

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.141
ANSWERED ON – 04/12/2023

WITHDRAWAL OF OIL/GAS PROJECTS IN TAMIL NADU

141. DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS:

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

- (a) whether Government has received any request from State Government of Tamil Nadu to withdraw the recent proposal of ONGC to dig oil wells at ten places in Ariyalur district, Tamil Nadu;
- (b) if so the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government will withdraw the above said proposed oil/gas well projects in Ariyalur district, Tamil Nadu; and
- (d) if so the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (b): No Sir. Government has not received any request from State Government of Tamil Nadu to withdraw the proposal of ONGC to drill 10 exploratory wells in L-I PML field of ONGC in Ariyalur district of Tamil Nadu.
- (c) to (d): Does not arise in view of (a) & (b) above.
