

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

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PRODUCTION OF CRUDE OIL
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether crude oil production has been started from a number of new oil-wells during the last three years;
- (b) If so, the number of such new oil-wells; and
- (c) the estimate of the additional crude oil likely to be produced therefrom annually?

Answer

Minister of state in the Ministry of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI R.P.N. SINGH)

- (a) & (b) Yes Madam, crude oil production has been started from 190 new oil wells during the last three years (2008-09 to 2010-11).
- (c) The projected additional crude oil production from 190 new wells is likely to be 1.191 Million Metric Tonne (MMT) per annum comprising of 0.105 MMT by ONGC, 0.069MMT by OIL and 1.017MMT by private/joint venture companies.