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RAJYA SABHA
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Production and development of IOCL Barauni (Bihar)

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Will the Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas be pleased to state:

- (a) the total capacity of IOCL, Barauni in Bihar;
- (b) the reasons for not achieving optimum capacity;
- (c) whether it has been following its own sustainability development recommendations; and
- (d) whether it is a fact that production and development of IOCL is effected by certain top officials?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a) to (d) The crude oil processing capacity of IOCL-Barauni Refinery at present is 6.0 Million Metric Tonnes per Annum (MMPTA). IOCL-Barauni Refinery has achieved/exceeded design optimum total crude oil capacity in last 10 years barring COVID period when product demand was low.

IOCL-Barauni Refinery has been following sustainability development initiatives which includes re-utilization of water treated from Effluent Treatment Plant, Energy Management System, Rainwater Harvesting, Renewable Energy generation, developing green belts by tree plantation, etc.
