

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4285
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22nd MARCH, 2021

Gas Share in Energy Mix

4285. SHRIMATI RAKSHA NIKHIL KHADSE:

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

(a) whether the Government proposes to increase gas share from presently 6% for the energy mix to merge domestic production and consumption with global supply chains, and aims to transform India into a global manufacturing hub of the 21st century, if so, the details thereof; and

(b) the details of the purpose, if any, to develop One Nation One Grid?

ANSWER

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(श्रीधर्मेन्द्र प्रधान)

MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) Yes Sir. The Government proposes to increase the share of natural gas in primary energy mix from 6.3% to 15%. In this regard steps are being taken to boost domestic production and also procure LNG.

(b) Further steps are being taken to develop Natural Gas infrastructure i.e. LNG Terminals, National Gas Grid, City Gas Distribution (CGD) network in the country for supply of cleaner fuel and expansion of gas market in the country. The existing and upcoming pipelines will form a national Gas Grid/One Nation One Grid in the country based on techno commercial feasibility of pipelines being laid.
