



## CRUDE WATCH

# OIL SETTLES DOWN

Oil prices settled more than 2% lower on Friday as supply concerns driven by Middle East tensions eased, while jobs data raised expectations the US Federal Reserve could be done hiking interest rates in the biggest oil consuming economy. **REUTERS**



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# ‘PSUs like ONGC are committed to improving lives in North East’

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## OUR CORRESPONDENT

SIVASAGAR: “Driven by PM Modi’s commitment to the North East, government and public enterprises like ONGC are committed to improving lives in the North East. Prioritising healthcare, ONGC’s Siu-Ka-Pha Hospital, with its state of the art medical infrastructure, will bring in substantive enhancement in healthcare capacity of not only Upper Assam but in entire North east India,” Union Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas and Minister of Housing and Urban Affairs Hardeep Singh Puri said.

He was speaking to at a public function in Sivasagar after inaugurating the ONGC-supported multi-speciality hospital there.

Rameswar Teli, Union Minister of State for Petroleum and Natural Gas, Labour and Employment, was also there in the inauguration; he said “Siu-Ka-Pha Hospital, built as one of ONGC’s biggest CSRs, is highly advanced with latest healthcare services that will benefit the people of this region in many more reasons”.

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The ONGC Siu-Ka-Pha

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In addition to its primary purpose of providing healthcare, the ONGC Siu-Ka-Pha Multi Specialty Hospital will play a pivotal role in stimulating job creation and fostering economic opportunities within the region. It stands as an embodiment of progress, growth, and well-being for the people of Sivasagar.

ONGC Siu-Ka-Pha Multi Specialty Hospital is dedicated to delivering advanced healthcare services to the underserved socio-economic strata of Assam.



# Puri: Govt & public enterprises committed to improve lives in NE

The Union minister inaugurates the ONGC-sponsored multi-specialty hospital in Assam

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NEW DELHI, 4 NOVEMBER

**U**nion Minister for Petroleum & Natural Gas and Housing & Urban Affairs Hardeep Singh Puri said here on Saturday that driven by Prime Minister Narendra Modi's commitment to the North East, the government and public enterprises like ONGC are committed to improving lives in the northeast.

Puri was speaking at a public function in Sivasagar, Assam, after inaugurating the ONGC-sponsored multi-specialty hospital there.

The event was attended by the Union Minister of State for Petroleum and Natural Gas, Labour and Employment Rameshwar Teli, Chairman and CEO, ONGC Arun Kumar Singh as well as other senior



officials from the Assam government and ONGC.

Addressing the gathering, the Union minister said the modern infrastructure and medical equipment of Siu-Ka-Pha Hospital being one of the best in the entire country would benefit not only local people of Upper Assam but also people from neighboring states of Nagaland, Mizoram and

Arunachal Pradesh.

In the coming years Siu-Ka-Pha Hospital is expected to benefit approximately one lakh patients in a year, he added.

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## Puri inaugurates ONGC-funded multi-speciality hospital in Assam built at ₹483 crore

PTI ■ SIVASAGAR

Petroleum Minister Hardeep Singh Puri on Saturday inaugurated a multi-speciality hospital built at a cost of Rs 483 crore in Assam's Sivasagar district.

The Siu-Ka-Pha Hospital has been funded by the Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) under its CSR commitments, and will be managed and

operated by Aurangabad-based Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar Vaidyakiya Pratisthan (BAVP), a statement said.

Speaking at the inauguration function, Puri said the hospital is expected to improve the healthcare services for the people of upper Assam as well as other parts of the Northeast. Reiterating the BJP-led NDA government's thrust on the development of the region, he

said, "Driven by Prime Minister Narendra Modi's commitment to the Northeast, government and public enterprises like ONGC are committed to improving lives here.

"Prioritising healthcare, ONGC's Siu-Ka-Pha Hospital, with its state of the art medical infrastructure, will bring in substantive enhancement in healthcare capacity of not only upper Assam but in entire Northeast."

MoS for Petroleum Rameswar Teli, also present at the inauguration, said the highly advanced healthcare services that will be available at the new hospital will benefit people of the entire region.

The programme was also attended by state Health Minister Keshab Mahanta and ONGC chairman and CEO Arun Kumar Singh, among others.



# Union Minister Puri hails PM for development in Northeast

**PRESSTRUST OF INDIA**

KOHIMA, NOVEMBER 4

PETROLEUM MINISTER Hardeep Singh Puri on Saturday visited Tuensang district in Nagaland and interacted with the beneficiaries of the Ujjwala Yojana.

Puri said that under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Northeast is witnessing development, according to an official statement.

He said that he was happy to see so many beneficiaries of the Ujjwala Yojana in Tuensang.

To make liquified petroleum gas (LPG) available to rural and deprived poor households, the government launched Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana in May 2016, to provide deposit-free LPG connections to adult women of poor households.

Puri said that during the pandemic, the Centre launched



**Petroleum Minister Hardeep Singh Puri at the inauguration of a multi-specialty hospital in Sivasagar, Assam, Saturday. PTI**

many schemes that raised the living standards of the people, especially women, of the country.

Puri, who is also the housing and urban affairs minister, said he will take up the shopping mall and parking project in Tuensangtown, according to the

statement.

During the visit, he was accompanied by state Housing Minister Bashangmongba Chang, Youth Resource & Sports Advisor Keoshu Yimkhiung, MLAs Imtichuba and Benei M Lamthiu, and state BJP president Benjamin Yephthomi.