

PSU Oil Marketing Companies Assure Uninterrupted Fuel Supply Amid Surge in Demand

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Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs) Indian Oil Corporation Limited, Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited and Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited have assured citizens that adequate stocks of Petrol, Diesel and LPG are available across the country and that all necessary measures are being taken to ensure smooth and uninterrupted fuel supplies amid a sudden increase in demand in several regions.

In recent days, Public Sector OMCs have witnessed significantly higher offtake of petroleum products due to seasonal agricultural activities and harvesting operations across multiple states. Additional demand pressure has also emerged owing to the migration of retail customers to Public Sector Retail Outlets because of comparatively lower prices, along with a visible shift of institutional and commercial consumers towards retail fuel outlets.

The OMCs continue to maintain uninterrupted supplies through their extensive nationwide network of terminals, depots, pipelines, LPG bottling plants and retail outlets. Supply teams, transport networks, terminal operations and select retail outlets are functioning round-the-clock to ensure seamless movement of products and timely replenishment across markets.

Public Sector OMCs are also maintaining close coordination with State administrations to facilitate uninterrupted fuel distribution. The companies are continuously reviewing stock positions and strengthening logistics and distribution planning to efficiently meet the enhanced demand scenario.

The Oil Industry has urged citizens to continue normal purchasing behavior and avoid unnecessary panic buying. Consumers have also been advised to rely only on official communications issued by authorized agencies and Oil Marketing Companies for accurate information related to fuel availability.

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