
Sl.No.	State/UTs	Financial Allocation (Rs. in Lakhs)
26.	Odisha	5,991.35
27.	Puducherry	38.14
28.	Punjab	2,455.56
29.	Rajasthan	3,026.24
30.	Sikkim	233.83
31.	Tamil Nadu	4,123.49
32.	Tripura	401.57
33.	Uttar Pradesh	15,850.78
34.	Uttarakhand	2,869.97
35.	West Bengal	1,2048.78

Aadhar linked LPG distribution scheme

*288. SHRI K.N. BALAGOPAL : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government has decided to introduce Aadhaar linked LPG distribution scheme in different States;

(b) if so, the details of the scheme and the present position thereof;

(c) whether Government has any plan to roll out the scheme on a pan-India basis;

(d) if so, the present position and time frame to fulfil it; and

(e) whether any complaints have been received by Government on the implementation of the schemes and if so, action taken thereon ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI. M. VEERAPPA MOILY) : (a) to (e) Government of India has launched Direct Benefit Transfer for LPG (DBTL) Scheme in 291 high Aadhaar coverage districts of the

country covering 9.6 crore LPG consumers. Under the scheme, all domestic LPG cylinders (up to and beyond the cap) will be sold to domestic LPG consumers who have linked their Aadhaar number to their LPG consumer number and to their bank account at market price. The difference between market price and subsidized retail selling price (excluding VAT) applicable on the date of delivery is automatically transferred to the consumer's Aadhaar linked bank account. In addition, One time Permanent Advance is also provided to each consumer at the time of joining the DBTL scheme for purchase of first cylinder. Consumers who have not linked their Aadhaar number to their LPG and bank database are allowed 3 months grace period from the date of launch of DBTL to seed their Aadhaar number in LPG and Bank database and join the scheme. They continue to receive their entitlement of LPG cylinders at Subsidized Retail Selling Price during the grace period.

After the expiry of the grace period of 3 months, all LPG consumers will receive cylinders at Market Price and become entitled to subsidy/Permanent advance on joining the scheme.

So far (as on 06.02.2014), 22.6 million domestic LPG households have been provided permanent advance amounting to Rs. 963 crores and subsidy on 41 million refills have been transferred amounting to Rs 2611.5 crore.

Complaints/feedback are being received from consumers who are getting acquainted with the new system of getting subsidy in the bank account. It has been observed that customers are not fully aware of the processes and in order to educate them detailed advertisements have been published in the leading dailies. Complaints are being attended to and resolved. Information, Education and Communication (IEC) activities are being undertaken on regular basis.

The Government has now decided to set up a committee to look into the difficulties experienced by the beneficiaries of DBTL.

Response of Swiss banks on Black money

†*289. SHRI NARESH AGRAWAL : Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Swiss Banks have responded positively to the Central Government's request seeking information regarding black money;

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.