# OGRA — NEWS BRIEF

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# **OGRA RELATED NEWS**

### Ogra asks officials keep check on LPG prices

ISLAMABAD: The Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority (OGRA) has issued directions to the chief secretaries and district authorities to ensure the LPG prices, as notified by the OGRA on September 1, 2022

https://epaper.brecorder.com/2022/09/06/11-page/941869-news.html

#### OGRA asks provinces to ensure LPG availability at notified price

The Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority (OGRA) on Monday asked the provincial and district authorities to ensure availability of the Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) at the prescribed rate across the country.

https://pakobserver.net/ogra-asks-provinces-to-ensure-lpg-availability-at-notified-price/

### Govt orders paperwork for oil sector deregulation

ISLAMABAD: Amid record prices, the government has decided in principle to go for deregulation of the oil sector and has asked the Oil & Gas Regulatory Authority (Ogra) to work out its modalities in consultation with oil refineries and marketing companies.

https://www.dawn.com/news/1708678/govt-orders-paperwork-for-oil-sector-deregulation

#### Plan to set up gas utility courts

ISLAMABAD: The government has planned to amend a gas theft and recovery law to introduce gas utility courts and delegate federal government powers to prime minister for taking action against people involved in gas theft and delay in recovery of consumer bills.

https://tribune.com.pk/story/2375024/plan-to-set-up-gas-utility-courts

## **Daily Pakistan Today**

# OGRA for ensuring notified LPG prices

ISLAMABAD: Oil & Gas Regulatory Authority has issued directions the Chief Secretaries and District Authorities to ensure the LPG prices, as notified by OGRA on September 1, 2022. It pertinent to mention that the current notified LPG Producer Price is Rs.2,013/- per 11.8 kg cylinder and for the consumer, it is Rs.2,496/-. The district authorities are advised to initiate action against the profiteers under the LPG Production and Distribution Rules 2001, Petroleum Products (Petroleum Levy) Ordinance 1961 and other applicable laws in the best interest of general public. The LPG Plants and Distributors are also directed to clearly display the LPG selling price on gate/passes, receipts for convenience of general public. PR

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### **Daily Dawn**

# LHC seeks details of mechanism for POL prices

By Our Staff Reporter

LAHORE: The Lahore High Court (LHC) on Monday directed the federal government to submit the mechanism for fixing petroleum, oil and lubricant prices.

Earlier, hearing a public interest petition, Justice Shahid Karim observed that apparently the fuel prices in the international market were on decline but they were going up in Pakistan.

The judge directed the federal government's counsel to tell the court on the next hearing who determined the fuel prices and under what mechanism.

Advocate Azhar Siddique of the Judicial Activism Panel filed the petition, saying the government had increased the fuel prices despite a decrease in the international market. He said the government did not pass on the benefit of reduced fuel prices to the masses despite the fact that the country was facing testing times due to massive floods.

The lawyer submitted that in the past, the Oil Gas Regulatory and Authority (Ogra) used to evaluate petroleum prices after a period of six months, later, it started changing the prices on a monthly basis and most recently, it adopted a mechanism of changing pricing fortnightly. He argued that the practice of Ogra was against the

He said the federal government was not eager to facilitate the people who were directly suffering from the inflated fuel prices.

Mr Siddique contended that the recent increase in petroleum prices would also hike prices of other commodities, which was in violation of the fundamental rights of the people. He said the finance minister claimed that the fuel prices could not be reduced due to the programme of the Monetary International Fund (IMF).

The counsel asked the court to strike down the impugned notification regarding the increase in the fuel prices and order the government to pass on the benefit of reduced fuel prices to the masses.

The judge would resume further hearing on Sept 13.

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https://e.dunya.com.pk/detail.php?date=2022-09-06&edition=ISL&id=6337461\_70292003

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https://www.express.com.pk/epaper/PoPupwindow.aspx?newsID=1109538173&Issue=NP\_ISB&Date=20220906

#### Daily Khabrain



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الیتر فیمر 20 // کیٹر و کیم مصنوعات پڑویکم مصنوعات کی فیتوں میں اضافے کے مطاق محتوق ورفوات نے واق محموت ادارات پڑویکم اداراد کرا کوئر فیل جاری کرتے ہوئے اگلے بینے جماب طلب کر لیا ہا تجارت میں پڑویکم مصنوعات کی تیجوں میں اضافے کے مطاق محموت ادارات بڑویک اور اور کر کوئر کو برائے الکھ بیٹے جماب طلب کرتے ہوئے جارے کی کرم کاری ویک اگل ماحت پر پڑویکم مشنوعات کی کیتوں میں اضافی کم طریق کارون کی کرتے ہوئے الکھ بیٹے