

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

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RETAIL OUTLETS OF DIESEL/PETROL  
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**Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up retail outlets of diesel/ Petrol in Jeerapur and Machalpur areas of Rajgarh in western Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details of the progress made so far in this regard; and
- (c) the time by which the above-mentioned retail outlets will be set up?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI R.P.N. SINGH)

(a) Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited (BPC) had advertised for two Retail Outlet (RO) one each at location Jeerapur (Zirapur) and Machalpur in Rajgarh district of western Madhya Pradesh.

(b) & (c) Allotment / setting up of RO dealership involves various steps like advertisement, interviews / selection of dealers, field verification of credentials, issue of Letter of Intent, procurement of land, obtaining necessary Statutory approvals, construction, etc. Hence the allotment/ commissioning of the RO after advertisement is materialized over a period of time. The interviews for both of the above mentioned locations are yet to be held.