedicated pipelines

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Dear Sir,

With reference to your email our point wise replay is as below: Kindly note that the details provided may vary based on site condition and detailed engineering:

1. Length of each proposed pipeline:
Appx 10 kms.
2. Capacity of each proposed pipeline
Up to 8 MMSCMD
3. Diameter of each proposed pipeline
Up to 24 inch
4. Design Pressure of each proposed pipeline
Appx 60 to 98 Bar(g)

We hope above meets the requirement.

Regards,
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