LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1156 TO BE ANSWERED ON 9th FEBRUARY, 2023

LPG CONSUMERS

1156. SHRI KULDEEP RAI SHARMA:

पेट्रोलियम एवं प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) the total number of LPG consumers in terms of percentage of total population of the country, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has been able to meet the requirement of LPG cylinders in Andaman and Nicobar Islands;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the steps being taken by the Government to enhance the number of LPG distributors to meet the demand of LPG cylinders; and
- (d) whether the Government proposes to provide LPG connection to all the families in Andaman & Nicobar Islands and if so, the steps taken by the Union Government in this regard?

ANSWER

पेट्रोलियम एवं प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्यमंत्री (श्री रामेश्वर तेली) MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

- (a) As on 01.01.2023, there are 31.37 crore domestic LPG consumers across the country covering 105.4% of estimated households based on census 2011. State-wise details are at **Annexure**.
- (b) to (d) Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies(OMCs) have reported that total demand in Andaman & Nicobar Islands in 2020-21 and 2021-22 was 11.08 and 12.05 TMT respectively. Total estimated number of Households in Andman & Nicobar Islands is 1.01 lakh and presently there are 1.22 lakh LPG consumers which includes 13447 PMUY beneficiaries. LPG requirements of the Union Territory is fully met from the bottling Plant at Port Blair with a storage capacity of 900 MT and 9 LPG distributors in Andaman & Nicobar Islands.

Annexure referred to in part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1156 to be answered on 09.02.2023 regarding "LPG Consumers" asked by Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma		
STATE/UT	Domestic LPG Customers of OMCs (in lakh)	LPG Coverage as per customers (Based on estimated no. of Households)
CHANDIGARH	2.93	103.4%
DELHI	52.69	126.1%
HARYANA	75.89	130.2%
HIMACHAL PRADESH	21.44	126.0%
UT of J & K	35.09	138.8%
UT of LADAKH	0.94	187.6%
PUNJAB	93.12	147.8%
RAJASTHAN	175.79	111.6%
UTTAR PRADESH	462.77	113.4%
UTTRAKHAND	29.91	122.5%
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	1.22	121.3%
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	3.07	89.7%
ASSAM	83.53	109.1%
BIHAR	214.74	87.2%
JHARKHAND	62.70	80.2%
MANIPUR	6.54	105.8%
MEGHALAYA	4.01	56.1%
MIZORAM	3.40	120.4%
NAGALAND	3.31	83.3%
ODISHA	96.96	86.1%
SIKKIM	1.70	114.8%
TRIPURA	7.87	79.4%
WEST BENGAL	267.37	114.5%
CHATTISGARH	59.01	82.8%
DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI and DAMAN & DIU	1.68	76.2%
GOA	5.48	154.8%
GUJARAT	120.53	80.5%
MADHYA PRADESH	166.78	89.8%
MAHARASHTRA	304.12	107.3%
ANDHRA PRADESH	149.32	104.8%
KARNATAKA	178.39	114.3%
KERALA	94.89	116.2%
LAKSHADWEEP	0.11	94.8%
PUDUCHERRY	3.92	97.7%
TAMILNADU	226.06	103.2%
TELANGANA	119.84	125.9%
ALL INDIA	3137.1	105.4%

Source :-IOCL on behalf of Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies