F. No. 1(1)/2019-AEI (20278) **GOVERNMENT OF INDIA** MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

Udyog Bhawan **NEW DELHI-110011** 27th April 2020 Dated

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All Registered OEMs under FAME India Scheme Phase-II.

Extension for validity of FAME-II certificates for all Vehicle Models (e2W, e-3W & e-4W) approved under FAME India Scheme Phase II -regarding.

Sir/Madam.

The undersigned is directed to refer to various representations submitted to this Ministry on the subject cited above. In terms of the Operational Guidelines (para 2.15) for delivery of demand incentive under phase-II of FAME India Scheme, the Eligibility Certificate issued to OEMs by Testing Agencies was valid for one year (1st April 2019 to 31st March 2020).

- There is disruption in sale of EVs since January 2020 due to the outbreak of COVID-19 and the ensuing lockdown. This has led to piling up of inventories which will not be eligible for demand incentive from April 01,2020. The request of OEMs for extension of validity period of FAME-II certificates for all Vehicle Models (e2W, e-3W & e-4W) approved under FAME India Scheme Phase II is appears to be genuine.
- Now, with the approval of Competent Authority, it is decided to extend the validity of FAME-II certificates for all vehicle models (e2W, e-3W & e-4W) approved under FAME India Scheme Phase- II for a period of three months, i.e. w.e.f. 01st April to 30th June 2020.
- This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully,

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