

## **India to build Petro Pipeline to Nepal**

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India will construct a petroleum product pipeline from Razaul (India) to Amlekhgunj to ensure regular supply of petroleum products to Nepal. Minister of State for Petroleum and Natural Gas Dharmendra Pradhan is on a three-day visit to Nepal from today to sign a MoU between India and Nepal for the construction of petroleum products pipeline.

During his address to the Constituent Assembly of Nepal on 4 August last year, Prime Minister Narendra Modi had promised Narendra Modi had promised India would build the petroleum pipeline to Nepal. The proposed 41-km pipeline would help Nepal in ensuring its energy security and easy supply of petroleum products. The proposed pipeline will be constructed by the IOC.