

the price of petrol, both at the Refinery Gate and at the Retail Level, market-determined with effect from 26th June, 2010. As regards Diesel, Government has taken a decision 'in principle' that the price of Diesel will be made market-determined, both at Refinery Gate and Retail Level. However, Government has initially increased the retail selling price of Diesel by only Rs. 2/- per litre with effect from 26th June, 2010 (at Delhi), with corresponding increases in the rest of the country.

Although the Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) are incurring an under-recovery of Rs. 3.43 per litre in Diesel (based on the Refinery Gate Prices for Second fortnight of November, 2010), at present there is no proposal under consideration of the Government to make the price of Diesel fully market-determined.

(b) to (d) Since at present there is no proposal to make the price of Diesel fully market determined, questions do not arise.

Annual health survey in Maharashtra

†*192. SHRI ISHWARLAL SHANKARLAL JAIN : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the district-wise details of Maharashtra where annual health survey has been conducted under the Annual Health Survey Scheme;
- (b) the details of the outcome of the said survey and the shortcomings found in the survey;
- (c) whether funds have been allocated to Maharashtra for the said Scheme; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD) : (a) to (d) Annual Health Survey conducted by the Registrar General of India has not been taken up in the State of Maharashtra and no funds have been allotted to Maharashtra for the said scheme.

Immunization of 'Under Five' Children

*193. SHRI N.K. SINGH : Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

- (a) the percentage of fully immunized 'under five' children in the country as of now;
- (b) the steps taken in the last three years to achieve the goal of full immunization; and;
- (c) the States which have lower immunization rates than the national average?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD) : (a) The percentage of fully immunized children is 61 as per the Coverage Evaluation Survey (CES) 2009 conducted among children aged 12-23 months.

(b) The States/UTs have been provided additional funds in last three years to meet the operational costs to strengthening the service delivery components of Routine Immunization which are as follows :

- * Alternate vaccine delivery for supply of vaccine from the last storage point to the villages and outreach session sites.
- * In urban slums and underserved areas where vaccinator is deficient, states given support for hiring vaccinator to ensure that planned immunization sessions are held.
- * Financial support to ASHA for mobilization of beneficiaries to their session sites.
- * Mobility Support to state and districts to facilitate supportive supervision.
- * Support for printing of monitoring tools like tickler bag (for tracking beneficiaries at session site), immunization cards, tally sheets, registers etc and data entry support to programme managers by providing support to programme managers by providing support to computer assistants at districts.
- * Support for preparation of micro-plans
- * Support for Cold chain maintenance
- * Support for Quarterly Review meetings at State, District and block levels.
- * Trainings for Medical Officers, Health Workers and other immunization related staff.
- * Support for safe injection waste disposal.
- * Flexibility to state for any state specific requirements.

(c) The list of States with lower coverage than the national average as per the Coverage Evaluation Survey(CES) 2009 UNICEF is tabulated below :

Sl.No. States	Full Immunization (%)
1. Arunachal Pradesh	24.8
2. Nagaland	27.8
3. Uttar Pradesh	40.9
4. Madhya Pradesh	42.9
5. Bihar	49
6. Manipur	51.9
7. Rajasthan	53.8
8. Gujarat	56.6
9. Chhattisgarh	57.3
10. Assam	59.1
11. Orissa	59.5
12. Jharkhand	59.7
13. Meghalaya	60.8
National Average	61.0

No data for Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Chandigarh, Puducherry, Sikkim, Daman & Diu, Andaman & Nicobar Island and Lakshadweep.

Hazardous substances lying with customs at ports

*194. SHRI SAIF-UD-DIN SOZ : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that many hazardous substances have been heaped at various ports on the Eastern Coast by the Customs Department;

(b) if so, whether these substances, which are a health hazard, have not been removed so far; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor?