

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4513
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SUPPLY OF GAS BY GAIL
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Gas Authority of India Limited (GAIL) supplied Natural Gas to its consumers under Administered Price Mechanism (APM);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the GAIL supplied Natural Gas to ineligible consumers in violation of the directions of the Government; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof;

Answer

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

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b): GAIL supplied gas to consumers at APM price, based on APM allocations by Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas on the recommendations of Gas Linkage Committee (GLC). In addition, GAIL has supplied PMT gas at APM price based on allocations made by the Ministry. During April to September 2011, GAIL has supplied 51.86 MMSCMD of natural gas under APM mechanism.
- (c): GAIL has informed that no APM supply has been made to ineligible consumers.
- (d): Does not arise in view of (c).