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* **IN THE HIGH COURT OF DELHI AT NEW DELHI**
+ W.P.(C) 8902/2024, CM APPL. 36327/2024, CM APPL. 36328/2024
& CM APPL. 13576/2025

MAHANAGAR GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Parag Tripathi, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Saurav Agrawal, Mr. Trinath
Tadakamalla, Ms. Utsha Dasgupta,
Ms. Nisha Bhatia and Mr. Anshuman
Chowdhary, Advocates.

versus

**PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD
AND ANR.**

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.
Mr. Rakesh Kumar, CGSC with Mr.
Vidansh Anand, GP for UOI.

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+ W.P.(C) 10060/2024, CM APPL. 41106/2024 & CM APPL.
13574/2025

INDRAPRASTHA GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Saurav Agrawal and Mr.
Anshuman Chowdhary, Advocates.

versus

**PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD &
ANR.**

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1. Mr. Mr.



Amit Acharya, GP for UOI.

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+ W.P.(C) 15834/2024, CM APPL. 66461/2024, CM APPL. 66462/2024
& CM APPL. 13446/2025

GODAVARI GAS PVT LTD

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Anshuman Chowdhary,
Advocate.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.

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+ W.P.(C) 15835/2024, CM APPL. 66463/2024, CM APPL. 66464/2024
& CM APPL. 13566/2025

GAIL GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Anshuman Chowdhary,
Advocate.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.

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+ W.P.(C) 15836/2024, CM APPL. 66466/2024, CM APPL. 66467/2024
& CM APPL. 13565/2025

RAJASTHAN STATE GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Anshuman Chowdhary,
Advocate.



versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.

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+ W.P.(C) 15837/2024, CM APPL. 66468/2024, CM APPL. 66469/2024
& CM APPL. 13575/2025

GREEN GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Anshuman Chowdhary,
Advocate.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.

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+ W.P.(C) 15923/2024, CM APPL. 66816/2024, CM APPL. 66817/2024
& CM APPL. 13449/2025

HARIDWAR NATURAL GAS PVT LTD

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Anshuman Chowdhary,
Advocate.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL BOARD

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti



Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.

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+ W.P.(C) 15938/2024, CM APPL. 67004/2024, CM APPL. 67005/2024
& CM APPL. 13445/2025

GOA NATURAL GAS PVT LTD

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Anshuman Chowdhary,
Advocate.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.

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+ W.P.(C) 8906/2024, CM APPL. 36343/2024, CM APPL. 36344/2024,
CM APPL. 36345/2024 & CM APPL. 13564/2025

GUJARAT GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Parag Tripathi, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Piyush Joshi, Ms. Sumiti Yadava,
Ms. Chand Chopra, Ms. Vatsala
Bhatia and Ms. Neha Bhupathiraju,
Advocates.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD
THROUGH THE SECRETARY & ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.
Mr. Rakesh Kumar, CGSC with Mr.



Vidansh Anand, GP for UOI.

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+ W.P.(C) 17105/2024, CM APPL. 72501/2024, CM APPL. 72502/2024
& CM APPL.13444/2025

SABARMATI GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Parag Tripathi, Sr. Advocate with
Mr. Piyush Joshi, Ms. Sumiti Yadava,
Ms. Vatsla Bhatia, Ms. Meghna
Sengupta, Ms. Amrita Dwivedi and
Mr. Srinivasan Ramaswamy,
Advocates.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD &
ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.
Ms. Rukhmini Bobde, Mr. Amlaan
Kumar, Mr. Vinayak Aren and Mr.
Jatin Dhamija, Advocates for UOI.

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+ W.P.(C) 17789/2024 & CM APPL. 75755/2024

CENTRAL U.P GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Nishant Gautam, CGSC with Mr.
Vardhman Kaushik, Mr. Vipul Verma
and Mr. Prithviraj Dey, Advocates for
R-1.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD &
ANR.

.....Respondents

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.



Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.

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+ W.P.(C) 103/2025, CM APPL. 412/2025, CM APPL. 413/2025 & CM
APPL. 22281/2025

M/S ASSAM GAS COMPANY LIMITEDPetitioner
Through: Ms. Molshree Bhatnagar and Mr.
Paritosh Bisen, Advocates.
versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD &
ANR.Respondents

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.
Mr. Rakesh Kumar, CGSC with Mr.
Vedansh Anand, GP for UOI.

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+ W.P.(C) 2981/2025, CM APPL. 14110/2025 & CM APPL.
14111/2025

TRIPURA NATURAL GAS COMPANY LIMITEDPetitioner
Through: Mr. N. L. Ganapathi and Mr. Jai
Raina, Advocates.
versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD
.....Respondent
Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG
with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi
Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr.
Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti
Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.



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W.P.(C) 3196/2025 & CM APPL. 14927/2025

VADODARA GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. N. L. Ganapathi and Mr. Jai Raina, Advocates.

versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr. Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.

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W.P.(C) 4055/2025, CM APPL. 18889/2025- & CM APPL. 18890/2025

MAHARASHTRA NATURAL GAS LIMITED

.....Petitioner

Through: Mr. Ramji Srinivasan, Sr. Advocate with Mr. Trinath Tadakamalla, Ms. Utsha Dasgupta, Ms. Nisha Bhatia, Mr. Arjun Bhatia and Ms. Shefali Munde, Advocates.

Versus

PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS REGULATORY BOARD

.....Respondent

Through: Mr. Raghavendra P. Shankar, ASG with Mr. Utkarsh Mishra, Ms. Pallavi Mishra, Mr. Neelabh Bisht, Mr. Suyash Gaur and Ms. Sanskriti Bhardwaj, Advocates for R-1.
Ms. Radhika Bishwajit Dubey, CGSC and Ms. Lavanya Kaushik, GP with Ms. Gurleen Kaur Waraich and Mr. Kritarth Upadhyay, Advocates for R-2.



CORAM:
HON'BLE THE CHIEF JUSTICE
HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE TUSHAR RAO GEDELA

ORDER

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17.04.2025

1. Arguments in this bunch of petitions on behalf of petitioners have commenced.
2. The interim order in terms of the statement made by learned Additional Solicitor General on the earlier occasion shall continue to operate till the next date.
3. The counter affidavit filed by the Board in W.P.(C) 8902/2024 shall be treated as counter affidavit filed in all other connected matters.
4. Rejoinder filed by the petitioner in W.P. (C) 17789/2024 be taken on record.
5. Parties are given liberty to complete pleadings before the next date of hearing.
6. List on 22.04.2025 at 02:30 PM.

DEVENDRA KUMAR UPADHYAYA, CJ

TUSHAR RAO GEDELA, J

APRIL 17, 2025/ DR