



PHD CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON
FUTURE OF CGD IN INDIA
NEW CHALLENGES IN GLOBAL LNG MARKETS

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Government of India in recent years has accorded highest priority in domestic gas supply to City Gas Distribution (CGD) for distribution to domestic household (cooking purpose-PNG domestic) and transport segment (CNG). The industrial and commercial users of CGD network also consume market determined price gas including LNG based on their respective techno commercial consideration. Ministry of Road Transport and Highways has notified LNG as transport fuel, LNG imports have been included under Open General Licensing (OGL) category and also 100% FDI (automatic route) is allowed for establishment of LNG infrastructure, including LNG terminals.



In recent times due to ongoing geopolitical situation gas prices have become extremely volatile and reached all-time highs in 2022. Domestic gas prices are also linked to global gas prices and landed LNG prices in India, which have been volatile and touching all-time high in Global LNG Spot Markets in 2022. Such Volatility pushes back India's Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) commitments under the Paris Agreement and becomes a major impediment in vision of transforming India into a gas based low carbon economy by 2030.

Current geopolitical situation have brought into forefront new and existing challenges such as adequate availability of natural gas through domestic production as well as imports, adequate investments in pipeline, LNG import terminals and CGD infrastructure and even financial support in the form of incentives. Further, it adversely affects India's import bill and current account deficit (CAD) – already deeply impacted by the pandemic – and puts the nation's energy security at risk, making it a matter of urgency for the government to explore new avenues of sourcing natural gas for the country.

Against this dynamic background, PHD Chamber is organizing a **National Conference on “Future of CGD in India – New Challenges in Global LNG Markets” on 28th July, 2022 at 10:00 a.m., PHD House, New Delhi.** The objective of this conference is to analyse the recent trends, developments, challenges and opportunities in the CGD sector. The conference will also provide a platform to showcase new technologies, best practices and noteworthy projects.

A large number of delegates from Industry, senior officials of Central and State Governments, Senior Industrialists, Technology providers, Investors, Policy Makers, Thought Leaders, Financial Institutions etc. are expected to attend the event.

I feel honored in inviting you to join the Conference or nominate senior officials from your organization to attend the same. Your presence and inputs will greatly enrich the deliberations.

Regards,

Dr. Jatinder Singh
Assistant Secretary General
PHDCCI

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

CURRENT SCENARIO	GOVERNMENT INITIATIVES POLICY & REGULATORY FRAMEWORK
CGD INFRASTRUCTURE	PRESENT DEMAND & SUPPLY
CITY GAS DISTRIBUTION KEY ISSUES, CHALLENGES & OPPORTUNITIES	INVESTMENTS AIDING THE DOWNSTREAM SECTOR & DIGITISAZION & TECHNOLOGY

KEY TAKE AWAYS

- Networking opportunities with Industry Experts, Government Officials, Policy Makers & Senior Management from top industries (Speakers & Delegates)
- B2G & B2B Interaction Opportunities.
- Latest perspectives, challenges & practical suggestions by Industry Experts.
- The way forward & future outlook by PNGRB
- Latest Technology & Digitisation – Role as a Catalyst in the City Gas Distribution

BROAD AGENDA OUTLOOK

KEY NOTE SESSION

Current Scenario of the Industry, their Achievements and Overview of Government Initiatives & Policies

TECHNICAL SESSION I CITY GAS DISTRIBUTION

- Detailed Discussion on Current Infrastructure
- Meeting the Current Demand v/s Supply
- Issues, Challenges and Opportunities faced by the Industry Comprehensive Discussion

TECHNICAL SESSION I I TECHNOLOGY INTERVENTION

- Emerging New Technologies
- Need for Automation and faster implementation of technology in the gas Sector
- Advancement of Technology

TARGET AUDIENCE

- City gas Operators
- Industrial consumers
- Technology providers
- Engineering and design firms
- Gas marketers/suppliers
- System Integrators
- Meter manufacturers
- Material technology providers
- Policymakers and regulators
- Software Companies/IT solution providers (SCADA, GIS, ERP, etc.)
- Network Management Companies
- Consulting firms
- Cyber Security Solution Providers
- Natural gas producers

PREVIOUS SPEAKERS & PARTICIPANTS

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- Full payment must be received prior to the Conclave.
- Registration fee includes all documentation, lunch, tea/coffee and the Conclave.
- Payments for “discounted” registrations should come in before the last date of specified discount.
- Delegate Fee is non refundable. However, changes in nominations are acceptable and prior registration is mandatory.
- The Conference is a non residential programme.

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