



# CODE OF PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES FOR FAIR DISCLOSURES

**OF** 

#### UNPUBLISHED PRICE SENSITIVE INFORMATION

[under Regulation 8(1) of the

Securities and Exchange Board of India (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015]



#### I. Preamble

The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), in its endeavor has set out new regulations for prohibition of insider trading i.e. SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 ('Regulations'), to protect the interests of stakeholders and to avoid the misuse of the Unpublished Price Sensitive Information in the day to day business affairs.

The Board of Directors ("Board") of Indraprastha Gas Limited ('IGL' or 'Company') has pursuant to Regulations adopted the following Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosures of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information ("Code").

This Code has been formulated in compliance with the SEBI (Prohibition of Insider Trading) Regulations, 2015 ("Regulations") and is effective from May 15, 2015.

#### II. Objective of the Code

The Code is required for the Company to prevent the misuse and ensure timely and adequate disclosure of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information ('UPSI') and to maintain the uniformity, transparency and fairness in dealing with the stakeholders.

#### III. Overseeing and Co-ordinating Disclosure

Company Secretary shall be responsible for prompt public disclosure of UPSI i.e. to Stock Exchanges that would impact price discovery, so as to ensure uniform and universal dissemination of UPSI to avoid selective disclosure.

In the event of inadvertent selective disclosure of UPSI, prompt action will be taken to ensure such information is generally available.

UPSI shall be handled on a "need to know" basis i.e. will be disclosed only who need the information to discharge their duty.

#### **IV. Responding to Market Rumours**

Company Secretary of the Company shall promptly deal with any query or request for verification of market rumours received from stock exchanges/ regulatory bodies.



## V. Disclosure/Dissemination of UPSI with Special Reference To Analysts and Institutional Investors

Head of Finance Department who will act as Chief Investor Relations Officer /Concerned Official(s) only shall disclose any information (which will not be UPSI) relating to the Company's Securities to Institutional Investors & Analysts.

### VI. Manner of dealing with analyst and institutional investors

- (i) Only Public information to be provided
  - The Company shall provide only public information to the analyst/research persons/large investors like institutional investor. Alternatively, the information given to the analyst should be simultaneously made public at the earliest.
- (ii) Handling of unanticipated questions –

The Company should be careful when dealing with analysts' questions that raise issues outside the intended scope of discussion. Unanticipated questions may be taken on notice and a considered response given later. If the answer includes UPSI, a public announcement if considered necessary, should be made before responding.

#### VII. Principles of Fair Disclosure

Principles of Fair Disclosure for purposes of Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of UPSI forms part of as set out in Schedule A of Regulations (**Annex-1**) forms part of Principle for Fair Disclosures.



Annex-1

#### SCHEDULE A

Principles of Fair Disclosure for purposes of Code of Practices and Procedures for Fair Disclosure of Unpublished Price Sensitive Information

- 1) Prompt public disclosure of unpublished price sensitive information that would impact price discovery no sooner than credible and concrete information comes into being in order to make such information generally available.
- 2) Uniform and universal dissemination of unpublished price sensitive unpublished price sensitive information to avoid selective disclosure.
- 3) Designation of a senior officer as a chief investor relations officer to deal with dissemination of information and disclosure of unpublished price sensitive information.
- 4) Prompt dissemination of unpublished price sensitive information that gets disclosed selectively, inadvertently or otherwise to make such information generally available.
- 5) Appropriate and fair response to queries on news reports and requests for verification of market rumours by regulatory authorities.
- 6) Ensuring that information shared with analysts and research personnel is not unpublished price sensitive information.
- 7) Developing best practices to make transcripts or records of proceedings of meetings with analysts and other investor relations conferences on the official website to ensure official confirmation and documentation of disclosures made.
- 8) Handling of all unpublished price sensitive information on a need-to-know basis