

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 477
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25 JULY, 2024

CSR Funds Spent by ONGC in Bihar

477 SHRI RAJESH VERMA :

पेट्रोलियम एवं प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware about the total CSR fund spent by ONGC during the last five years and if so, the details thereof, State, district, fund and project-wise;
- (b) whether the Government is aware about the total CSR fund spent by the ONGC in Bihar, specifically in the Khagaria, Samastipur and Saharsa districts of Bihar during the last five financial years; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्यमंत्री
(श्री सुरेश गोपी)

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

- (a) Oil & Gas Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) undertake CSR activities under the heads identified under Schedule VII of the Companies Act, 2013 with special focus on Health (Nutrition, Sanitation, and Drinking Water), Education, Skill Development, Rural Development, Women Empowerment, Environment Oriented Initiatives and Care for the Elderly & Differently-abled Persons. State/project-wise details of funds spent under CSR by ONGC in the country including Bihar during the last five years are available at www.ongcindia.com.
- (b)&(c) During last five financial year i.e. 2019-20 to 2023-24, total CSR expenditure made by ONGC in Bihar and its three districts namely Khagaria, Samastipur and Saharsa was Rs. 34.63 crore and Rs. 2.32 crore respectively.
