

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1617
ANSWERED ON:01.12.2011
GAS AGENCIES IN CHHATTISGARH
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of the gas distributorships functioning in Chhattisgarh including Janjgir and Champa area;
- (b) whether there is proposal to set up distributorships in the State in future ; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a): As on 01.10.2011, Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) are operating 160 regular LPG distributorships and 26 Rajiv Gandhi Gramin LPG Vitaran (RGGLV) distributorships in the State of Chattisgarh, out of which 6 regular LPG distributorships and 4 RGGLVs are in Janjgir and Champa area.

(b) & (c): OMCs have proposed to open 22 regular LPG distributorships and 25 RGGLV distributorships in the State of Madhya Pradesh in the near future.