

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

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VISIT TO KG BASIN
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas had recently visited the Krishna-Godavari (KG) basin to familiarize himself with the oil and gas fields: and

(b) If so, whether the Minister was satisfied with the work done by Reliance Industries Limited (RIL)?

Answer

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

(a) and (b): The Minister went to KG Basin to have a first hand feel of the various activities including the corporate social responsibility activities of Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) / Oil India Limited (OIL) / Reliance Industries Limited (RIL) in that region. The Minister has not gone for inspection or validation of the work being done there.