

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS  
RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1078  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY, 2021**

Implementation of PMUY

1078 Shri Prabhakar Reddy Vemireddy:

Smt. Shanta Chhetri::

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

- (a) the details of target set under Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana (PMUY), State-wise, and whether the targets have been achieved;
- (b) if so, the State-wise details thereof and the number of connections given, State-wise;
- (c) whether Government is aiming to set new targets and, if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether it is a fact that only cylinder, regulator and gas for first filling are provided under PMUY;
- (e) if so, in how many installments Government recovers the deposit of cylinder and regulator from Ujjwala beneficiary; and
- (f) whether Government has removed subsidy and, if so, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)**

(a) to (c) The Government had set a target to release 8 crore deposit free LPG connections under Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana (PMUY) and the same has been achieved in September, 2019. State/UT details of LPG connections released under PMUY are at **Annexure**. Further, in budget announcement made on 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2021, the Hon'ble Finance Minister has announced to provide 1 crore more LPG connections under PMUY.

(d) & (e) Under PMUY, a deposit free LPG connection is provided with cash assistance upto ₹ 1600 per connection which includes security deposit of cylinder, security deposit of Pressure Regulator, Suraksha Hose, Installation/demonstration charges and cost of issue of DGCC booklet. No recovery in respect of security deposit of cylinder and pressure regulator is made from PMUY beneficiaries.

(f) 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.

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Annexure referred to part (a) to (c) of Unstarred Rajya Sabha Parliament Question No. 1078 to be answered on 10.02.2021 asked by Shri Prahakar Reddy Vemireddy regarding " Implementation of PMUY'		
S.No.	State	Total Connections Issued
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	12,436
2	Andhra Pradesh	3,91,860
3	Arunachal Pradesh	44,699
4	Assam	34,84,901
5	Bihar	85,37,893
6	Chandigarh	88
7	Chhattisgarh	29,89,440
8	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	14,747
9	Daman and Diu	427
10	Delhi	76,855
11	Goa	1,082
12	Gujarat	29,01,059
13	Haryana	7,30,928
14	Himachal Pradesh	1,35,966
15	Jammu and Kashmir	12,42,080
16	Jharkhand	32,61,556
17	Karnataka	31,46,300
18	Kerala	2,56,302
19	Lakshadweep	290
20	Madhya Pradesh	71,54,600
21	Maharashtra	44,28,682
22	Manipur	1,56,598
23	Meghalaya	1,50,744
24	Mizoram	28,118
25	Nagaland	55,140
26	Odisha	47,40,385
27	Puducherry	13,577
28	Punjab	12,24,218
29	Rajasthan	63,68,525
30	Sikkim	8,752
31	Tamil Nadu	32,42,217
32	Telangana	10,72,321
33	Tripura	2,71,888
34	Uttar Pradesh	147,56,494
35	Uttarakhand	4,04,566
36	West Bengal	88,56,695