## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1250 ANSWERED ON 31.07.2023

## **E20 PETROL OUTLETS IN THE COUNTRY**

#### 1250. SHRI SANJEEV ARORA:

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

- (a) the update on ethanol mixing in the country; and
- (b) the number of E20 petrol retail outlets in the country, State/UT-wise details thereof?

## **ANSWER**

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

(a) to (b): Under the Ethanol Blended Petrol (EBP) Programme, ethanol blended petrol is being sold across all States of the country as per availability of ethanol. The target of 10% ethanol blending set in the 'Roadmap for Ethanol Blending in India 2020-25' for Ethanol Supply Year 2021-22 has already been achieved. Currently, the overall blending percentage as on 23.07.2023 is 11.77% and Oil Marketing Companies have started selling E20 (20% ethanol blended) petrol in more than 1600 retail outlets across the country. The State/UT wise details of E20 retail outlets are at **Annexure**.

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ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a)&(b) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1250 FOR 31.07.2023 REGARDING 'E20 PETROL OUTLETS IN THE COUNTRY'.

## State/UT-wise details of E20 retail outlets

Sl. No.	States/UTs	No. of E20 retail outlets
1	Andhra Pradesh	60
2	Assam	1
3	Bihar	41
4	Chandigarh	4
5	Chhattisgarh	17
6	Daman Diu & Dadra Nagar Haveli	4
7	Delhi	43
8	Goa	6
9	Gujarat	93
10	Himachal Pradesh	07
11	Haryana	129
12	Jammu & Kashmir	10
13	Jharkhand	20
14	Karnataka	82
15	Kerala	52
16	Maharashtra	218
17	Meghalaya	5
18	Madhya Pradesh	104
19	Orissa	14
20	Punjab	166
21	Puducherry	6
22	Rajasthan	69
23	Telangana	49
24	Tamil Nadu	154
25	Uttar Pradesh	180
26	Uttarakhand	25
27	West Bengal	52
	Total	1611

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