

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:844
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BIO -DIESEL REFINERY IN ORISSA
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a proposal to set up a bio-diesel refinery in Orissa under private sector;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the extent to which this unit would help to promote cultivation of Jatropha in this region ?

Answer

MINISTER of STATE for PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI JITIN PRASAD)

- (a) No Madam. There is no such proposal with the Government.
- (b) Do not arise.