

There are also "fall-back" consumers such as Maharashtra State Electricity Board, Tata Electric Company, Hindustan Petroleum Corporation, to whom natural gas is being supplied for the present.

(b) and (c). The supply of natural gas to the industrial units in Maharashtra is done from Urban, according to availability and upliftment by the consumers.

**Profit Earned by ONGC in regard to LPG, Petrol etc.**

5473. SHRI V. SOBHANADREESWARA RAO: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM be pleased to state:

(a) the average price of the refined high speed diesel oil and petrol in the International Market for the year 1981-82,

1982-83 and 1983-84 and the price of the same in our country for the respective years;

(b) the price of LP Gas in Cylinders charged from the consumers in the years 1981-82, 1982-83 and 1983-84; and

(c) the break-up of the turn-over and profit pre-tax earned by the Oil and Natural Gas Commission for the above three years in regard to cooking gas, gas for industrial purpose, high speed diesel, petrol and other petroleum products?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM (SHRI NAWAL KISHORE SHARMA): (a) The average FOB price in \$/MT of refined HSD & Petrol in international market for the years 1981-82, 1982-83 and 1983-84 are as under:

	AG/PG \$/MT	SGP \$/MT	MED ITALY \$/MT
<b>I. HSD</b>			
1981-82	302.53	298.44	292.54
1982-83	286.76	289.42	279.18
1983-84	241.80	245.63	245.76
<b>II. PETROL</b>			
1981-82	...	...	\$/MT 329.17
1982-83	...	...	298.16
1983-84	...	...	282.89

**III. HSD & MS Price Ex-main MI at Bombay are as under:**

With effect from	(RS./MT)	
	HSD	MS
13.1.1981	2818.75	6925.29
11.7.1981	3205.96	7673.12
15.2.1983	3447.96	7673.12
1.9.1983	3447.96	7814.22
1.4.1983	3447.96	7814.22
AG/PG	— Arabian/Persian Gulf	
SGP	— Singapore	
MED	— Mediterranean	

(b) The retail selling prices of LPG in Delhi are as follows :

Date		Rs./per cylinder
13.1.1981	...	45.53 (15 KG)
11.7.1981	...	50.78 (15 KG)
1.4.1982	...	50.78 (15 KG)
1.9.1982	...	47.09 (15 KG)
6.9.1982	...	44.58 (14.2 KG)
1.4.1983	...	45.09 (14.2 KG)
1.4.1984	...	45.09 (14.2 KG)
1.6.1984	...	45.47 (14.2 KG)

(c) Besides crude oil, ONGC are producing LPG, gas (associated and non-associated), condensate, wax and NGL, and not HSD and Petrol. The turn-over in respect of these products during the period 1981-82 to 1983-84 is as under :

Product	(Rs./Crores)		
	1981-82	1982-83	1983-84
1. LPG	12.67	29.50	36.68
2. Gas	80.68	129.87	184.75
3. Condensate	1.53	1.84	1.28
4. Wax	0.19	0.17	0.07
5. NGL	—	6.40	9.77
<b>Total</b>	<b>95.07</b>	<b>167.78</b>	<b>232.55</b>

Profit before tax for ONGC as a whole for the years 1982-84 was as under :—

		(Rs./Crores)
1981-82	...	573.04
1982-83	...	1182.87
1983-84	...	1607.66