

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5333
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03 APRIL, 2025**

**GREENFIELD PETROLEUM REFINERY PROJECT BY BPCL IN ANDHRA
PRADESH**

5333. Shri Maddila Gurumoorthy:

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) whether the Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL) has identified Andhra Pradesh as its preferred site for a Greenfield petroleum refinery with an investment of Rs. 95,000 cr. making it India's costliest refinery project, if so, the details thereof along with the active financial support from foreign partners;
- (b) the manner in which the Government has assisted in associating BPCL with foreign partners for its Greenfield Petroleum Refinery Project at Andhra Pradesh along with the steps taken by the Government to facilitate these foreign partnerships; and
- (c) the expected timeline for the completion of the refinery project in Andhra Pradesh?

**ANSWER
पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री
(श्री सुरेश गोपी)**

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

(a) to (c): The Board of Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPCL) has so far approved initial expenditure for pre-project activities and various studies for a potential Greenfield refinery-cum-petrochemical complex in the State of Andhra Pradesh. Land for the project is yet to be handed over by the Government of Andhra Pradesh to BPCL. BPCL has not finalized detailed cost of the project or partners for investment so far. Investment approval for the project is yet to be accorded by the board of BPCL.
