

GPIL Signs Natural Gas MOU with GAIL A Major Step Towards Decarbonization

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G GPIL becomes first mover to adopt last mile connectivity of Natural Gas in Chhattisgarh, In a transformative step toward sustainable industrial practices.

Godawari Power & Ispat Limited (GPIL) has officially signed a Gas Sales Agreement (GSA) with the Gas Authority of India Limited (GAIL) at the GAIL Raipur office. This collaboration marks the first RLNG (Regasified Liquefied Natural Gas) sales agreement in Chhattisgarh under GAIL's Mumbai–Nagpur–Jharsuguda–Paradip (MNJP) pipeline initiative.



Driving Clean Energy Adoption

This partnership will facilitate the supply of natural gas to GPIL via the MNJP pipeline, which passes through Raipur, enhancing the availability of clean energy in central India. The pipeline network is expected to be fully commissioned by June 2025. By replacing coal gas with natural gas in its pellet manufacturing process, GPIL is set to achieve an impressive 63% reduction in CO₂ emissions—a significant step in its sustainability journey and a benchmark for the steel sector in India.

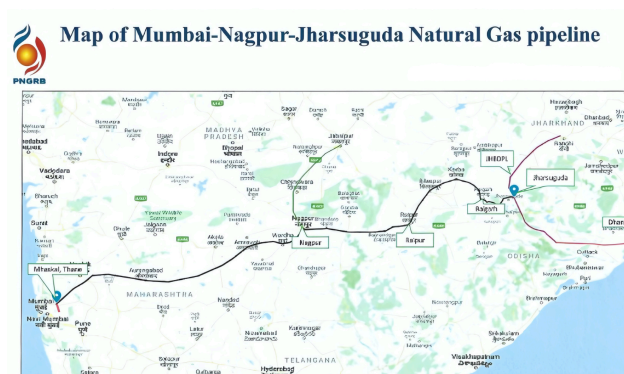
Towards Greener Industrial Practices

This move aligns with India's broader goal to cut industrial emissions, promote clean energy, and adopt low-carbon technologies. As the steel and energy sectors seek cleaner feedstock options, such collaborations pave the way for responsible production and long-term environmental gains.

Chhattisgarh, one of India's key industrial states, now positions itself at the forefront of India's green industrial revolution with this pioneering agreement.

Project and Partnership Highlights

- First RLNG GSA in Chhattisgarh under the MNJP pipeline
- 63% CO₂ emission reduction in pellet manufacturing at GPIL
- Pipeline expected to be commissioned by June 2025
- A milestone in public-private partnership toward sustainability



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