

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3969  
ANSWERED ON:13.08.2015  
Installation of Bio-fuel Pumps  
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**Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Bio-fuel pumps are proposed to be installed in the country particularly in metro cities like Delhi, Mumbai, Bengaluru etc;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the use of Bio-fuel would help in curbing pollution; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS

(SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) to (d) Ethanol Blended Petrol Programme is already being implemented by Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) in the notified States and Union Territories as per the availability of ethanol. On 10.08.2015, OMCs have launched Bio Diesel supplies in some retail outlets at Delhi, Vijayawada, Haldia and Vizag. The Government of India vide Notification No.GSR 498(E) dated 16th June, 2015 has permitted use of Bio-Compressed natural gas (Bio-CNG) in motor vehicles, as an alternate composition of the compressed natural gas (CNG).

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