LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No.2778 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08thAugust, 2024

City Gas Distribution Projects in Rajasthan

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पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

(a) whether the Government proposes to ensure consumption of gas produced in Rajasthan locally by developing city gas distribution projects in 20 districts falling under 11 notified geographical areas in the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) the names of the cities and villages of Rajasthan where gas is being supplied through pipeline at present and the relevant details thereof?

ANSWER

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्यमंत्री (श्री सुरेशगोपी)

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SURESH GOPI)

(a) to (d) Government allocates domestic Administered Pricing Mechanism (APM) gas for supply to all Geographical Areas (GAs) authorized by PNGRB. Gas produced from fields across the country form part of national resource which is suitably allocated as per the Government policy on commercial utilization of natural gas. Providing Piped Natural Gas (PNG) connections and establishment of Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) stations, are part of development of City Gas Distribution (CGD) network and the same is carried out by the entities authorized by the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB). After completion of 12/12A CGD bidding round, PNGRB has authorised 17 Geographical Areas (GAs) (including 2 GA spread over Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan & 1 GA spread over Uttar Pradesh & Rajasthan) covering all the districts in the state of Rajasthan. As on 31.05.2024, the entities have provided approx 3.51 lakh PNG (Domestic) connections and 26,462 Inch-kilometer of Steel and MDPE pipeline has been laid to households across various GAs in the State. GA-wise details of CGD Projects in Rajasthan are at **Annexure**.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2778 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.08.2024 REGARDING CITY GAS DISTRIBUTION PROJECTS IN RAJASTHAN.

Sl No.	Geographical Area/ CGD Networks	State/Union Territory	PNG Domestic Connections	CNG Stations	Pipeline Infrastructure- Inch KM
1.	Kota	Rajasthan	38473	10	2151
2.	Barmer, Jaisalmer& Jodhpur Districts	Rajasthan	50945	39	3143
3.	Alwar (Other than Bhiwadi) & Jaipur Districts	Rajasthan	4536	55	3279
4.	Kota District (EAAA), Baran&Chittorgarh (Only RawatbhataTaluka) Districts	Rajasthan	2746	16	1249
5.	Bhilwara&Bundi Districts	Rajasthan	1202	17	605
6.	Chittorgarh (Other than RawatbhataTaluka) & Udaipur Districts	Rajasthan	4156	38	1989
7.	Dholpur District	Rajasthan	841	8	360
8.	Jhabua, Banswara, Ratlam and Dungarpur Districts	Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan	1011	31	970
9.	Ajmer, Pali and Rajsamand Districts	Rajasthan	204212	68	6234
10.	Jalore and Sirohi Districts	Rajasthan	7741	30	1838
11.	Agar Malwa, Neemuch, Mandsaur and Jhalawar districts	Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan	0	4	119
12.	Fazilka (except area already authorized), Ganganagar and Hanumangarh districts	Punjab & Rajasthan	5059	19	25
13.	Bikaner and Churu districts	Rajasthan	0	9	0
14.	Jhunjhunu, Sikar and Nagaur districts	Rajasthan	1641	14	400
15.	Dausa, Karauli, SawaiMadhopur and Tonk districts	Rajasthan	225	14	439
16.	Bhiwadi (in Alwar District)	Rajasthan	5462	4	1066
17.	Firozabad (Taj Trapezium Zone)	Uttar Pradesh & Rajasthan	23196	46	2598
	Total			422	26,462

(GA-wise details of CGD Projects in Rajasthan)