



पेट्रोलियम एवं प्राकृतिक गैस विनियामक बोर्ड  
Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board

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PNGRB/Monitoring/2/NGPL-MNJPL/(1)/2020 (E-1709)

29<sup>th</sup> April 2026

To

**Shri Deepak Gupta**  
**Chairman & Managing Director**  
**GAIL (India) Limited**  
GAIL Bhawan, 16, Bhikaji Kama Place,  
R. K. Puram, New Delhi-110066

**Subject:** Extension of time period for completion of Mumbai-Nagpur-Jharsuguda Natural Gas Pipeline (MNJPL) authorized to GAIL (India) Limited (GAIL)

This is with reference to your letter dated 30.12.2025, seeking an extension of completion schedule, on the above subject matter.

2. PNRB granted authorization to Gail (India) Ltd for laying, building, operating or expansion of natural gas pipeline along the route of Mumbai Nagpur Jharsuguda, as per PNRB (Authorizing Entities to Lay, Build, Operate or Expand Natural Gas Pipelines) Regulations, 2008 vide letter dated 15.05.2020. This authorization stipulated a completion period of Thirty-six months from the authorization date.

3. It may be noted that, to date, six extensions have been granted to GAIL (India) Limited for the MNJPL project, as conveyed vide letters dated 03.07.2023, 30.01.2024, 12.08.2024, 12.03.2025, 24.06.2025, and 26.11.2025.

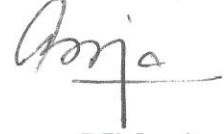
4. In view of your submission vide letter dated 30.12.2025, Board has thoroughly considered your request and taking into account public interest and overall development of the sector, Board has now granted extension of the completion schedule, thereby extending the deadline upto **28.02.2026** (Seventh Extension).

5. No further extension shall be considered beyond 28.02.2026, failing which appropriate action may be initiated in accordance with the relevant regulations.

6. All other terms and conditions of authorization shall remain the same.

7. The receipt of this letter may be please acknowledged. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

**Yours faithfully,**



**(Anjan Kumar Mishra)**  
**Secretary**