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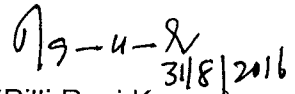
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi,
Dated 31st August, 2016.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Meeting of the Standing Linkage Committee (Long-Term) SLC (LT)
No.04/2016.

In continuation of this Ministry's O.M. of even no. dated 24th August, 2016 on the above mentioned subject, the undersigned is directed to enclose herewith additional agenda items to be discussed in the above mentioned meeting. The project proponents whose cases are mentioned in the agenda may also attend the meeting, if they wish to represent their cases before the SLC (LT).

Encl: as above


(Pilli Ravi Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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| 1. Special Secretary, Ministry of Coal | Chairperson |
| 2. Advisor (Energy), NITI Aayog, Yojana Bhavan, 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 Bhavan, New Delhi | Member |
| 6. Joint Secretary (Ports), Ministry of Shipping, Transport Bhavan, New Delhi | Member |
| 7. Joint Secretary, Ministry of Steel, Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi | Member |
| 8. Joint Secretary, Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion, Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi | Member |
| 9. Executive Director, T.T.(F), Railway Board, Room No.261, Rail Bhavan New Delhi | Member |
| 10. Chairman-cum-Managing Director, Coal India Limited | Member |
| 11. Director (Marketing), Coal India Limited | Member |
| 12. CMD's BCCL, CCL, ECL, MCL, NCL, SECL & WCL | Members |
| 13. Chairman-cum-Managing Director, Central Mine Planning & Design Instt. Ltd., Gondwana Place, Kanke Road, Ranchi | Member |
| 14. Chairman-cum-Managing Director, SCCL, P.O. Kothagudem Collieries Khammam-507101 | Member |

15. Chairman, Central Electricity Authority, Sewa Bhawan, R.K. Puram New Delhi Member
16. Chairman, NTPC, SCOPE Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003 Member
17. Joint Secretary (CA-III Section), Ministry of Coal Special Invitee
18. Joint Secretary, Ministry of Mines (M-I), Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
19. Chief Engineer, Generation, Bihar State Power Generation Company Limited, 5th Floor, Vidyut Bhawan, Bailey Road, Patna-800021.
20. Asstt.Gen.Manager (PC & E), National Aluminium Company Ltd., NALCO Bhavan, Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar-751061.
21. Member (Technical), Damodar Valley Corporation, DVC Towers, VIP Road, Kolkata-700054.

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19-11-2016
31/8/2016

(Pilli Ravi Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Requests received from NTPC

S.No.	Agenda Point	Status
1.	Special consideration for utilization of coal a/c NTPC, Badarpur TPS to Vindhyachal-V (Unit-13) under the new policy of "Flexible utilization of Domestic coal" till its captive block becomes operational.	Request of NTPC addressed to JS (Thermal), MoP with a copy of MoC were received vide NTPC's letter dated 10.08.2016. It was decided on file that a call on the request may be taken after receipt of recommendation from MoP.
2.	Enhancement of ACQ of Farakka (1600 MW), Khargaon (1840 MW) and Ramagundam-III (500 MW).	Request of MoP for enhancement of ACQ is under submission for seeking comments of CIL. These are pre-2009 TPPs.
3.	Amendment of the recommendation of Condition Precedent, Agenda item No. 2 of SLC (LT) meeting dated 21.06.2016. NTPC has stated that in the SLC(LT) meeting dated 21.06.2016 MoP had requested MoC to consider extension of time period for fulfillment of CP mentioned in clause no. 2.8.2 but final recommendation included only CP clause no. 2.8.2.3 for extension.	Final recommendation included only CP clause no. 2.8.2.3 for extension. The clause 2.8.2 is as below: 2.8.2.1 The Purchaser shall have obtained from the lawful authority all necessary clearances, authorizations, approvals and permissions required for construction, commissioning, operation and maintenance of the Plant. 2.8.2.2 The purchaser shall have completed the construction and the completion of such construction along with readiness of the power plant for lighting up has been certified by an Independent Engineer within the Condition Precedent Period. 2.8.2.3 [Applicable to Purchaser who has signed FSA without entering into long term PPA] The Purchaser shall have to furnish the long term Power Purchase Agreements (PPA) either directly with Distribution Companies (DISCOMs) or through Power Trading Company (ies) (PTC) who has/have signed back to back PPA(s) (long term) with DISCOMs within the Condition Precedent (CP) period as per clause 2.8.3.1.

4.	FSA signing of NTPC projects/JVs likely to be commissioned in FY 2016-17 and onwards.	<p>The request is for the following TPPs:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="1002 232 1667 639"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="1002 232 1092 294">S.No</th> <th data-bbox="1092 232 1466 294">Project</th> <th data-bbox="1466 232 1667 294">Capacity (MW)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td colspan="3" data-bbox="1002 294 1667 330">NTPC Projects:</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1002 330 1092 362">1.</td> <td data-bbox="1092 330 1466 362">Bongaigaon U#3 (1x250)</td> <td data-bbox="1466 330 1667 362">250</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1002 362 1092 393">2.</td> <td data-bbox="1092 362 1466 393">Barh Stage-1 U#2&3</td> <td data-bbox="1466 362 1667 393">1320</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1002 393 1092 424">3.</td> <td data-bbox="1092 393 1466 424">Solapur STPP (2x660 MW)</td> <td data-bbox="1466 393 1667 424">1320</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1002 424 1092 456">4.</td> <td data-bbox="1092 424 1466 456">Mouda Stage-II (2x660 MW)</td> <td data-bbox="1466 424 1667 456">1320</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3" data-bbox="1002 456 1667 492">NTPC JV Projects:</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1002 492 1092 523">5.</td> <td data-bbox="1092 492 1466 523">Nabinagar TPP</td> <td data-bbox="1466 492 1667 523">500</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1002 523 1092 555">6.</td> <td data-bbox="1092 523 1466 555">Meja STPS (2x660 MW)</td> <td data-bbox="1466 523 1667 555">1320</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1002 555 1092 586"></td> <td data-bbox="1092 555 1466 586"></td> <td data-bbox="1466 555 1667 586"></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="1002 586 1092 617">7.</td> <td data-bbox="1092 586 1466 617">Nabinagar STPS (3x660 MW)</td> <td data-bbox="1466 586 1667 617">1980</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	S.No	Project	Capacity (MW)	NTPC Projects:			1.	Bongaigaon U#3 (1x250)	250	2.	Barh Stage-1 U#2&3	1320	3.	Solapur STPP (2x660 MW)	1320	4.	Mouda Stage-II (2x660 MW)	1320	NTPC JV Projects:			5.	Nabinagar TPP	500	6.	Meja STPS (2x660 MW)	1320				7.	Nabinagar STPS (3x660 MW)	1980
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5.	Allocation of Special Bridge Linkage or Long term Coal Linkage for Gadawara (2x800 MW) and Unchahar-IV (1x500 MW) TPP of NTPC	Requests of NTPC addressed to JS (Thermal), MoP with a copy to MoC were received vide its letters dated 18.07.2016. A reply has been sent to NTPC stating that NTPC may apply for Bridge Linkage after the allocation of coal block. NTPC was also intimated that a policy for grant of linkages is under formulation in the Ministry. After meeting existing supply commitments, grant of linkages in future may be considered in terms of policy so finalised.																																	

Requests received from CIL

S.No.	Agenda Point	Status
1.	<p>Recommendation of Bridge Linkage made in the SLC(LT) meeting held on 21.06.2016.</p> <p>CIL has stated that while recommending the Bridge linkage, the source, viz. CIL/SCCL was not mentioned. CIL has stated that it has been presumed that the source is CIL. CIL has requested that the same may be confirmed in this meeting.</p>	<p>CIL has requested that the source may be confirmed in the meeting.</p>
2.	<p>Jhabua Power Limited is a subsidiary of Avanta Power Infrastructure Limited.</p> <p>CIL has stated that SECL vide its letter dated 20.08.2016 to MoC has informed that it came to the knowledge of SECL that M/s Jhabua Power Limited (JPL) is a subsidiary of Avanta Power Infrastructure Limited. The issue was taken up by SECL with M/s JPL for getting the required correction in the name from MoC/CIL. After examining the requisite documents submitted by M/s JPL, SECL in consultation with their Legal Deptt. has decided that M/s JPL is a subsidiary of Avanta Power Infrastructure Limited. CIL has stated that however, since, the subsidiary status of the consumer have been approved by SECL on similar lines as obtained in the case of Lanco Vidarbha Thermal Power Limited (approved by SLC (LT) in its meeting held on 21.06.2016), MoC was requested to do the needful regarding approval of M/s JPL being a subsidiary of Avanta Power Infrastructure Limited. CIL has requested that the same may be deliberated in the SLC (LT) meeting.</p>	<p>Said letter of SECL has been received on 29.08.2016.</p>

Requests received from DVC

S.No.	Agenda Point	Status
1.	DVC vide their letter dated 26.08.2016 addressed to Special Secretary & Chairman SLC (LT) has submitted two separate applications for allotment of bridge linkage for Chandrapura TPS Unit #8 (1 x 250 MW) and Mejia TPS Unit #7 & #8 (2 x 500 MW). In the application it has been stated that Tubed Coal Block has been allotted on 8.6.2016 with Mejia TPS Unit #7 & #8 and Chandrapura TPS Unit #8 which are already commissioned. It has been further stated that Nominated Authority, MoC has communicated that signing of allotment agreement for Tubed Coal Block is expected within 15 th of September, 2016. Demand Draft bearing No.434589 and 434590 dated 24.8.2016 for Rupees Five lakhs each submitted along with the application form.	Comments of MoP & CA-III Section of MoC have been called for. Comments are awaited. DVC has stated that Chandrapura TPS Unit No. 8 commissioned in July, 2011, Mejia TPS Unit No. 7 and 8 commissioned in August 2011 & August 2012 respectively.

Request received from LANCO VIDARBHA Thermal Power Project

S.No.	Agenda Point	Text in the Minutes	Revised text Requested
1.	LANCO Vidarbha Thermal Power Project vide their letter dated 26.08.2016 addressed to Special Secretary & Chairman SLC (LT) has requested for modification of the minutes of the meeting of the SLC (LT) held on 21.6.2016.	The Committee took on the record the SPV issue of the PP. The committee also decided that the view on the request of PP for grant of linkage would be taken when the plant commissioning date neared.	The Committee took on record the SPV issue of the PP based on SECL's confirmation of the SPV Status and completion of LOA milestones. The Committee also decided that the view on the request of PP for grant of FSA would be taken up when the plant commissioning date neared.