LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3180

TO BE ANSWERED ON 21ST DECEMBER, 2023

Supply of PNG to Metropolitan City

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पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री

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

- (a) the name of the places where the Governmenthas provided piped gas connections in everymetropolitan city of the country including UttarPradesh;
- (b) the details of each of the metropolitanareas of the country where such piped gasconnections have not been provided or reached sofar; and
- (c) the steps being taken by the Government inthis regard?

ANSWER पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्यमंत्री (श्री रामेश्वर तेली)

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a) to (c) Providing Piped Natural Gas (PNG) connections are part of the development of City Gas Distribution (CGD) Network and the same is being carried out by the entities authorised by Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB). After completion of 11A CGD bidding round, 300 Geographical Areas (GAs) covering about 98% of the population and 88% of total geographical area of the country spread over around 630 districts in 28 states/UTs, including metropolitan cities and district headquarters situated within the GAs, have been covered under the CGD network. State wise details of PNG domestic connections across the country (including State of Uttar Pradesh) is at Annexure.

As per Minimum Work Plan (MWP) target, determined by PNGRB, authorized entities have to provide approx.12.50 crore PNG connections across the country by 2032.

In order to further expand the reach of natural gas in the country, PNGRB has launched the 12th and 12A CGD Bidding Rounds, covering the states of Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim, Manipur and remaining parts of Union Territory (UT) of Jammu and Kashmir and the entire UT of Ladakh.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) to (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3180 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2023 REGARDING SUPPLY OF PNG TO METROPOLITAN CITY.

List of Piped Natural Gas (PNG) connections across the country

States/UT	PNG Domestic Connections
Andhra Pradesh	2,66,223
Assam	53,440
Bihar	1,21,737
Chandigarh	26,354
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	11,724
Delhi	14,94,562
Goa	11,514
Gujarat	31,60,791
Haryana	3,47,217
Himachal Pradesh	6,712
Jharkhand	1,16,735
Karnataka	4,10,921
Kerala	54,032
Madhya Pradesh	2,21,456
Maharashtra	33,17,083
Odisha	95,613
Punjab	78,337
Rajasthan	2,46,472
Tamil Nadu	14,913
Telangana	1,94,739
Tripura	60,566
UT of Daman & Diu	5,178
Uttar Pradesh	15,09,282
Uttarakhand	79,725
West Bengal	2,077
Total	1,19,07,403

Source: PNGRB