File No. CCT-17012/4/2026-Part(1)

Government of India

Ministry of Coal

(CCT Section)

*****

GPOA 3, 4th Floor, Netaji Nagar,

New Delhi, Dated 10 November, 2026.

NOTICE

Sub: Schedule for Round-3 Application Process - Scheme for Promotion of Surface Coal/Lignite Gasification Projects (₹ 37,500 Crore) -Reg.

In continuation of the **Request for Proposal (RFP)** for **Round-3** issued on **10.11.2026** under the Scheme for Promotion of Surface Coal/Lignite Gasification Projects (₹37,500 Crore), the timelines for submission and processing of applications are hereby notified as follows:

Sl. No	Event Description for Round 3	Date	Day
1.	RFP Issuance Date	10.11.2026	Tuesday
2.	Pre-Application Conference	20.11.2026	Friday
3.	Last Date for Receipt of Queries	25.11.2026	Wednesday
4.	MoC Response to Queries	04.12.2026	Friday
5.	**Application Due Date (Round 3 Closes)**	**11.01.2027**	**Monday**
6.	Opening of Applications	12.01.2027	Tuesday
7.	Declaration of the Selected Applicant	23.02.2027	Tuesday
8.	Issuance of Letter of Award (LoA)	09.03.2027	Tuesday
9.	Signing of Project Agreement	07.05.2027	Friday

**The above timelines are tentative and subject to change.*

***Any changes will be communicated through the Ministry of Coal's website or MSTC portal (https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/coalgasnew/index.jsp).*

Digitally signed by
LEIVANG KHAMMINTHANG
Date: 10-11-2026
10:17:25

(L.Khamminthang)

Under Secretary to the Government of India