

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES  
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1442**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.07.2017**

**Electric Buses**

1442. SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to build electric buses for battling pollution in the metro cities of the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the number of electric buses manufactured by the public sector companies during the last three years in the country, company-wise;
- (c) whether the Government is considering to give certain exemptions to augment the hybrid / electric bus manufacturing in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND  
PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)**

(a): No, Madam.

(b): Nil. No Public Sector Undertaking is manufacturing electric bus.

(c) & (d): Under FAME India Scheme of the Government, demand incentive is being extended for the hybrid buses as per details given in Table 5 and Table 6 under Annexure 13 of the Scheme, which is available at Department of Heavy Industry's website [[www.dhi.nic.in](http://www.dhi.nic.in)].

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