

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

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OIL AND GAS RESERVES IN RAJASTHAN
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether ONGC has found new oil and gas reserves in Jaisalmer district of Rajasthan; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas(Shri Santosh Kumar Gangwar)

(a) to (b): Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Ltd. (ONGC) has found gas reserves in a new prospect, Chinnewala Tibba, in Jaisalmer district of the State of Rajasthan. The potential of this find has not been assessed, as of today.