## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1509 TO BE ANSWERED ON 10<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2022

### **Diesel and Petrol Price Hike**

#### 1509. SHRI ANTO ANTONY:

# पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

(a) whether the Government has intervened to stop the price rise of petrol and diesel in the country and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the price of petrol and diesel has not gone up during the last one and half months as per the price of international markets, if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government has any statistics regarding revenue generated through the sale of petrol and diesel;

(d) if so, the details of revenue generation during the last twelve months, month-wise;

(e) whether the Government has any statistics regarding consumption of petrol and diesel in the country; and

(f) if so, the details of consumption during the last twelve months, month-wise?

### 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): Prices of petrol and diesel have been market-determined with effect from 26.06.2010 and 19.10.2014 respectively. Since then, the Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) take appropriate decisions on pricing of petrol and diesel in line with their international product prices, exchange rate, tax structure, inland freight and other cost elements.

(c) & (d): The details of revenue generation during the last twelve months, month-wise are given below:

S.No.	Month	Total Excise revenue for Petrol and Diesel (in Rs. Crore)						
1	January,2021	36,649						
2	February, 2021	34,049						
3	March, 2021	37,307						
4	April, 2021	35,038						
5	May, 2021	28,780						
6	June, 2021	30,362						
7	July, 2021	34,733						
8	August, 2021	31,833						
9	September, 2021	30,439						
10	October, 2021	35,220						
11	November, 2021	27,043						
12	December, 2021	27,564						

Source: Ministry of Finance.

(e) & (f): The details of consumption of Petrol and Diesel during January, 2021 to December, 2021 are given below:

(Quantity in TMT: (P))

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Products	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Petrol	2611	2472	2740	2386	1991	2409	2630	2692	2598	2750	2646	2816
Diesel	6806	6569	7225	6676	5533	6195	6135	5609	5516	6618	6507	7305

(P): Provisional, Source : Petroleum Planning and Analysis Cell (PPAC)

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