GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3247 ANSWERED ON:19.08.2004 LPG SERVICE THROUGH PIPELINES Reddy Shri Mekapati Rajamohan

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

- (a) whether LPG services through pipeline for domestic use has been started in some cities;
- (b) the names of the cities where such facility is available at present;
- (c) the cities selected for introducing the facility in the near future; and
- (d) the rates being charged for supplying LPG through pipelines?

Answer

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

- (a) to (c): Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) have introduced LPG reticulated system to supply LPG through pipelines to domestic customers in housing complexes in 27 cities (as per Table-I of Annex). The system is proposed to be introduced in 7 other cities (as per Table-II of Annex) depending upon the customers' willingness to adopt the system and commercial consideration of the OMCs.
- (d): The rates charged by OMCs for supplying LPG through pipelines is as per the same flat rate of subsidy as is applicable to domestic LPG customers through cylinders.

ANNEX

Table T

NAMES OF CITIES WHERE RETICULATED LPG FACILITY IS AVAILABLE.

Northern Region Eastern Region Western Region Southern Region

Noida Kolkatta Mumbai Jaipur Pune Madura Chennai Pune Madurai Lucknow Navi Mumbai Pondicherry Nagpur Hyderabad Nasik Bangalore Gurgaon Chandigarh Rajkot Trichy Delhi Surat Tirunelvelli Coimbatore Trivendrum Cochin Mangalore Guntur Visakh

Table II

Northern Region Eastern Region Western Region Southern Region

Bikaner Raipur Hubli Jalandhar Vizag Vijaywada Ongole