

(c) the total amount which has been spent by now in this project; and

(d) the total amount estimated to be spent at the time of completion of the project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI K. R. GANESH):
(a) No, Sir.

(b) The project is expected to go into production early in 1977;

(c) Rs. 88 crores nearly upto the end of December, 1974;

(d) About Rs. 143 crores.

मध्य प्रदेश के आदिवासी क्षेत्रों के लिये मंजूर किये गये निर्माण कार्य

2017. श्री धनसाह प्रधान : क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) मध्य प्रदेश के आदिवासी क्षेत्रों के लिये कुछ वर्ष पूर्व मंजूर किये गये ऐसे निर्माण कार्यों की संख्या कितनी है जो अभी तक आरम्भ नहीं किये गये ;

(ख) उन्हें पूरा करने के लिये सरकार का क्या कार्यवाही करने का विचार है; और

(ग) उन निर्माण कार्यों पर अनुमानतः कितनी धनराशि खर्च किये जाने का विचार किया गया था ?

रेल मंत्रालय में उप मंत्री (श्री बूटा सिंह):

(क) ऐसा कोई भी निर्माण कार्य नहीं है जिसके लिए मंजूरी दी गयी हो लेकिन जिसे शुरु न किया गया हो।

(ख) और (ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

Shortage of Indian Gas in Areas surrounding Delhi

2018. SHRI R. S. PANDEY:

SHRI HARI SINGH:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the reported shortage of Indian Oil Liquid Petroleum Gas in the surrounding areas of Delhi especially in Ghaziabad; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor and steps proposed to ensure prompt supply?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI C. P. MAJHI):

(a) and (b). It has not been possible for IOC to meet the demand of refills in the surrounding areas of Delhi promptly during the last few months mainly due to the increase in demand, in the winter season accentuated this year by the power shortage in some areas; total availability of gas being restricted by the availability of filled cylinders from Koyali, and the LPG tank wagons for bulk movement from Koyali to Shakurbasti LPG bottling plant Position has since improved, but in view of considerable backlog, it is likely to normalise by the middle of May 1975.

Railway Freight Charge earned during 1973-74 and 1974-75

2019. SHRIMATI ROZA DESHPANDE: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) what amount Government have earned as Railway freight charge for 1973-74 and 1974-75;

(b) whether Birlas are enjoying a concession on freight charge; and

(c) if so, the salient features thereof?