

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.623
TO BE ANSWERED ON 7th February, 2022

Promotion of use of CNG/PNG

623. #Dr.KirodiLalMeena:

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

- (a) whether Government proposes to promote use of CNG/PNG in the country to control pollution and if so, the State-wise details thereof including Rajasthan;
- (b) the details of the districts of Rajasthan in which the said facility has been made available till date;
- (c) whether any CNG/PNG project has been started or is under consideration in the adjoining districts, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the time by when this scheme is proposed to be extended in the State of Rajasthan?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a) Provision of PNG connections and establishment of CNG stations is part of the development of City Gas Distribution (CGD) network and the same is carried out by the entities authorized by Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB). In order to control pollution and to increase usage of clean fuel across the country, PNGRB has authorized 228 Geographical Areas (GAs) for development of CGD network across the country. Details of State-wise number of PNG domestic connections and CNG stations including in the state of Rajasthan are given at **Annexure-I**. In the 11th round, PNGRB has received bids against 61 GAs covering 215 (212 full & 3 part) districts and Letters of Intent (LoIs) have been issued for 52 GAs. PNGRB has also invited bid on 07.01.2022 for 5 GAs covering 27 districts under the 11A CGD Bidding Round. Together these rounds will potentially cover 98% of population & 88% of geographical area of the country.

(b) to (d) Details of districts of Rajasthan which have CNG/PNG connections are at **Annexure-II**. In order to increase CGD network further, PNGRB has recently issued Letter of Intent to 3 GAs spread over Bikaner, Churu, Jhunjhunu, Sikar, Nagaur, Dausa, Karauli, Sawai Madhopur and Tonk districts of Rajasthan under the 11th CGD bidding round. Taken together, these GAs cover the whole of the State of Rajasthan.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 623 ASKED BY DR. KIRODI LAL MEENA ON 7TH FEBRUARY, 2022 REGARDING PROMOTION OF USE OF CNG/PNG.

Details of PNG Domestic connections and CNG stations

S.No.	State/UT/GA	PNG domestic connections (as on 31.12.2021)	CNG Stations (as on 31.12.2021)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	221475	102
2.	Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka & Tamil Nadu	0	2
3.	Assam	39093	1
4.	Bihar	41450	22
5.	Bihar and Jharkhand	0	0
6.	Chandigarh (UT), Haryana, Punjab & Himachal Pradesh	21768	21
7.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli (UT)	7491	7
8.	Daman & Diu (UT)	4886	4
9.	Daman and Diu & Gujarat	190	12
10.	Goa	9638	9
11.	Gujarat	2564936	855
12.	Haryana	215442	201
13.	Haryana & Himachal Pradesh	0	8
14.	Haryana & Punjab	0	11
15.	Himachal Pradesh	1510	2
16.	Jharkhand	61457	36
17.	Karnataka	308698	101
18.	Kerala	16816	42
19.	Kerala & Puducherry	0	2
20.	Madhya Pradesh	116050	122
21.	Madhya Pradesh & Chhatisgarh	0	0
22.	Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan	0	17
23.	Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh	0	8
24.	Maharashtra	2182391	497
25.	Maharashtra & Gujarat	75321	43
26.	National Capital Territory of Delhi (UT)	1145552	438
27.	Odisha	42616	25
28.	Puducherry	0	0
29.	Puducherry & Tamil Nadu	0	3
30.	Punjab	17767	121
31.	Rajasthan	86342	120
32.	Tamil Nadu	0	68
33.	Telangana	154424	108
34.	Tripura	51809	18
35.	Uttar Pradesh	1044411	518
36.	Uttar Pradesh & Rajasthan	18860	31
37.	Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand	800	10
38.	Uttarakhand	54714	17
39.	West Bengal	0	26
Total		8505907	3628

Source: PPAC website.

Annexure-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) to (d) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 623 TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.02.2022 REGARDING PROMOTION OF USE OF CNG/PNG.

Details of CNG/PNGconnections in the Rajasthan

Sl. No.	State	Geographical Areas/CGD Networks
1.	Rajasthan	Kota, Barmer, Jaisalmer and Jodhpur Districts, Alwar (other than Bhiwadi) and Chittorgarh (only RawatbhataTaluka) Districts, Bhilwara and Bundi Districts, Chittorgarh (other than RawatbhataTaluka) and Udaipur Districts, Dholpur District, Bhiwadi (in Alwar District), Ajmer, Pali and Rajsamand Districts, Jalore and Sirohi Districts

Source: PNGRB