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O/o Secretary  
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To,

The Secretary,  
Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor, World Trade Centre,  
Babar Road, New Delhi - 110001

Madam,

Subject: GAIL's views/ comments on the Expression of Interest (EOI) from Duliajan Numaligarh Pipeline Limited (DNP Ltd.) to lay, build, operate or expand Natural Gas pipeline from Duliajan to Chandrapur near Guwahati-reg.

This has reference to the PNGRB Public Notice No. PNGRB/Auth/2-NGPL (02)/2023 dated 18.07.2023 in respect of the Expression of Interest (EOI) on the subject matter, GAIL has already submitted views/ comments vide letter dated 17.08.2023.

2. In addition to the views/comments furnished earlier, it is submitted that the proposed Duliajan – Guwahati pipeline of M/s DNPL may be routed through Lepetkata, Dibrugarh where the Petrochemical plant of M/s Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Limited (BCPL) is located. This would ensure sufficient availability of natural gas to BCPL plant and may also pave way for potential augmentation of the BCPL plant in future.

3. Further, Dibrugarh is an industrial town and such routing may also help in employment generation and raising per capita income of the population in the area. The Hon'ble Board is requested to kindly consider the aforesaid route through Lepetkata, Dibrugarh for the proposed pipeline.

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