

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA**

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OIL REFINERIES IN PRIVATE SECTOR
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether oil refineries are being run under the private sector in the country;
- (b) if so, the average production of petrol, diesel, natural gas and other petroleum products by these refineries annually;
- (c) the percentage of said production being utilized within the country and abroad, separately; and
- (d) the average foreign exchange earned annually through the export of said products?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

- (a) Presently only one oil refinery viz. Reliance Petroleum Limited is being run under the private sector in the country.
- (b) to (d) The information for the period April, 2000 to January, 2001, as provided by the Company, is given in the Annexure.