

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

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FIRE INCIDENTS AT ONGC SITES
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the incidents of fire were reported in several production sites of Oil and Natural Gas Corporation;
- (b) if so, the total number of such incidents reported during the last three years;
- (c) the total loss suffered in terms of value and the number of persons killed in these incidents;
- (d) the number of persons found responsible for such incidents; and
- (e) the action taken by the Government against the guilty officials?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) During the last three years 31 major incidents of fire were reported in several production sites of ONGC.
- (c) Total loss is around Rs 29.88 lakhs and 3 persons died in these incidents.
- (d) & (e) No official was found guilty in above cases.