



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

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4th May, 2026

To,

Shri Vimal Chopra
President (Business Development)
Tamilnadu Pipeline Company Limited
"NEELADRI", 3rd Floor, No. 9,
Cenotaph Road, Alwarpet,
Chennai-600018, Tamil Nadu.

**Subject: Amendment in Grant of Authorization for laying, building, operating or expanding
Ennore Port - Manali Industrial Area Petroleum and Petroleum Products Pipeline**

Ref: (i) PNGRB's letters dated 18.12.2021, 03.10.2025 and 11.03.2026
(ii) IMC Limited's letters dated 09.01.2024, 17.09.2024, 20.01.2025, 21.08.2025, 04.01.2025 and 17.03.2026

This has reference to aforementioned PNGRB's letter dated 18.12.2015 issued to IMC Limited for laying, building, operating or expanding Ennore Port – Manali Industrial Area Petroleum and Petroleum Products Pipeline (EPMIAPL) and referenced communications from IMC Limited regarding renunciation by way of transfer of grant of authorization from IMC Limited to Tamilnadu Pipeline Company Limited (TPCL) and amendment in pipeline parameters of EPMIAPL.

2. In this regard, it is informed that under Regulation 9 of the PPPL Authorization Regulations, the Board has approved the renunciation by way of transfer of grant of authorization of EPMIAPL from IMC Limited to Tamilnadu Pipeline Company Limited (TPCL).

3. Further, under the provisions of Regulation 21(3) read with Regulation 12 of PNGRB (Authorizing Entities to Lay, Build, Operate or Expand Petroleum and Petroleum Products Pipelines) Regulations, 2010, the following are amended for EPMIAPL: -

- i. Pipeline diameter revised as 24-inch,
- ii. Pipeline capacity revised from 7.0 MMTPA to 10.65 MMTPA.

4. TPCL shall furnish a fresh Performance Bond of Rs. 92.9 lakhs in its name towards meeting the performance obligations within 07 days of issuance of this amendment letter.

5. The differential capital expenditure arising out of the increase in system capacity shall not be considered for tariff determination of EPMIAPL at any stage in future.
6. All risks, obligations and liabilities, whether existing or arising in future, pertaining to EPMIAPL shall stand transferred from IMC Limited to TPCL, and TPCL shall assume full responsibility for the same.
7. Further, TPCL shall be required to adhere to the existing/modified terms and conditions of authorization and shall be responsible for timely completion, operation and maintenance of the pipeline in accordance with the approved parameters.
8. All other terms and conditions shall remain the same as per the grant of authorization issued by PNGRB vide letter dated 18.12.2015 for EPMIAPL.
9. This issues with the approval of the Board.

Yours faithfully,



(Anjan Kumar Mishra)
Secretary