

**LOK SABHA**  
**STARRED QUESTION NO. 108**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.02.2020**  
**Jagdishpur-Haldia Gas Pipeline Project**

†\*108. **SHRI BAIDYANATH PRASAD MAHTO:**

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) the present status of the project for construction of gas pipeline from Jagdishpur in Uttar Pradesh to Haldia in West Bengal;
- (b) whether the work on this ambitious project has been started by the Gas Authority of India Limited (GAIL), if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the said pipeline is proposed to be constructed via Gorakhpur and West Champaran district of Bihar; and
- (d) if so, the names of the locations in Champaran through which the said gas pipeline will pass through?

**ANSWER**

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(श्री धर्मेन्द्र प्रधान)

**MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS**  
**(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)**

(a) to (d) : A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. \*108 ASKED BY SHRI BAIDYANATH PRASAD MAHTO, MP TO BE ANSWERED ON FEBRUARY 10, 2020.**

(a) to (d): GAIL (India) Ltd. is implementing Jagdishpur-Haldia-Bokaro-Dhamra Pipeline (JHBDPL) Project (2655 km.) with approved cost of Rs. 12,940 crore which includes Rs. 5,176 crore, as viability gap funding/capital grant by Government of India. It shall connect Haldia in West Bengal, in addition to Dhamra, Paradip, Gorakhpur, Varanasi, Patna, Gaya, Ranchi, Jamshedpur, Bokaro etc. with existing gas grid.

Section-I of the JHBDPL Project connecting Phulpur (in Uttar Pradesh) to Dobhi, Gaya (in Bihar) is completed and has spurlines to link Varanasi, Gorakhpur, Patna and Barauni. The pipeline passing through Patna is approximately 215 Km from West Champaran District of Bihar. Project activities of the other sections of the JHBDPL project are at various stages of execution.