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**Godawari Power & Ispat Limited awards contract to John Cockerill India Limited for 6 Hi Reversible Cold Rolling Mill at Tilda, Raipur**



**Godawari Power and Ispat Ltd. (GPIL)**, one of India's leading steel producers for over two decades, operates integrated facilities spanning DRI, blast furnaces, power generation, and has established itself as a leader in the long products segment.

As part of its ambitious expansion strategy, GPIL is setting up a **2 MTPA greenfield integrated steel plant**, which will feature a **state-of-the-art 6-Hi Reversible Cold Rolling Mill (CRM)**.

GPIL has entrusted **John Cockerill India Limited (JCIL)** with the contract for the engineering, design, manufacture, and supply of this mill. The scope also includes supervision of erection and commissioning, ensuring full contractual performance guarantees.

The **new Cold Rolling Mill (CRM)** will have an **annual capacity of 300,000 tonnes**, capable of processing strip widths up to 1,500 mm and producing output thicknesses ranging from 2.0 mm down to 0.15 mm, at speeds of up to 1,400 mpm. This state-of-the-art mill will be equipped with the latest rolling technology and an **advanced mill management system** to ensure **superior strip quality at optimized operating costs**.

The project will be executed at JCIL's state-of-the-art manufacturing facility in Taloja near Mumbai, supported by its expert engineering team and complemented with high-quality components from reputed global suppliers.

“This order reflects GPIL’s confidence in our technology, engineering expertise, and long-standing legacy in cold rolling,” said **Frédéric Martin, Managing Director, John Cockerill India Limited**.

“At GPIL, we are committed to advancing sustainable steelmaking and processing practices while strengthening efficiency and quality,” said **Mr. Anil Mittal, Chief Operating Officer, Godawari Power & Ispat Ltd.**

With this contract, John Cockerill India Limited further consolidates its position as a trusted partner to the Indian steel industry, delivering innovative, high-performance, and environmentally responsible solutions. Backed by over four decades of expertise, JCIL has been a pioneer in cold rolling technology since 1980, credited with introducing several first-of-its-kind indigenously developed mills in India. Having successfully delivered more than 100 customised cold rolling mills worldwide and around 70 mills currently operating in leading steel processing plants across India, JCIL continues to set industry benchmarks in innovation, engineering excellence, and reliability.

### **About John Cockerill India Limited**

‘John Cockerill India Limited.’ John Cockerill Industry’s Indian hub and center of excellence for cold rolling mill complexes, is the world leader in the conception, manufacture, and installation of reversible cold rolling mills. It has developed a wide range of technologies in the field of processing lines, rolling mills, thermal and chemical processes. It also supplies auxiliary steel treatment equipment. John Cockerill India offers the entire product portfolio of John Cockerill Industry and is coordinating the whole range of its activities including, but not limited to local engineering, sourcing and manufacturing. As an international specialist in industrial processes and technologies, John Cockerill Industry designs, supplies and modernizes cold rolling mills, processing lines, chemical and thermal treatment installations for the steel and the non-ferrous industry, as well as state-of-the-art heat treatment technologies for the aviation, forging and casting industry, and hydrometallurgical processes for the extraction of ores.

John Cockerill India complements John Cockerill’s strategy for growth with minimal overlaps in products and a versatile range of technology synergies. John Cockerill India is a preferred partner to supply of innovative solutions for clean, reliable and efficient equipments worldwide.

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### **About John Cockerill**

Driven since 1817 by the entrepreneurial spirit and thirst for innovation of its founder, the John Cockerill Group develops large-scale technological solutions to meet the needs of its time: facilitating access to fossil free energies, enabling sustainable industrial production, preserving natural resources, contributing to greener mobility, enhancing security and installing critical infrastructures. Its offer to companies, States and communities consists of services and associated equipment for the sectors of energy, defense, industry, hydrogen, environment, transports, and infrastructures. With over 6,000 employees, John Cockerill achieved a turnover of € 1.4 billion in 2024 in 29 countries, on 5 continents.

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