

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1777
TO BE ANSWERED ON 2ND MARCH, 2020

Strategic Oil Storage Capacity

1777. SHRIMATI DARSHANA VIKRAM JARDOSH:

पैट्रो लयम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to refer to the reply given to Starred Question No. 213 on 14.12.2015 regarding Part-C and Part-D and state :

- (a) the progress made till date in the construction of strategic oil storage capacity in Rajkot of Gujarat;
- (b) the time by which it is likely to be completed;
- (c) whether the Government of Gujarat has been or is being contacted in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor for not taking action in this regard?

ANSWER

पैट्रो लयम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में मंत्री (श्री धर्मेन्द्र प्रधान)
THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) to (e): Under Phase II of Strategic Petroleum Reserve (SPR) programme, the Government has given “In Principle” approval in June 2018 for establishing 6.5 MMT Strategic Petroleum Reserves only at two locations namely Chandikhol in Odisha and Padur in Karnataka. The location of Rajkot has not been approved.
