# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS

## **RAJYA SABHA**

### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1728**

ANSWERED ON- 04/08/2025

#### STATUS OF BARMER REFINERY PROJECT

#### 1728 # SHRI MADAN RATHORE:

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

- (a) the current progress of the Barmer refinery project;
- (b) the expenditure incurred and the number of jobs created so far;
- (c) whether any environmental and social impact assessment has been done; and
- (d) the expected timeline for completing the project?

#### **ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SURESH GOPI)

(a) to (d) As of 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2025, the HPCL Rajasthan Refinery Limited (HRRL) project in Barmer is in advance stage of completion, with units such as Crude Distillation Unit (CDU), Diesel Hydro-Treating Unit (DHDT), Hydrogen Generation Unit (HGU), Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) etc. already mechanically complete. The total expenditure for the project as of 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2025 is ₹59,287 Crores. The project is presently engaging approximately 30,000 to 35,000 contractual manpower on a daily basis and has employed 397 officers on the permanent rolls of HRRL. Environmental and Social Impact Assessment of the project have been done. The overall mechanical completion of the project is scheduled for 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2026.

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