

Procedure to deal with direct offers of land received by the OMCs from land owners for setting up of retail outlets

Existing guidelines of OMCs have a provision for award of retail outlet dealerships to land owners, based on offers of land received from the latter. The following procedure which the Government had advised (*vide Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas letter No.P-19011/1/2004-IOC dated 22.2.2005*) the OMCs to follow in such cases, is reiterated:-

“The OMCs should, after receipt of direct offers of land, assess the viability of the location and if the same is found viable, OMCs must release an advertisement in 2 leading newspapers, which are in circulation in the area, stating the fact that they have received offer(s) of land for dealerships, etc., and are inviting similar offers from others. Further, these advertisements must indicate that final selection of the dealer will be on the basis of evaluation of the lands offered and evaluation of the candidates in respect of other parameters as provided for in the guidelines.”
