



Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board

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Public Notice

The Petroleum & Natural Gas Regulatory Board has received an application from M/s Essar Oil Limited (EOL) indicating a proposed dedicated natural gas pipeline from Essar's LP Gas Gathering Header to M/s Phillips Carbon Black Limited in Durgapur Industrial Area in West Bengal under regulation 19(2) of the Petroleum & Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Authorizing Entities to Lay, Build, Operate or Expand Natural Gas Pipelines) Regulation, 2008 as per the details given below:

- a) Length of pipeline : 8 Kms
- b) Pipeline Diameter : 12"
- c) Design Pressure : 24 Kg/cm²
- d) Capacity in use : 70,000 SCMD

The details of the application are available on the PNGRB's website www.pngrb.gov.in. In terms of the provisions of Regulation 19(2), PNGRB seeks public comments with a view to ascertain whether, instead of a dedicated pipeline, the public interest would be better served if a natural gas pipeline is laid, built, operated or expanded.

Any interested party may submit its views to the Secretary, PNGRB within 15 days of issue of this public notice through email at secretary@pngrb.gov.in with subject "*Essar's LP Gas Gathering Header- M/s Phillips Carbon Black Limited, Durgapur dedicated natural gas pipeline under regulation 19(2)*" or in writing through post at above mentioned address.

(Ratan P. Watal)
Secretary