

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1884
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INTRODUCTION OF 5 KG LPG CYLINDERS
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any proposal to introduce 5 KG LPG cylinders ;
- (b) if so, the intention of the Government behind the move ; and (
- (c) the time by when it is likely to be introduced ?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) : The Government have given `in-principle` approval to Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies to market 5 Kg LPG cylinders primarily to increase the supply of LPG for domestic purposes to the low income customers in rural/urban areas and in hilly areas.