

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:467  
ANSWERED ON:28.02.2000  
LPG BOTTLING PLANTS  
NAMDEO HARBAJI DIWATHE

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

- (a) the number of LPG bottling plants operating in the country as on December 31, 1999 with capacity thereof, State-wise;
- (b) the details of the new LPG bottling plants approved/sanctioned and where work on the projects is at various stages of execution during the last three years;
- (c) the details of ongoing projects of the Ministry in Maharashtra and review of their progress in terms of targets set and achieved made during current year; and
- (d) the details of new LPG bottling plants likely to be set up in 2000-2001 with location thereof in Maharashtra ?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS

(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) and (b): As on 31-12-1999, there were total 117 bottling plants of PSU Oil Companies in the country with the total installed bottling capacity of 4516 TMTPA. In order to meet the future packed LPG demand, plans have been drawn by oil industry to augment the LPG bottling capacity in the country from 4516 TMTPA as on 31-12-1999 to 7562 TMTPA by the end of IX plan.

(c) The details of the on-going projects in the Maharashtra are at Annexure-I.

(d) The new LPG bottling plants proposed to be set up in the Maharashtra are at the following locations :-

Location	Capacity (TMTPA)
Nagpur	22
Vasai	10
Nasik	22
Nasik	44
Satara	22

STATEMENT REFERRED IN RESPECT OF PART (C) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 467 FOR FEBRUARY,2000.

S.NO. NAME OF PROJECT COMPANY PROGRESS

1. DHDS Project at HPC Refinery HPCL Anticipated completion March 2000
2. Revamp of FCCU at BPC Refinery BPCL Process design finalised. Revised date of completion April 2001
3. BPC Refinery Modernisation Project BPCL Process Licensor selection in progress. Schedule completion in May 2001.

4. POL Jerry at JNPT BPCL/IO Schedule completion is Feb 2002  
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5. Additional Co-generation ONGC Schedule completion is December, 2000  
Plant at Uran