

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2492
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BLENDING OF ETHANOL
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantity of ethanol blended petrol and diesel sold so far in the country;
- (b) the per litre price fixed for such petrol and diesel?

Answer

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

- (a) The quantity of Ethanol-blended Petrol sold by the Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) in the country from November 2006 to November 2011 is 17,980 Thousand Kilo Litres. No ethanol blended diesel has been sold by the Public Sector OMCs in the country.
- (b) Ethanol-blended Petrol is being sold at the same price as that of Petrol.