

Subject: **Hindustan LNG comment on the draft regulations for registration for establishing and operating Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) terminals**

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Dear Sir,

Hindustan LNG Limited (www.hindustanlng.com) is setting up a RLNG terminal at Challapalli village, East Godavari district in Andhra Pradesh (near RAVVA area). The initial capacity is 1.75 MMTPA, which will be expanded in phases depending on gas demand.

This is with reference to the Public notice dated 28th March 2018 seeking comments / views of stakeholders on the draft regulations for registration for establishing and operating Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) terminals, please find below our comments / views on the draft regulations.

While we agree with payment of non-refundable fee as specified in the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Levy of Fee and other charges) Regulations, 2007, we do not agree with the submission of bank guarantee as per 3 (1) (c) of the draft regulation to furnish a bank guarantee to the Board for an amount equal to 1 percent of the estimated project cost of the LNG terminal or Rs. 25 crore, whichever is less.

It is therefore requested to delete this clause.

We request you to please consider our above mentioned comment during the finalization of regulation for registration for establishing and operating Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) terminals.

Regards
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