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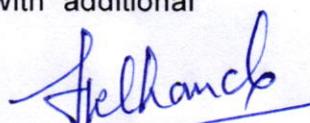
**Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 26th June, 2018**

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject: Meeting of the Standing Linkage Committee (Long-Term) for Power Sector-  
SLC/LT No. 3/2018**

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's OM of even no. dated 14.06.2018 on the above mentioned subject and to enclose herewith additional agenda for discussion in the meeting.

*Encls. as above*

  
(P. K. Chanda)  
Section Officer

To

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| 1. Additional Secretary, Ministry of Coal   | Chairperson |
| 2. Principal Advisor (Energy), NITI Aayog, Yojana Bhawan New Delhi.   | Member      |
| 3. Joint Secretary (Coal), Ministry of Coal   | Member      |
| 4. Advisor (Projects), Ministry of Coal   | Member      |
| 5. Joint Secretary (Thermal), Ministry of Power, Shram Shakti Bhawan, New Delhi                                   | Member      |
| 6. Joint Secretary (Ports), Ministry of Shipping, Transport Bhawan, New Delhi                                     | Member      |
| 7. Joint Secretary, Ministry of Steel, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi  | Member      |
| 8. Joint Secretary, Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi                          | Member      |
| 9. Executive Director, Coal, Railway Board, Room No. 261, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.                                 | Member      |
| 10. Director (Marketing), Coal India Limited.   | Member      |
| 11. CMD's SCCL, BCCL, CCL, ECL, MCL, NCL, SECL & WCL  | Members     |
| 12. Chairman-cum-Managing Director, Central Mine Planning & Design Instt Ltd., Gondwana Place, Kanke Road, Ranchi | Member      |
| 13. Chairman, Central Electricity Authority, Sewa Bhawan, RK Puram,   | Member      |

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| 14. Chairman, NTPC, Scope Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003 | Member          |
| 15. Joint Secretary (CBA-II Section), Ministry of Coal          | Special Invitee |

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Copy also to - NIC, Ministry of Coal with the request to place it in the website of the Ministry of Coal for information of all concerned.

Additional Agenda for the meeting of Standing Linkage Committee (Long Term) for Power Sector to be held on 27.06.2018

S. No.	Issue
<p><b>Agenda Item no. 1: Grant of Bridge Linkage to Thermal Power Plants of Gujarat State Electricity Corporation Ltd (GSECL).</b></p>	<p>GSECL vide letter dated 05.06.2018 requested for grant of Bridge Linkage to newly commissioned/upcoming coal based units of GSECL.</p> <p>Gare Palma Sector - 1 coal block was allotted to GSECL on 14.09.2015 for coal requirements of specified end use plants. Bridge linkage has been requested for Ukai Unit 6 (500 MW), Upcoming Wanakbori TPS Unit 8 (800 MW) and Ukai TPS Unit 7 (800 MW) (proposed start date July 2023). Total coal requirement for above TPPs is 7.92 MTPA.</p> <p>Comments of CBA-II were sought in the matter:</p> <p>CBA-II section confirmed that Gare Palma Sector-I coal mine (Schedule-III) was allotted to GSECL vide order no. 103/27/2015/NA dated 14.09.2015.</p> <p>Comments of MoP are awaited in the matter.</p> <p>SLC (LT) is to take a view in the matter.</p>
<p><b>Agenda Item no. 2: Coal linkage to the proposed pit head project at Margherita, Assam (2 x 800) MW to be set up by Assam Power Generation Corporation Limited (APGCL)</b></p>	<p>Government of Assam vide letter dated 27.02.2017 had requested to take up the matter of coal linkage to 2 x 800 MW Phase-I plant at Margherita, Assam in the next meeting of the Standing Linkage Committee (SLC) alongwith the diversion of coal linkage for NTPC's BTPS and Farakka plants. Comments of Ministry of Power were sought on the matter.</p> <p>Ministry of Power has informed that the request of Assam Power Generation Corporation Limited (APGCL) has been examined in consultation with CEA and CEA has recommended the proposal. The production of coal from North Eastern Coalfields (NECL) of Coal India Limited may not be sufficient to meet the projected demand of the project, thus NECL may have to augment coal production as per the expected commissioning of Margherita TPP (2 x 800 MW) to meet the coal requirement of Margherita TPP. Ministry of Power has requested to consider the request of APGCL for coal linkage for Margherita TPP.</p>