

(b) and (c). With the introduction of DPCO, 1995, only Rifampicin and Streptomycin remain under price control and the price of these drugs have not been changed since 12.6.95 and 6.10.95 respectively. The Associations of Pharmaceutical Industry have been advised to caution their members to exercise restraint and self discipline in respect of prices of medicines which have gone out of price control and ensure that their prices are not raised unreasonably.

STATEMENT

S No	Name of the Anti TB Drug	Price Notified (Rs /Kg)	Date of Notification	Latest available current selling price (Rs/Kg)
1	2	3	4	5
1	Ethambutol	1144 00	29 7 1992	
		1028 00	4 8 1992	
		995 00	13 6 1993	1300 00
		1101 00	28 7 1993	(March, 1996)
2	Isoniazid (INH)	358 00	24 2 1992	378 00
		378 00	14 5 1993	(April, 1995)
3	Sodium PAS	166 00	27 6 1990	Not available
		248 00	1 9 1993	
4	Pyrazinamide	1579 00	17 6 1993	1825 00
		1679 00	25 11 1993	(April, 1995)
5	Streptomycin Sulphate	1154 00	6 9 1990	
		1392 00	7 5 1992	As per latest
		1457 00	6 7 1992	Notified
		1854 00	23 11 1992	price
		1810 00	8 9 1994	
		1963 00	6 10 1995	
6	Rifampicin	4946 00	24 1 1992	As per latest
		5795 00	4 8 1992	Notified price
		5220 00	12 6 1995	

[Translation]

LPG Connections

141 SHRI GIRDHARI LAL BHARGAVA Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the number of persons registered for LPG connections in Jaipur city during 1988,

(b) the number of persons out of them provided gas connections so far,

(c) the number of persons registered for LPG connections after 1988;

(d) whether the Government are considering to enhance the LPG quota for Jaipur; and

(e) If so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI T R BAALU) : (a) As per the decision of the District Civil Supplies Department, a one-time registration of 81580 persons for new LPG connections was carried out during 1988

(b) Out of 81580 persons, intimation letter for availing new connection were sent to 58265 person as on 30.6.1996.

(c) As on 31.5.1996, 142429 persons have registered for new LPG connection in Jaipur City from 1990 onwards.

(d) and (e) New LPG connections are released in a phased manner throughout the country including Jaipur, depending upon the availability of LPG, new customer enrolment plan, waiting list, slack available with the distributors of the area and their viability. LPG is not an allocated product and no advance allocation is made.

[English]

Dabhol Power Project

142 SHRIMATI GEETA MUKHERJEE
SHRI PINAKI MISRA

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state

(a) whether the Government have since approved and signed a counter-guarantee with regard to the Dabhol Power project, as per the revised terms of the agreement signed between the State Government of Maharashtra and the Enron Company,

(b) the main modifications and changes made in the original agreement under the revised terms,

(c) whether the Government propose to review the position again, and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES (DR S VENUGOPALACHARI) (a) No, Sir

(b) Does not arise

(c) No, Sir

(d) Does not arise

[Translation]

I.V.R.I

143 SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state

(a) whether Kurar project was started by Indian Veterinary Research Institute (IVRI), Bareilly

(b) the details of the said project and date of its inception;

(c) the present position of the said project; and

(d) the reasons for starting the said project and the achievements made by the concerned department through the said project?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (EXCLUDING THE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING) (SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA) : (a) and (b). Yes, Sir, a project entitled "Integrated Livestock Technology and Extension (ILTE) was started by IVRI on 15.12.1991, conceiving a model to set up technology testing-cum-demonstration units of (i) Food crops (ii) Fodder Crops (iii) Crossbred Cattle (iv) Buffalo (v) Agroforestry (vi) Fishery (vii) Piggery and (viii) Horticultural crops under problem soils in a remote and backward area.

(c) The project has been terminated w.e.f. 31.03.1996.

(d) The project was started on the demand of farmers of that area to establish a demonstration-cum-training centre for transfer of latest livestock and agricultural technology to the poor farmers of backward area. The project was sanctioned by ICAR vide No. 10-3/92-Exten. Edu. dated 27.04.1992 as an ad-hoc project.

The first phase of the project consisted on land development work including infrastructure development. The farmers of the nearby villages were demonstrated the technology of "usar" land reclamation and several others related to crop production. They were trained in land reclamation. They were provided veterinary advisory services and were motivated to adopt scientific feeding and management practices in livestock production.

[English]

Home Guards

144 KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government have any proposal to revise the pay-scale of Home Guards of the country keeping in view the price rise of the essential commodities; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI INDRAJIT GUPTA) : (a) and (b). The Home Guards are provided duty allowance for the number of days they are called for duty by the State Government authorities. The duty allowance is fixed by the respective State Governments. The Home Guards are also called out in connection with Central Government duties such as General Elections. The amount reimbursable to the States for such duties has now been revised from Rs. 22/- to Rs. 31/- per head per day.

[Translation]

Production of Crude Oil

145. SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state ;

(a) the quantum of crude oil produced in the country during the last three years;

(b) the names of the State where oil is being exploited at present;

(c) whether the Oil and Natural Gas Corporation is exploring the possibility of oil at some places; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI T.R. BAALU) : (a) The crude oil production during the last three years was as follows :

1993-94	-	27.02	MMT
1994-95	-	32.24	MMT
1995-96	-	35.193	MMT

(b) Crude oil is being produced from a number of oil fields spread over Western and Eastern offshore and in the States of Gujarat, Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh and North Eastern States of Assam and Arunachal Pradesh.

(c) and (d). Yes, Sir, ONGC is exploring hydrocarbons through surveys and drilling in various sedimentary basins located in the following areas .

- West Coast Offshore including Gulf of Kutch, Deep Water of Kerala-Konkan.
- East Coast Offshore.
- Coastal areas of A.P. from Kakinada in the north to Nizamapatnam in the South
- Cauvery basin in Tamil Nadu including Union Territory of Pondicherry.
- Areas in Upper Assam, Dhansiri Valley and Cachar in North East.
- West Bengal, Tripura, Bihar Cambay Basin in Gujarat.
- Himalayan Foothills in H.P. and J & K
- Vindhya/Gondwanas in M.P.
- Jaisalmer Basin in Rajasthan.

Incidents of Clashes with BSF

146. SHRI MAHENDRA SINGH BHATI : Will the the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of incident of clashes and theft between Border Security Forces and rural persons occurred at Indo-Pak border got registered during the last three years;

(b) the number of cases finalised so far; and