

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS**

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1889
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10th March, 2021

Clean hydrogen fuel from water

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Will the Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is fact that researchers of IIT-Delhi found clean hydrogen fuel from water at low cost; and
- (b) if so, whether Government has any proposal to introduce hydrogen fuel in place of petrol and diesel in the country to reduce burden on common man?

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

(a) IIT- Delhi along with ONGC Energy Centre (OEC) is working on the development of technology for production of hydrogen using thermo chemical route, which needs to be demonstrated at commercial level for its cost effectiveness & environment friendliness.

(b) At present, there is no proposal to introduce hydrogen fuel in place of petrol and diesel in the country to reduce burden on common man. Fuels in future will depend on the development in this regard.
