

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

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EXPORT OF PETROL

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

- (a) whether the export of petrol from the country to certain tax haven countries has increased in the last few years;
- (b) if so, the quantum and prices of petrol exported to tax haven countries during 2008-09 and the quantum and prices of exported petrol during 2011-12;
- (c) whether the quantum of petrol exported from the country is exceeding the requirement for consumption in the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the corrective measures taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SMT. PANABAACA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (e): During 2008-09 to 2012-13, the Oil Companies exported Petrol to various countries after meeting the domestic demand of Petrol or when the product does not meet the domestic specifications. The exported quantities of Petrol, value thereof and its domestic consumption are given hereunder:-

(In Thousand Metric Tonne)

Year	Exported Quantity	Price (in Rs. Crore)	Domestic Consumption
2008-09	5440	17810	11258
2009-10	9771	31203	12818
2010-11	13578	49480	14194
2011-12	14524	73982	14992
2012-13	16657	95346	15744