



GAIL's proactive stance in mitigating climate change

The board of directors of GAIL, on June 28, 2024, accorded approval to advance its 'net zero' target for Scope 1 and 2 emissions by five years, from the year 2040 to 2035. This decision follows an extensive study undertaken by GAIL to enhance its sustainability goals. It aligns with India's broader net zero commitments. GAIL plans to achieve this ambitious goal through a strategic approach involving electrification of NG-based equipment, renewable energy, battery energy storage systems (BESS), compressed biogas (CBG), green hydrogen, CO2 valorisation initiatives and afforestation. Sandeep Kumar Gupta, C&MD, mentioned that GAIL as such is in the business of marketing and transmission of natural gas, a cleaner fuel that aids in reducing emissions. R. K. Singhal, Director (BD), speaking on the occasion, emphasised GAIL's sustained and focussed efforts towards realising these targets, highlighting the

company's pivotal role in the energy sector's transition towards sustainability.