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To : Section Officer, Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas, New Delhi.  
LOK SABHA DY. NO 394 / 414  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24/06/2019

**SUB:Setting up of Refineries**

- Whether the Government Proposes to set up oil Refineries in Uttar Pradesh with the help of various oil marketing companies including Indian Oil Corporation Limited;
- If so the details thereof and the amount earmarked there for and the status of investment scheme in Petroleum/Chemicals launched by the Government in Uttar Pradesh;
- Whether the Government has made any assessment of the socio-economic effects of such projects on the local residents of the State;
- If so, the details thereof and the efforts made or proposed to be made by the Government for protecting the interests of the local residents;
- Whether the Government proposes to expand/modernize other oil refineries particularly the Kochi Oil Refinery and Barauni Oil Refinery in the Country; and
- If so details thereof?

**Reply:** a) and f) MOP & NG to reply

**Note for Supplementary :**

For sub question a) and b): Between 1999 and 2005, BPCL acquired/ was allotted from UP Govt. approximately 3049 acres of land at Tehsil Lohgara Dist. Allahabad for setting up a Refinery and Township. However, the land owners have filed certain cases regarding the same which are pending in the High Court.

For sub question e) and f): Kochi Refinery recently expanded its capacity from 9.5MMTPA to 15.5MMTPA and modernized the units under the Integrated Refinery Expansion Project (IREP). The project was commissioned during 2017 at a cost of Rs. 16,504 crores. Motor Sprit Block Project (MSBP) for producing BS-VI Motor Sprit and Diesel is under progress. Estimated cost of the project is Rs. 3,289 crores. For downstream integration with Petrochemicals, Propylene Derivative Petrochemical Project (PDPP) is in progress. Estimated cost of the project is Rs. 5,246 crores. Second phase of Petrochemicals, Polyol project has been approved and project implementation related activities are in progress. Estimated cost of the project is Rs. 11,130 crores.

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