

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 326

TO BE ANSWERED ON 8TH DECEMBER, 2022

City Gas Distribution Network

326. SHRI N. REDDEPPA:

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

(a) the details of Geographical Areas (GAs) and Authorised Entities for the development of City Gas Distribution (CGD) networks in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) the current status of development of City Gas Distribution Networks against the targets specified, Geographical Area-wise;

(c) the total number of households connected to PNG in Andhra Pradesh, Geographical Area-wise; and

(d) whether there is any delay in the development of City Gas Distribution Networks and if so, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैसमंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री
(श्री रामेश्वर तेली)

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

(a) to (d): Providing Piped Natural Gas (PNG) connections and establishment of Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) stations, are part of development of City Gas Distribution (CGD) network and the same is carried out by the entities authorized by the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB). After completion of 11th CGD bidding round, the entire State of Andhra Pradesh has been covered under CGD network. The authorized entities (including 1 Geographical Area spread over Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka and Tamil Nadu) have a Minimum Work Plan (MWP) of establishing 987 CNG stations and 98,91,912 PNG connections over the next 8-10 years. The development of CGD network, including commissioning of CNG Stations and providing PNG connections are carried out by the CGD entities as per the MWP targets provided by the PNGRB and the techno-commercial feasibility. As on 30.9.2022, 172 CNG stations and 2,39,730 PNG connections have been established. Details of CNG stations and PNG connections and MWP target, GA wise, in the state of Andhra Pradesh are at Annexure.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 326 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.12.2022 REGARDING CITY GAS DISTRIBUTION NETWORK.

Details of CNG stations and PNG Connection in the state of Andhra Pradesh

| Sl. No. | Geographical Area | State | Authorised entities CGD | CNG Stations | | | PNG Connections | | |
|---------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | | | | MWP Target | MWP Target till 30.9.2022 | MWP Target achieved till 30.9.2022 | MWP Target | MWP Target till 30.9.2022 | MWP Target achieved till 30.9.2022 |
| 1 | Kakinada | Andhra Pradesh | Bhagyanagar Gas Limited | 9 | 9 | 13 | 50000 | 50000 | 63771 |
| 2 | East Godavari District (EAAA) | Andhra Pradesh | Godavari Gas Private Limited | NA | NA | 16 | 60934 | 60934 | 49809 |
| 3 | West Godavari District | Andhra Pradesh | Godavari Gas Private Limited | NA | NA | 16 | 54576 | 54576 | 51115 |
| 4 | Krishna District (EAAA) | Andhra Pradesh | Megha Engineering & Infrastructure Limited | NA | NA | 23 | 50837 | 50837 | 21331 |
| 5 | Srikakulam, Visakhapatnam & Vizianagaram Districts | Andhra Pradesh | Indian Oil Corporation Limited | 211 | 16 | 10 | 929842 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 | Anantapur and YSR (Kadapa) Districts | Andhra Pradesh | AGP City Gas Private Limited | 134 | 0 | 19 | 1001101 | 25028 | 0 |
| 7 | Sri PottiSriramulu Nellore District | Andhra Pradesh | AGP City Gas Private Limited | 81 | 0 | 13 | 852111 | 21303 | 0 |
| 8 | Chittoor, Kolar and Vellore Districts | Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka & Tamil Nadu | AGP City Gas Private Limited | 251 | 0 | 28 | 2295933 | 0 | 18 |
| 9 | Kurnool, Guntur, and Prakasam districts | Andhra Pradesh | Indian Oil Corporation Limited | 301 | 0 | 0 | 4499311 | 0 | 0 |
| 10 | Vijaywada | Andhra Pradesh | Bhagyanagar Gas Limited | NA | NA | 34 | 97267 | 97267 | 53686 |
| Total | | | | 987 | 25 | 172 | 98,91,912 | 359944 | 2,39,730 |

Source: PNGRB