

(Tonnes)

<i>Year</i>	<i>Petrol</i>	<i>Diesel</i>
<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>
1987-88	10,57,78	9,42,955
1988-89	11,61,80	10,91,877
1989-90	13,51,03	11,95,734

No of MS/HSD Retail Outlets as on 1.4.90 is 892.

(b) The growth in consumption of petrol and diesel in Bihar has been as follows:

(% growth)

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1988-89	9.83%	15.79%
1989-90	16.28%	9.51%

(c) No, Sir.

(d) The sale price will vary from location to location in Bihar. The present price is Rs. 10.04 per litre in Patna compared to Rs. 9.84 per litre in Delhi.

(e) The Government fixed ex-storage point price for petrol and diesel which is uniform throughout the country. However, the retail price varies from location to location depending on freight, State Sales Tax and local levies.

(a) whether there have been demands for a non-stop Superfast (IInd Class) train between Delhi and Kanpur;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) when it is likely to be introduced?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI AJAY SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

[English]

Superfast Train Between Delhi and Kanpur

2037. SHRI KESHARI LAL: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

Badagara Railway Station (Kerala)

2038. SHRI K. MURALEEDHARAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received