

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6704
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OPENING OF RETAIL PETROL OUTLETS LPG AGENCIES
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a proposal to open retail petrol outlets and LPG agencies by Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) all over the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the time by which these are likely to be opened ; and
- (d) the likely gains to ONGC from such retail outlets ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRUTINPRASADA)

- (a): At present, there is no proposal for opening of Retail Outlets (ROs) and LPG distributors by Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC).
- (b) to (d): Do not arise.