

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4244  
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ENHANCEMENT OF GAS SUPPLY TO RAJASTHAN  
Singh Shri Dushyant

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

(a) whether the State Government of Rajasthan has asked the Centre to enhance gas supply for two gas turbines at Ramgarh and Rajasthan Vidyut Utpadan Nigam Limited; and

(b) if so, the steps taken by ONGC, Oil India Limited and Gas Authority of India Limited during last three years and additional quantum of gas being supplied by these companies during 2004-05 financial year?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS & PANCHAYATI RAJ (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): At present, around 0.45 Million Standard Cubic Meter Per Day (MMSCMD) of gas is being supplied to Rajasthan for power generation. Further, Oil India Limited has already initiated action to supply an additional 0.2 MMSCMD of gas which is expected to be available in the first quarter of the year 2005.