GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1945 ANSWERED ON:23.08.2012 INSTALLATION OF ANTI-PILFERAGE DEVICE Jeyadural Shri S. R.

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has asked the State run Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) to procure and install anti-pilferage devices to be fitted on LPG cylinders and oil tankers in order to avoid pilferage of oil and LPG ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) : No such device is envisaged for LPG cylinders. In so far as oil tankers are concerned, Oil Marketing Companies adopt Vehicle Tracking System and tamper proof locking arrangements for the same.

(c) : It has been instead decided to carry out systemic corrections to check pilferage of LPG.