GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

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OFFICE ORDER

In pursuance of section 4(2) of the Petroleum & Natural Gas Regulatory Board Act, 2006, the following Search Committee is hereby constituted for the purposes of selecting the Chairperson and other members of the Board and for preparing a panel of persons to be considered for appointment as the Technical Member (Petroleum and Natural Gas) of the Appellate Tribunal -

- (i) Member, Planning Commission in charge of the energy sector Chairperson;
- (ii) Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas
 Member;
- (iii) Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Finance, Department of Economic Affairs Member;
- (iv) Secretary to the Government of India in charge of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry Member, and
- (v) Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law and Justice Member.
- 2. The Committee may devise its own procedure for selecting the Chairperson and other members of the Board and for preparing a panel of persons for appointment as the Technical Member (Petroleum and Natural Gas) of the Appellate Tribunal. The Committee may make its recommendations available to the Government as soon as possible. The Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas will provide the necessary secretarial assistance to the Committee.

(Ajay Tyagi)
Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India

- 1) Member, Planning Commission, in charge of the energy sector
- 2) Secretary, Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas
- 3) Secretary, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance
- 4) Secretary, Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry
- 5) Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law and Justice