

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1566
ANSWERED ON 09/12/2024

**EXPANSION OF NATURAL GAS PIPELINE IN RAIGAD AND KONKAN
REGION**

1566# SHRI DHAIRYASHIL MOHAN PATIL:

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

- (a) whether Government proposes to supply natural gas pipeline to Raigad in view of the expansion of Mumbai towards Raigad area;
- (b) if so, the time-frame for implementation of this project;
- (c) if not, whether there is any plan to supply gas through pipeline to other places in the Konkan region; and
- (d) the steps being taken to ensure gas supply to industries and households in these areas?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS

(SHRI SURESH GOPI)

(a) to (d): Providing Piped Natural Gas (PNG) connections is part of the development of City Gas Distribution (CGD) Network, which is being carried out by the entities authorized by Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB). PNGRB has authorized 8 Geographical Areas (GAs) each covering Konkan region including the district of Raigarh for development of CGD Network which inter alia includes providing PNG connections to domestic households and industries and laying of pipeline. The GA wise CGD progress and MWP target of GAs authorized by PNGRB in Mumbai, Raigarh and Konkan region as on 30.09.2024 is enclosed at Annexure.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (d) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1566 TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.12.2024 REGARDING EXPANSION OF NATURAL GAS PIPELINE IN RAIGAD AND KONKAN REGION.

CGD Progress in Konkan Region - September 2024												
S.No	Geographical Area	State/ Union Territory	Authorized CGD Entity	PNG Domestic Connections (Nos.)			CNG Stations (Nos.)			Pipeline (inch-Km)		
				Total MWP Target	Pro-Rata Target	Achievement	Total MWP Target	Pro-Rata Target	Achievement	Total MWP Target	Pro-Rata Target	Achievement
1	Palghar District & Thane Rural	Maharashtra	Gujarat Gas Limited	51,452	51452	52,809	NA	NA	37	1,800	1800	1,910
2	Raigarh District (EAAA)*	Maharashtra	Mahanagar Gas Limited	26,476	26476	83,364	NA	NA	49	1,800	1800	2,238
3	UT of Daman	Daman and Diu	Indian-Oil Adani Gas Private Limited	2,519	2519	5,322	NA	NA	5	33	33	756
4	Ratnagiri District	Maharashtra	Unison Enviro Private Limited	19,856	19856	13,041	NA	NA	21	1,800	1800	350
5	Sindhudurg District	Maharashtra	Maharashtra Natural Gas Limited	25,779	7734	7,742	25	11	11	759	455	524
6	Uttara Kannada, Haveri and Shivamogga Districts	Karnataka	AGP City Gas Private Limited	899,311	202345	769	126	43	25	1,993	897	790
7	Mumbai & Greater Mumbai	Maharashtra	Mahanagar Gas Limited	406,000	406000	1,293,595	NA	NA	149	NA	NA	2,041
8	Thane urban and adjoining Municipalities	Maharashtra	Mahanagar Gas Limited	225,000	225000	1,207,177	NA	NA	154	1,675	1675	2,355
Total				1,656,393	941382	2,663,819	151	54	451	9,860	8460	10,964

Source: PNGRB

*EAAA-Except Area Already Authorized