

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

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LAYING OF PIPELINE BY IGL
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Indraprastha Gas Limited (IGL) had completed laying of gas pipeline for supply of Piped Natural Gas (PNG) in Madangir DDA Flats of South Delhi or some gas agencies in the area are obstructing these pipelines;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time frame by which PNG supply will commence in the aforesaid area?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): The areas/colonies to be covered with Piped Natural Gas (PNG) supply by Indraprastha Gas Limited (IGL) is based on the availability of trunk steel pipelines, technical feasibility, and safety aspects. IGL had undertaken a survey of Madangir DDA Flats of South Delhi to determine technical feasibility. Due to very narrow lanes in the area, it has been found unsafe from operations and maintenance angle, to lay underground network of pipelines to provide connectivity to houses.

(c): Does not arise in view of (a) & (b) above.