

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1862
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11th December, 2025

CITY GAS DISTRIBUTION NETWORK

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पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) the percentage of the total area of Uttar Pradesh covered by the City Gas Distribution (CGD) network under the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB) along with the district-wise details of the authorized area especially with reference to the districts in the Aonla Parliamentary Constituency;
- (b) the details of the total length of the gas pipeline network currently operational and under construction in the State, district-wise; and
- (c) the names of districts of Uttar Pradesh still deprived of PNG network along with the reasons therefor and the steps being taken by the Government to expand PNG network in these areas?

ANSWER

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(a) to (c) Providing Piped Natural Gas (PNG) connections, establishment of Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) stations and laying of pipeline infrastructure are part of the development of City Gas Distribution (CGD) Network, which is carried out by the entities authorized by Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB) as per their Minimum Work Programme (MWP) and techno-commercial feasibility. After completion of 12/12A CGD bidding round, PNGRB has authorized entities for the development of CGD network in 307 Geographical Areas (GAs), covering the entire mainland area (including the state of Uttar Pradesh) for the development of CGD network across the country.

PNGRB has authorized 43 GAs (including 1 GA spread over Madhya Pradesh & Uttar Pradesh, 1 GA spread over Uttarakhand & Uttar Pradesh, 1 GA spread over Bihar & Uttar Pradesh and 1 GA spread over Rajasthan & Uttar Pradesh) covering the entire State of Uttar Pradesh for the development of CGD network. As per MWP targets, authorised entities have to provide 1,15,30,939 PNG domestic (PNG (D)) connections and lay 52,548 inch-km pipeline infrastructure by 2031 in the State of Uttar Pradesh. As on 30.09.2025 the authorized entities have provided 20,89,841 PNG (D) connections and laid 1,01,363 inch-km pipeline infrastructure in Uttar Pradesh. Aonla Parliamentary Constituency comprises of Budaun and Bareilly districts. Budaun district is covered under Shahjahanpur and Budaun Districts GA and Bareilly district is covered under Bareilly district GA. The district-wise details of authorized GAs of Uttar Pradesh are at Annexure-I.

Government have taken various steps to expand PNG network in the country (including in the state of Uttar Pradesh). These inter alia include-

- allocating domestic natural gas to CGD sector on priority basis.
- notification for supply of domestic gas through available mode (including cascade mode) for PNG purpose.
- Grant of Public Utility Status to CGD Projects.
- Guidelines for the use of PNG in Defence residential area/unit lines.
- Guidelines to Public Sector Enterprises to have provisions of PNG in their respective residential complexes.
- CPWD and NBCC to have provisions of PNG in all Government Residential Complexes.

Further, the Government and PNGRB monitor the progress of CGD networks based on reports submitted by the entities. If there are any delays or shortfalls, the PNGRB advises the entity to take corrective action. This includes calling them for progress review meetings or statutory hearings under existing regulations to discuss challenges and the latest updates on their MWP targets in authorized GAs. In addition, Government conducts regular interactions and meetings with State Governments for the development of CGD network in respective States and address challenges in this regard.

The details of Natural Gas Pipelines (operational and under construction) in the State of Uttar Pradesh is at Annexure-II.

ANNEXURE-I**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1862 TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.12.2025 REGARDING CITY GAS DISTRIBUTION NETWORK.**

| S. No. | GA Name | District Covered | Name of Authorized Entity | Date of Authorisation |
|--------|--|--------------------|---|-----------------------|
| 1 | Mathura | Mathura | Torrent Gas Private Limited | 11-Jun-09 |
| 2 | Meerut | Meerut | GAIL Gas Limited | 12-Jun-09 |
| 3 | Allahabad | Allahabad | Indian-Oil Adani Gas Private Limited | 08-May-13 |
| 4 | Jhansi | Jhansi | Central UP Gas Limited | 26-Feb-14 |
| 5 | Saharanpur District | Saharanpur | Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited | 11-May-16 |
| 6 | Bulandshahr (part) District | Bulandshahr | Indian-Oil Adani Gas Private Limited | 06-Mar-18 |
| 7 | Bagpat District | Bagpat | Bagpat Green Energy Private Limited | 28-Mar-18 |
| 8 | Bulandshahr District (EAAA), Aligarh & Hathras Districts | Aligarh | Indian Oil-Adani Gas Private Limited | 24-Sep-18 |
| | | Bulandshahr (EAAA) | | |
| | | Hathras | | |
| 9 | Allahabad District (EAAA), Bhadohi & Kaushambi Districts | Allahabad (EAAA) | Indian Oil-Adani Gas Private Limited | 13-Sep-18 |
| | | Bhadohi | | |
| | | Kaushambi | | |
| 10 | Amethi, Pratapgarh & Raebareli Districts | Amethi | Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited | 10-Aug-18 |
| | | Pratapgarh | | |
| | | Raebareli | | |
| 11 | Auraiya, Kanpur Dehat & Etawah Districts | Auraiya | Torrent Gas Private Limited | 13-Sep-18 |
| | | Kanpur Dehat | | |
| | | Etawah | | |
| 12 | Faizabad & Sultanpur Districts | Faizabad | Green Gas Limited | 24-Sep-18 |
| | | Sultanpur | | |
| 13 | Gorakhpur, Sant Kabir Nagar & Kushinagar Districts | Gorakhpur | Torrent Gas Private Limited | 13-Sep-18 |
| | | Sant Kabir Nagar | | |
| | | Kushinagar | | |
| 14 | Meerut District (EAAA), Muzaffarnagar & Shamli Districts | Meerut (EAAA) | Indraprastha Gas Limited | 13-Sep-18 |
| | | Muzaffarnagar | | |
| | | Shamli | | |
| 15 | Moradabad (EAAA) District | Moradabad | Torrent Gas Private Limited | 13-Sep-18 |
| 16 | Unnao (EAAA) District | Unnao | Green Gas Limited | 24-Sep-18 |
| 17 | Jhansi (EAAA), Bhind, Jalaun, Lalitpur and Datia Districts # | Jhansi | Adani Total Gas Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Jalaun | | |
| | | Lalitpur | | |
| 18 | Azamgarh, Mau and Ballia Districts | Azamgarh | Torrent Gas Private Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Mau | | |
| | | Ballia | | |
| 19 | Bareilly (EAAA) District, Pilibhit and Rampur Districts | Bareilly (EAAA) | Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Pilibhit | | |
| | | Rampur | | |
| 20 | Basti and Ambedkarnagar Districts | Basti | Torrent Gas Private Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Ambedkarnagar | | |
| 21 | Farrukhabad, Etah and Hardoi Districts | Farrukhabad | Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Etah | | |
| | | Hardoi | | |
| 22 | Gonda and Barabanki Districts | Gonda | Torrent Gas Private Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Barabanki | | |
| 23 | Jaunpur and Ghazipur Districts | Jaunpur | Indian Oil-Adani Gas Private Limited | 24-Apr-19 |
| | | Ghazipur | | |

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| 24 | Kanpur (EAAA) District, Fatehpur and Hamirpur Districts | Kanpur (EAAA) | Indraprastha Gas Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Fatehpur | | |
| | | Hamirpur | | |
| 25 | Mainpuri and Kannauj Districts | Mainpuri | Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Kannauj | | |
| 26 | Mirzapur, Chandauli and Sonbhadra Districts | Mirzapur | GAIL Gas Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Chandauli | | |
| | | Sonbhadra | | |
| 27 | Shahjahanpur and Budaun Districts | Shahjahanpur | Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| | | Budaun | | |
| 28 | Bijnor and Nainital Districts # | Bijnor | Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited | 29-Mar-19 |
| 29 | Gopalganj, Siwan, West Champaran, East Champaran and Deoria districts # | Deoria | Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited | 04-May-22 |
| 30 | Amroha (except area already authorized) & Sambhal (except area already authorized) districts | Amroha | Megha City Gas Distribution Private Limited | 04-May-22 |
| | | Sambhal (EAAA) | | |
| 31 | Kasganj district | Kasganj | Megha City Gas Distribution Private Limited | 04-May-22 |
| 32 | Banda, Chitrakoot and Mahoba | Banda | Indraprastha Gas Limited | 13-Apr-22 |
| | | Chitrakoot | | |
| | | Mahoba | | |
| 33 | Varanasi District | Varanasi | GAIL (India) Limited | 07-Mar-18 |
| 34 | Khurja | Bulandshahr | Adani Total Gas Limited | 04-Dec-12 |
| 35 | Moradabad | Moradabad | Torrent Gas Moradabad Limited | 30-Nov-12 |
| 36 | Bareilly | Bareilly | Central UP Gas Limited | 22-Apr-09 |
| 37 | Kanpur | Kanpur | Central UP Gas Limited | 22-Apr-09 |
| 38 | Agra | Agra | Green Gas Limited | 12-Nov-09 |
| 39 | Firozabad (Taj Trapezium Zone) # | Aligarh | GAIL Gas Limited | 26-Sep-11 |
| | | Firozabad | | |
| | | Hathras | | |
| | | Mathura | | |
| 40 | Lucknow | Lucknow | Green Gas Limited | 15-Mar-16 |
| 41 | Ghaziabad & Hapur Districts | Ghaziabad | Indraprastha Gas Limited | 06-Sep-19 |
| | | Hapur | | |
| 42 | Noida (including Greater Noida) | Goutam Buddh Nagar | Indraprastha Gas Limited | 25-Apr-2023 |
| 43 | Lakhimpur Kheri, Sitapur, Bahraich, Shrawasti, Balrampur, Siddharth Nagar & Maharajganj districts | Bahraich | Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited | 08-Jun-22 |
| | | Balrampur | | |
| | | Lakhimpur Kheri | | |
| | | Maharajganj | | |
| | | Shrawasti | | |
| | | Siddharth Nagar | | |
| | | Sitapur | | |

(Source: PNGRB)

ANNEXURE-II

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| Details of Operational Natural Gas Pipeline Passing through the State of Uttar Pradesh | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|--------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|---|---|
| Sr No | Name of the Natural Gas Pipelines | Authorized Entity | Date of Authorization | Authorised Length (Km) | Operating Length (Km) | Length in UP (Km) | Operational length in the State (Km) | Under Construction in the State (Km) |
| 1 | Dadri Bawana Nangal Pipeline | GAIL | 15.02.2011 | 921 | 998 | 254 | 254 | 0 |
| 2 | Dadri Panipat Pipeline | Indian Oil Corporation Limited | 05.01.2011 | 132 | 143 | 84 | 84 | 0 |
| 3 | HVJ-GREP-DVPL and DVPL-GREP CAPACITY AUGMENTATION | GAIL | 19.04.2010/14.02.2011 | 6169 | 6732 | 2229 | 2229 | 0 |
| 4 | ShahdolPhulpur | RGPL | 11.07.2013 | 312 | 304 | 75 | 75 | 0 |
| 5 | Jagdishpur Haldia BokaroDhamra Pipeline Including Barauni Guwahati And Dhamra Haldia Pipeline | GAIL | 29.01.2018 | 3546 | 3272 | 335 | 335 | 0 |

(Source: PNGRB)
