

तदनुसार, गढ़वा, चतरा, बांका गोड्डा और भभुआ जिला मुख्यालयों सहित 29 स्थानों को 1992-94 की चालू एल पी जी विपणन योजना में शामिल किया गया है। तेल चयन बोर्ड के माध्यम से डिस्ट्रीब्यूटरों के चयन का कार्य जारी है।

#### **Oil Drilling operations in Cochin**

2202. SHRI S. AUSTIN: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state;

(a) whether the oil drilling operations in the Cochin offshore are in progress; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (CAPT. SATISH SHRAMA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

#### **Supply of Gas to LPG Bottling Plant near Vijayawada**

2203. SHRI S. AUSTIN: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have formulated a scheme to supply onshore/offshore gas obtained from ONGC operations in the LPG bottling unit near Vijayawada; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (CAPT. SATISH SHARMA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

#### **News regarding prices of LPG**

2204. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of Government has been drawn to the news-item captioned "Private sector LPG price is cheaper..." appearing in the 'Indian Express' dated 11th July, 1994;

(b) if so, the extent to which the news report is correct;

(c) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to reduce the LPG prices, if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (CAPT. SATISH SHARMA): (a) and (b) The products imported under the Parallel Marketing System can be sold at market determined prices since there is no price control by Government over the products imported under this system.

(c) and (d) There is no such proposal under consideration.

#### **Production of the servo Lubricants**

2205. SHRI M. A. BABY:

SHRIMATI SARALA MAHESHWARI:

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

(a) what is the production capacity of lubricant brand name SERVO of IOBL, a subsidiary company of Indian Oil Corporation;

(b) what is the capacity utilisation of "SERVO" during the last three years;

(c) what is the market share of IOC for this lubricant;