

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

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SELF EMPLOYMENT SCHEME OF OIL COMPANIES
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a): whether the Oil Companies have formulated the Marketing plan incorporating the reservation for various categories, for implementing, 'Prime Minister's Self Employment Scheme of Oil Companies';

(b): if so, the details thereof;

(c): the time frame worked out for implementation thereof; and

(d): the number of agencies earmarked for the purpose in various States separately, particularly for the State of Nagaland and the Block Head Quarters in the State?

Answer

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

(a) to (d): Government has approved marketing plan for setting up 5782 retail kerosene dealerships one in each development block of the country under the Prime Minister's Self Employment Scheme of Oil Companies. Oil Companies have already advertised more than 4500 dealerships. Reservation for different categories under this Scheme is as under:-

Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes (SC/ST)	-	25%
Physically handicapped Persons (PH)	-	6%
Defence Personnel (DC)	-	8%
Paramilitary/Police/Govt. Personnel (PMP)	-	8%
Outstanding Sports persons (OSP)	-	3%
Open Category (O)	-	50%

Except for SC/ST, 27% in all other categories will be reserved for OBC.

33% of the dealerships in all categories mentioned above will be reserved for Women belonging to that category.

Out of 5782 dealerships for the country, 28 number of dealerships are earmarked for different development blocks in Nagaland.