

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1075
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10th FEBRUARY, 2021**

Subsidy given up on LPG cylinders

1075 # SMT. SAMPATIYA UIKEY:

SHRI VISHAMBHAR PRASAD NISHAD:

CH. SUKHRAM SINGH YADAV:

SMT. CHHAYA VERMA:

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

- (a) the number of consumers who have given up subsidy on LPG cylinders during the last three years;
- (b) the annual savings/income from LPG cylinders that Government is earning from the subsidies given up by consumers; and
- (c) the amount of subsidy being provided to the consumers per gas cylinder at present?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) & (b) Oil Marketing Companies(OMCs) have reported that as on 01.02.2021, 1.08 crore LPG consumers have GiveltUp their subsidy.

(c) The prices of petroleum products including LPG in the country are linked to the prices of respective products in the international market. However, the Government continues to modulate the effective price to consumer for Subsidised Domestic LPG and the consumers get the products at subsidised rate. The subsidy on Subsidised Domestic LPG increase/decrease with the increase/decrease in the product price in international market and decision of Government on subsidy.
