

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3231
ANSWERED ON:14.12.2006
SETTING UP OF REFINERY IN ANDHRA PRADESH
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd. has asked the Government of Andhra Pradesh to allot 1500 acres of land to it in Visakhapatnam to establish a refinery and other plants;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the response of the State Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI DINSHA PATEL)

(a) to (c): Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited has requested the State Government of Andhra Pradesh to allot 3500 acres of land to it in Visakhapatnam to establish a petrochemical complex. As on date, the State Government of Andhra Pradesh has allotted 1500 acres of land.