

Reply to Parliament Question No 662 for 10.02.2025 for Rajya Sabha regarding “Plans to use of bio fuels as aircrafts and helicopters” in respect of Numaligarh Refinery Limited (NRL):

Q no. (a): whether Government has any plans to use bio-fuels as aircrafts and helicopter fuel, if so, the details thereof;

Reply: Ministry to reply.
[Not applicable to NRL]

Q no. (b): the progress on using bio-fuels as aircraft fuel to reduce atmospheric pollution;

Reply: Ministry to reply.
[Not applicable to NRL]

Q no. (c): whether the Government has undertaken any study to assess the cost-worthiness regarding use of bio-fuels and if so, the details thereof; and

Reply: Ministry to reply.
[Not applicable to NRL]

Q no. (d): whether any test flights have been conducted as a feasibility check of the proposal and if so, the detail thereof?

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[Not applicable to NRL]

Note for Supplementary:

Numaligarh Refinery Limited (NRL) is a Public Sector Enterprise with a 3.0 MMTPA petroleum refinery at Numaligarh in Golaghat district of Assam. Present shareholding pattern of NRL is Oil India Limited (OIL) – 69.63%, Govt. of Assam (GoA) – 26% and Engineers India Ltd (EIL) – 4.37%.
