

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

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

- (a) the present prices of diesel, petrol, cooking gas in each State/UT;
- (b) whether the prices of these products vary in different States/UTs;
- (c) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the Union Government has proposed to make the prices of petroleum products uniform through out the country; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (e): The details of the current retail selling prices of Diesel, Petrol and Domestic LPG in the capital cities of States and Union Territories are given in the Annexure. The retail selling prices of petroleum products vary from State to State on account of variations in the inland freight, Sales Tax/ VAT and local taxes being levied by the respective State Governments/local authorities.