

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

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LPG AGENCIES IN ASSAM
A.F. GOLAM OSMANI

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

- (a): whether the Government propose to increase the number of LPG distributors in the district of Nalbari, Barpeta and Bongaigaon and the Guwahati city in Assam;
- (b): if so, the details thereof; and
- (c): the time by which pending applications for LPG agencies are likely to be cleared?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS

(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c): Locations Tihu in district Nalbari, Sarthebari, Howly and Sorbhog in district Barpeta, Bijni and Abhoyapuri in distt. Bongaigaon and Guwahati (Mirza) in district Kamrup in Assam have been included in the LPG Marketing Plan 1996-98. Locations included in the Marketing Plans are advertised by the oil marketing companies from time to time. Selection is made through the Dealer Selection Boards. It generally takes about 6-12 months for commissioning of the dealerships/ distributorships from the date of interview.