

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
RAJYA SABHA
QUESTION NO 09.11.2010
ANSWERED ON
SUBSIDIZED GAS CONNECTIONS IN RURAL AREAS .

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Shri Sanjay Raut

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :-

- (a) whether Government is considering any proposal to provide gas connections to poor families in rural areas ;
- (b) if so, the details thereof ;
- (c) whether Government has set any target for providing subsidized gas connections to the poor families in rural areas ; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof ?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

(SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

(a) to (d) : A proposal for providing one time financial assistance to Below Poverty Line (BPL) families for acquiring new LPG connection is under active consideration.