GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1497 ANSWERED ON:21.07.2014 LNG TERMINALS Maganti Shri Murali Mohan;Thomas Prof. Kuruppassery Varkey

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

(a) the existing number of Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) terminals in the country, State-wise;

(b) the status of production and capacity utilisation of existing LNG terminals, State-wise including Kerala;

(c) whether the Government proposes to develop/expand more such terminals in the country;

(d) if so, the details thereof along with the proposals, if any, received from the States particularly Andhra Pradesh and Kerala in this regard, Location-wise; and

(e) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) & (b): At present there are four LNG terminals in the country. State wise details of existing Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) Terminals along with their installed capacity and that utilized is as under:

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State Terminal Installed Capacity Capacity utilization in 2013-14 (in %)
    (in MMTPA)
Gujarat Dahej 10 100
Gujarat Hazira 5 56.4
Kerala Kochi 5 1-5
Maharashtra Dabhol 5 8.3
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(c) to (e): Decision to set up LNG Terminals is taken by companies based on techno commercial considerations.