

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1732

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SUPPLY OF LNG FROM IRAN

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

- (a) whether the Union Government has proposed a fresh formula to resolve the pricing issue to supply five million tonnes of LNG per annum from Iran;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the response of the Iranian Government thereon;
- (d) whether the National Iranian Oil Company has agreed to the formula suggested by the Government of India; and
- (e) if so, the time by which formula will come into existence?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

(a): No Madam,

(b) to (e): Do not arise in view of (a) above.