

**LPG Agencies and Petrol Pumps in  
Uttar Pradesh**

5461. SHRI KESRI LAL:  
SHRI SURESHANAND  
SWAMI:

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

(a) the districtwise number of LPG  
agencies and petrol/diesel retail outlets al-  
lotted in Uttar Pradesh during the last three  
years; and

(b) the number, out of them, allotted to  
the persons belonging to Scheduled Castes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE  
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATU-  
RAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN  
THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S.  
KRISHAN KUMAR): (a) and (b).

	<i>Total</i>	<i>SC</i>
PG distributorships -	92	15
Retail Outlet Dealerships -	190	44

[English]

**Dislocation of Trains**

5462. SHRI RAM KAPSE: Will the  
Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been dislocation  
of trains due to heavy rains in June 1991 on  
Bombay Suburban Section;

(b) if so, the loss suffered as a result  
thereof;

(c) the special facilities provided to the  
stranded commuters by the railways; and

(d) the steps proposed to be taken to  
avoid dislocation of trains particularly during  
monsoon season?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-  
LIKARJUN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Such losses can not be quantified  
section-wise.

(c) Stranded passengers were cleared  
with the assistance of fire Brigade, BEST  
and the Naval Coast Guard. Catering stalls  
were kept open round-the-clock and special  
arrangements for refund of tickets at the  
stations were made.

(d) Desilting of drains, culverts etc. within  
Railway premises is completed by Railways  
invariably before the onset of monsoons.  
Bombay Municipal Corporation has been  
requested to improve the storm water drain-  
age system in Greater Bombay so that the  
tracks do not get flooded during heavy rains.

**Electronic Indicators at Thakurli Station**

5463. SHRI RAM KAPSE: Will the  
Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state;

(a) whether Electronic Indicators and  
Loud Speakers have been installed at  
Thakurli Station (Maharashtra);

(b) when these equipments were in-  
stalled;

(c) whether these equipments are not  
under operation; and if so, the reasons there-  
for; and

(d) the time by which these are likely to  
become operational?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MAL-  
LIKARJUN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) (i) Electronic Indicator was  
Installed in N o -  
vember 1990.

(ii) Loud Speaker (P. A. Sys-  
tem) was installed in  
Oct. 1985.