OGRA terms CNG sale in litres as illegal

Spokesman says only imported gas (CNG) is de-regulated

Islamabad: Aug 8; Taking cognizance of CNG association's reported decision to sell CNG in Sindh in litres instead of kilos, Oil and Gas Regulatory Authority (OGRA) on Tuesday observed that sale of indigenous gas/CNG in liters is illegal.

According to an OGRA spokesman, only the imported gas-based CNG (RLNG) was deregulated which was not being used, so far, by the CNG stations in Sindh. Therefore, CNG stations, which are licensees of OGRA, cannot sell local CNG (compressed natural gas) in liters.

OGRA has duly communicated to the All Pakistan CNG Association that the maximum sale prices of CNG notified by OGRA on 31-08-2015 at Rs 75.82 per kilogram for Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Baluchistan and Ptohar region and Rs 67.50 per kg for Sindh and Punjab.

The Authority has, further observed that above referred notification had been issued under the relevant law and in pursuance