GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2745 ANSWERED ON:25.11.2010 SUPPLY OF LPG KEROSENE OIL TO POOR PEOPLE Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram;Patil Shri A.T. Nana

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

- (a) whether the Government is formulating any scheme to restrict the supply of LPG and Kerosne oil provided on subsidy to poor sections only;
- (b) if so, whether any outline of the scheme has been prepared for implementation;
- (c) the extent of saving in subsidy estimated from this arrangement for different categories by the Government;
- (d) whether any time limit has been fixed for the implementation of the said scheme by the Government; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) to (e): At present, no such proposal for restricting the supply of subsidized LPG and Kerosene oil to registered customer of any category or sections of the society is under consideration of the Government.