

ment to destinations, if so desired, by the messengers, etc.

- Provision of extra cushion between the flights.
- More time for maintenance of aircraft.
- Review of action taken for rectification of snags at the regions as well as at the headquarters.
- In case serious snags occur, which are likely to result in cancellations or inordinate delays, the Chief Engineering Managers of the base station are required to personally inspect the aircraft and in case the rectifications are likely to result in delays or cancellations, then information is passed on immediately to the en-route stations.
- The Regional Managers are holding daily meetings with the operational heads to discuss snags
- Reviews are also conducted at headquarters.

(c) There has been appreciable improvement during the recent months.

Assistance to IOC Refineries by Multinationals

2181. SHRI RAJAMOHANA REDDY: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Oil Corporation is seeking any technical assistance from multinational oil companies for its refineries; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) and (b). There is a proposal for obtaining technical assistance from multinational oil companies, on a centralised basis for all the oil refineries in the country, on payment of a retainer fee and at specified rates per man hour. This will enable the refineries to keep abreast of the procedures and techniques being followed elsewhere in the world in the field of energy conservation, safety, optimisation of operations for improving the yield pattern, and also in developing new projects for optimum utilisation of facilities.

The proposal is under consideration of the Government.

Power Generation in Bihar

2182. SHRI BHOGENDRA JHA: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) the annual per capita power generation and consumption in the country;

(b) the per capita power generation and consumption in Bihar, particularly North Bihar, Chhotanagpur and Central Bihar; and

(c) the steps taken to augment the power generation in the country and particularly in Bihar?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY AND MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI ARIF MOHAMMAD KHAN): (a) to (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[*Translation*]

Waiting list for LPG connections in Delhi

2183. SHRI GOVINDA CHANDRA MUNDA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) number of applicants with their respective dealers, waiting for gas connections in Delhi, especially, in East Delhi; and

(b) the date by which they are likely to be provided gas connections and the steps being taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND

CHEMICALS (SHRI M.S. GURUPADASWAMY): (a) The information is given in the statement given below.

(b) New LPG connections are released in a phased manner all over the country, including Delhi, subject to availability of product, equipment and facilities.

STATEMENT

<i>Sl. No</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
<i>Indian Oil Corporation</i>		
<i>East Delhi</i>		
1	Amar Gas service	6473
2.	B.N Gupta & Co	5883
3.	Dikshit Gas Service	2222
4.	Gandhi Nagar Gas Service	3846
5.	G S Enterprises	5232
6.	Jolly Gas Service	3972
7.	Kataria Gas Service	2710
8.	Nandi Gas Distributors	12938
9.	O P Agencies	3432
10.	Sabharwal Enterprises	1846
11.	Shaheed Subhash Gas Service	2023
12.	Shivanika Enterprises	2622
13.	Supreme Enterprises	8518
14.	Vee Vee Enterprises	18487

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
15.	Vijay Rattan Enterprises	5511
16.	Vishal Gas Service	2585
<i>Rest of Delhi</i>		
17.	4 RBD	—
18.	Aar Kay Enterprises	1179
19.	Aftab Enterprises	1216
20.	Agro Industrial Commodities	297
21.	Alka Flame	1013
22.	Alok Gas Agency	1770
23.	Amargeet Gas Service	534
24.	Anantji Gas Service	1735
25.	Angad Enterprises	1776
26.	Arjun Enterprises	2952
27.	Arya Gas Service	2789
28.	Ashu Gas Service	983
29.	Associated Trading Co.	4142
30.	Atul Enterprises	2376
31.	Avtar Gas Service	331
32.	Bakson Gas Service	650
33.	Banaras Gas Service	638
34.	Blossoms Enterprises	283

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
35.	Castus Lily Enterprises	350
36.	Chandra Gas Service	7420
37.	Citizen Gas Enterprises	1379
38.	C Lal & Sons	644
39.	D P Thakore & Co	329
40.	Dee Pee Enterprises	1822
41.	Deepti Enterprises	971
42.	Delhi State Civil Supplies	1020
43.	Devi Anupama Gas Service	955
44.	Elite Agencies	2373
45.	Esbee Enterprises	3098
46.	Evergreen Gas Agency	2658
47.	Flame Centre	2229
48.	Gauri Enterprises	6533
49.	Hem Gas Service	1942
50.	Hitesh Enterprises	187
51.	Jagan Enterprises	4048
52.	Jaganath Enterprises	723
53.	Jagdamba Sai Gas Service	1669
54.	Jagjyoti Enterprises	675
55.	Japneet Enterprises	571

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
56.	Jaspreet Gas Service	1863
57.	Jayant Gas Service	1010
58.	Joginder Enterprises	3533
59.	J J Gas Service	2833
60.	Kalkaji Gas Service	787
61.	Kansal Gas Service	2056
62.	Kanwal Gas Service	586
63.	Kay Aar Enterprises	6252
64.	Keerti Gas Service	3261
65.	Kichenoids	3154
66.	Kiran Gas Service	2226
67.	Kwic Gas Service	2168
68.	K S B Enterprises	1228
69.	M S Enterprises	12262
70.	Manohar Gas Service	1110
71.	Mars Enterprises	685
72.	Mohanil Gas Service	1632
73.	Nath Traders	623
74.	Nicolian Enterprises	2390
75.	Nripro Gas Agency	1228
76.	Paradise Enterprises	1933

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
77.	Payal Gas Service	1551
78.	Pearey Lal & Sons	274
79	Pearl Gas Service	3185
80	Poonam Gas Agency	3463
81.	Popular Chemists	390
82.	Prabhat Gas Service	743
83.	Pragjyoti Gas Service	1188
84	Prem Gas Service	1251
85	Prem Nath Motors Pvt Ltd	510
86	Priya Services	416
87	Puneet Gas Service	958
88	P C Gas Service	551
89	Qutub Gas Service	2660
90.	Rajdhani Gas Service	1651
91.	Rajhans Gas Service	1587
92.	Rakant Enterprises	2452
93.	Raminder Gas Agency	1350
94.	Ranvir Enterprises	1822
95.	Rohini Enterprises	1173
96.	R.K. Agencies	1003
97.	S & P Enterprises	623

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
98.	Sagar Enterprises	1936
99.	Sahaj Enterprises	931
100.	Sanjiv Gas Service	972
101.	Santosh Enterprises	994
102.	Saroj Enterprises	734
103.	Shakti Enterprises	1522
104.	Shalimar Gas	1039
105.	Sharma Gas Company	11021
106.	Shaurya Enterprises	4440
107.	Shreshth Gas Service	1451
108.	Sidharatha Enterprises	361
109.	Sona Enterprises	2585
110.	Sondhi Gas Service	6187
111.	South Delhi Gas Service	5253
112.	Sukhdham Gas Service	602
113.	Sunder Shyam Enterprises	1454
114.	Sunil Enterprises	1042
115.	Surjeet Fuel Depot	1140
116.	Tanwar Gas Service	1222
117.	Unique Enterprises	1759
118.	Usha Gas Service	1720

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
119.	Vandana Enterprises	3114
120.	Veena Gas Service	2341
121.	Veer Jyoti Enterprises	1061
122.	Vickey Agencies	2300
123.	Vidya Sagar Gas Agency	931
124.	Vikram Enterprises	1273
125.	Zaidar Gas Service	3620
<i>Bharat Petroleum Corporation</i>		
<i>East Delhi</i>		
126.	Arora Gas Agency	1526
127.	Dammo Enterprises	3417
128.	Gautam Enterprises	9708
129.	Kichen Gas	3157
130.	Sharman Gas Co.	7381
131.	Veejay Gas Enterprises	2815
<i>Rest of Delhi</i>		
132.	Ashoka Stores	936
133.	Bharat Gas Service	4536
134.	Chanakya & Sidhartha	303
135.	Deepak Gas Service	1212
136.	Durga Agencies	2052

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
137	Engineers Enterprises	5856
138.	Friends Gas Service	2912
139.	Hitesh Gas Service	2064
140.	Jwala Agencies	740
141	Kaveri Enterprises	1606
142	Kayson Enterprises	2004
143	Khera Gas Service	4167
144	M D Enterprises	4840
145	Mayapuri Gas Co	2689
146	Milind Gas Service	2411
147	Modern Cookeries	3357
148	Nikhil Gas Service	1393
149	Punkaj Gas Service	10453
150	Priyanika Gas Service	966
151	Rahul Agencies	1000
152	Raja Gas Service	5734
153	Raman Gas Service	437
154	Ratawal Gas Service	1333
155.	Robin Gas Service	1888
156	Rohit Gas Agency	123
157.	Ruchica Agencies	2971

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
158.	Sachin Gas Service	280
159.	Santoshi Gas Service	2503
160.	Sarala Enterprises	73
161.	Satish & Co	2229
162.	Sunny Gas Service	3636
163.	Unika Agencies	1595
164.	United Agencies	1871
165.	Varun Gas Service	5958
166.	Vijay Gas Service	2831
167.	Westand Gas Service	1842
<i>Hindustan Petroleum Corporation</i>		
<i>East Delhi</i>		
168.	M/s Ganga Enterprises	5227
169.	Delhi Gas Co Ex-Workers Society	4177
170.	Sawhney Gas Agency	6422
171.	Pelican Gas Agency	1187
172.	Shiv Tej Enterprises	365
<i>Rest of Delhi</i>		
173.	Anand Stores	1242
174.	Caukers	8482
175.	Emarsons	1613

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
176.	Fairdeals	721
177.	Fairways Stores	2541
178.	Gujarat Agencies	1396
179.	Gujarat Gas House	4251
180.	Kamal Gas Service	886
181.	Mini Gas (Terminated w.e.f 15 7 89 Court Case is on)	1645
182.	Navyug Agencies	1587
183.	Noble Traders	2144
184.	Patel Gas Gen Stores	1053
185.	Paschim Gas Service	1963
186.	Reliance Traders	633
187.	Raju Gas Service	6309
188.	Shakti Traders	3137
189.	Smart Dry Cleaners	467
190.	South Delhi Gas Agency	1391
191.	Standard Stores	1854
192.	Trehan Sons	1402
193.	Ram Agencies	616
194.	Kamakhya Enterprises	1120
195.	Laxmi Enterprises	1582
196.	West Delhi Gas Service	1990

<i>Sl. No.</i>	<i>Name of the Distributor</i>	<i>Waiting List (as on 1.2.90)</i>
(1)	(2)	(3)
197.	Smriti Gas Service	4351
198.	Amit Gas Agency	1614
199.	Bawana Gas Service	3532
200.	Devi Dayal Enterprises	500
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[English]

Pepper Processing Industry

2184. SHRI PALAI K.M. MATHEW: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to start a Pepper processing industry; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and when it is likely to be approved?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI AJIT SINGH). (a) No proposal has been received in the Department of Industrial Development for setting up pepper processing industry during the calendar years 1987 to 1989.

(b) Does not arise in view of reply to part (a) above.

Halts on Howrah-Kharagpur Section

2185. SHRI SATYAGOPAL MISRA: Will THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to

open any new stations/passenger halts on Howrah-Kharagpur section of the South Eastern Railway during 1990-91; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

[Translation]

Nangal-Talwara Railway Line

2186. PROF. PREM KUMAR DHU-MAL: Will THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the total length of Nangal-Talwara rail line constructed so far;

(b) when it is likely to be completed; and

(c) the steps proposed to be taken for its expeditious completion?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES): (a) 17 km.

(b) and (c). Construction of this Railway