

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:456
ANSWERED ON:28.02.2000
SCHEME OF LPG CONNECTIONS IN U.P. .
RAVI PRAKASH VERMA

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

- (a) whether the scheme of LPG connection on demand has been introduced in Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; (
- (c) the number of LPG connection released under this scheme in the State and the amount of deposits collected from consumers so far; and
- (d) the step taken to clear the waiting list of LPG connection in the State, district-wise ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c) : The LPG connections have been released on demand in Hilly Areas/Taj Trapezium Area and Under Tatkal Scheme in Uttar Pradesh. The total connection released by the Oil Companies in the State during the period April - December, 99 is 93160. The normal deposit amount for a single cylinder connection is Rs.1000/-. The amount collected under Tatkal Scheme is Rs.4000/- per connection.

(d) Government has a plan to release 1 crore LPG connections during the year 2000 to clear all waiting list registered with the distributors of PSU Oil Companies as on 1-12-1999.