

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2005**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 9<sup>th</sup> December, 2021**

**LNG Terminal**

2005. SHRI KALYAN BANERJEE :

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) whether the Government has given its nod to set up Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) terminal at Kukrahati along the river Hooghly for storage and re-gasification of LNG;
- (b) if so, the details of project and its commercial commission therein; and
- (c) the present status of the 348-kilometer pipeline from Dobhi in Bihar to Durgapur of West Bengal under Pradhan Mantri Urja Ganga project to supply natural gas with completion details thereof?

**ANSWER**

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री  
(श्री रामेश्वर तेली)

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS**  
**(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)**

- (a) & (b) No Sir. Under provisions of Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB) Act, establishment of Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) terminal does not require Government of India's approval.
- (c) The 348-kilometer pipeline from Dobhi in Bihar to Durgapur in West Bengal is part of Jagdishpur-Haldia & Bokaro-Dhamra Pipeline (JHBDPL) project, popularly known as "Pradhan Mantri Urja Ganga Project" which has been commissioned and dedicated to the nation by Hon'ble Prime Minister on 07.02.2021.

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