

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2898
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MERGER OF REFINERIES
DAGGUBATI RAMANAIDU

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

(a) whether there is a proposal to merge Madras Refinery and Cochin refinery with Indian Oil Corporation and Bharat Petroleum Corporation respectively ; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

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

(a) : No, sir.

(b) : Does not arise.