LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4141 TO BE ANSWERED ON 22ND MARCH, 2021

Allocation of Kerosene

SHRI MANICKAM TAGORE B.: 4141.

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) whether the Government has stopped allocation of kerosene under Public **Distribution System (PDS) to States**;
- if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; (b)
- (c) whether the Government has also received representations from State Governments to include allocation of kerosene and other essential commodities under PDS; and
- if so, the details thereof and response of the Government thereto? (d)

ANSWER पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री (श्री धर्मेंद्र प्रधान)

MINISTER OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) to (d) No Sir, the allocation of PDS Kerosene made in last two years and current year is as under:

Year	PDS Kerosene allocation in KL	% REDUCTION
2018-19	4432994	11.62
2019-20	3121328	29.59
2020-21	2315008	25.83
