

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

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MERGER OF MRPL WITH ONGC  
Nayak Shri Ananta

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

(a) Whether the Government has any proposal for the merger of Mangalore Refinery and Petrochemical Ltd. (MRPL) with Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC); and

(b) if so, the details thereof; and the reasons therefore?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS AND PANCHAYATI RAJ (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYER)

(a) & (b) There is at present no proposal for the merger of Mangalore Refinery and Petrochemicals Ltd. (MRPL) with Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC).